

SCENE 16 • NUMBER 7

Las fotos de la pared

Elvira invites you in for her strong black tea. One wall of her living room is all family photos: her son, her daughter, her late husband, Lucía and her baby brother.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAYS IT: 1a, 2b

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN: 1b, 2b

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT: 1c, 2a

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: ¿Y ese joven? ¿Quién es?, ¡Michi!
¡Deja la foto!

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST: 1: 34251

Words: Las fotos de la pared

VOCABULARY & WRITING

W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?: 1a, 2a, 3b, 4b, 5b, 6c

W2) USE THE WORDS IN CONTEXT: 1: padres, 1: meses, 1: nieta

W3) THE NEIGHBOURS IN A SMALL COMIC: 1: familia, 2: madre, 3: hermano, 4: bebé

W4) CONNECT THE MEANINGS: 1d, 2a, 3c, 4b

Grammar: Mi familia y la tuya

GRAMMAR

G1) CHOOSE THE FORM FOR THE MESSAGE: 1a, 2a, 3a

G2) COMPLETE A USEFUL EXCHANGE: 1: tiene, 1: años, 1: mis

G3) PUT THE MESSAGE TOGETHER: La madre de Lucía es Marta.,
¿Cuántos meses tiene el bebé?, Mis padres viven en Hamburgo.

G4) CONNECT THE MESSAGE AND ITS MEANING: 1c, 2a, 3b

G5) CHECK THE CONTRAST IN A NEW CONTEXT: 1: abuela

Translation

■ Good afternoon. Come in. Would you like tea?

○ Yes, thank you.

■ My tea is strong. Like me.

You take a sip.

○ It certainly is strong!

You look at the wall of photos. Frau Martín points at a smiling couple. One small frame is turned to the wall.

○ So many photos! Is it your family?

■ Yes. My son and daughter. The woman with long hair is Lucía's mother.

○ How old is your son?

■ Fifty. And my daughter, forty-four.

She holds a small old photo of a laughing young man, and smiles.

○ And that young man? Who is he?

■ My husband. He is twenty here.

○ Does he live here too?

She says it quietly.

■ No. He is no longer with us.

○ I am very sorry.

■ Thank you. We are very happy in this photo.

■ This is Lucía with her brother. He is still a baby.

○ How many months old is he?

■ Six. Lucía is nine, nearly ten.

■ Your family lives in Hamburg, right?

○ Yes. My parents live there.

■ But you are not alone here. You have us. And Michi.

Michi knocks the turned frame off the shelf. It lies face up: a boy of ten with a mop of black curly hair.

○ Michi! The photo! Mrs Martín, who is that boy?

She hangs the frame back, face to the wall.

■ Michi! Leave the photo!

■ More tea?

Elvira hangs the photo back, face to the wall, and pours you more tea. Michi sits on the shelf and looks at you. Who is the boy with the curly black hair?