

SCENE 49 · NUMBER 7

मोती का खज़ाना

Your suitcase is in the attic, where कमला put it. You take the old key from the raincoat ("Keep it," she said; now you know why) and climb the ladder from the top landing, past अर्जुन's door; मीरा follows. This is the X on her map, and there is a small round window, just big enough for a cat. Under the roof: buttons, a spare key, the computer mouse from the office, रोहन's pen, the candle "10", the toy thermometer, the mouthpiece. Whose is what, and when did it go? "Your flat was empty for a long time," says मीरा. "It was his flat. And his things."

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAYS IT: 1b, 2a

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

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

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER: मेरी चाबी! पहली शाम खो गई थी।, वह सिर्फ अपनी पसंद की चीज़ें लेता है।

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST: 1: 41532

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VOCABULARY & WRITING

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

W2) PHRASES FROM THE CONVERSATION: 1a, 2d, 3b, 4e, 5c

W3) SAY IT AGAIN: 1: मेरा, 2: शायद, 3: देखिए, 4: मेरा

W4) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION: 1: मेरा, 1: मैं, 1: तुम, 1: मैं, 1: मेरे

W5) PUT THE WORDS TOGETHER: मेरा सूटकेस अटारी में है। चाबी रेनकोट की जेब में।, मैं भी चलूँगी।, तुम यहाँ क्या कर रही हो?, मैं हमेशा यहाँ हूँ।, मेरे नक्शे का लाल क्रॉस।

Grammar: खो गई थी · उसका फ़्लैट

GRAMMAR

G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL FORM: 1) उसकी, 2) थी, 3) अपनी

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM: 1b, 2c, 3b

G3) COMPLETE THE MESSAGES: 1: उसकी, 1: थी, 1: अपनी

G4) BUILD A SENTENCE: ये उसकी चीज़ें हैं।, चाबी खो गई थी।, वह अपनी चाबी लेता है।

G5) CONNECT FORM AND MEANING: 1c, 2b, 3a

Translation

■ My suitcase is in the attic. The key is in the raincoat pocket.

Meera is suddenly on the stairs, as if from nowhere.

○ I will come too.

■ What are you doing here?

○ I am always here.

○ The red cross on my map.

■ And a little round window. Just for a cat.

☐ Look. The key from the first day.

■ My key! It went missing on the first evening.

☐ Rohan's pen. The office mouse.

■ The number ten candle.

☐ My thermometer. It went missing when you were ill.

■ Arjun's mouthpiece. He has been looking for it since the festival.

■ Why are all the things here?

☐ Your flat was empty for a long time. It was his flat. His things.

■ Now it is my flat.

☐ Moti says, your flat, his things.

In the middle of the attic lies your suitcase, open. Moti is asleep inside.

■ Moti! My suitcase!

☐ Look on top.

■ My festival photo. Moti is sleeping on it.

○ He only takes things he loves.

In the middle lies your suitcase, open, with मोती asleep inside.

On top is the photo of you from the festival. "He only takes things he loves," says मीरा, and she takes the mouthpiece downstairs to अर्जुन. You sit by the suitcase for a long time. Then you call the interviewer.