

NUMBER 7 • BONUS STORY

A primeira chave do Chico

A Saturday in June. At the market and then in the courtyard, the people who were there tell you and Leonor how a tiny grey kitten found number 7, and whose key he took first.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAID IT?: 1a, 2c, 3c

L2) RIGHT OR WRONG?: 1a, 2b, 3a, 4a, 5b

L3) WHAT HAPPENED FIRST?: 1: 12435

L4) UNDERSTAND THE STORY: 1b, 2a, 3b

Translation

June. Saturday morning. There are lots of people at the market.

■ Hello! Number seven!

○ Fish for Chico, please.

■ Of course. His bill is long already.

▲ Have you known him a long time?

- Yes. He was very small. A little kitten.
- Was Chico small too?
- One morning he came to the market. It was cold.
- Wet. Hungry. As small as my hand.
- ▲ What did you do?
- I gave him fish. The first bill!
- Why is his ear like that?
- A big dog bit his ear.
- That is why he does not like dogs.
- Chico's story? I was there too.
- People gave him fish and milk. Nobody knew whose cat he was.
- Did he live at the market?
- No. He looked for a home. A real home.
- He walked with me. He looked at every house.
- Then he saw a green door.
- Number seven!
- Yes. He sat on the steps and waited.

In the afternoon everyone is at Maria's home.

- ☐ That is right. I was there too. I know everything.
- ☐ It rained in the evening. I opened the door. There was a little kitten there.
- ☐ He was not my cat. But he came inside. The boss!

▲ Where did he sleep?

- ☐ In flat three. It was empty then.

▲ My flat!

- ☐ Yes. It was his home for a long time.

○ Why is his name Chico?

- ☐ I gave him the name. I thought it was nice.

- ☐ The next day he took his first key.

○ Whose?

- ☐ Flat three's. It was in my pocket.

▲ My key!

- ☐ Yes. That is why he took it on the first day too. It was his key.

○ Chico is not bad. He likes the key!

▲ Then I need lots of keys.

□ Would you like tea? I have another story.

▲ Yes. Chico, fish for you?

Chico is silent. He's already waiting at the door.