Unit 7: Extreme Situations

Close-Up Workbook (pg 41)

VOCABULARY

A. Complete the text with the correct form of these words.

cope	die	disappear	give	injure	survive

Left for death

Joe Simpson and Simon Yates were climbing down a mountain in the Andes when Simpson slipped and (1) _____ his leg. Then, while Yates was trying to lower him down the mountain on the end of the rope, Simpson went over a cliff and totally (2) _____. Yates couldn't see or hear him, but he held on tightly hoping that Simpson was still alive.

After some time, believing that Simpson had (3)_____, Yates cut the rope and climbed down the mountain. When the rope was cut, Simpson, who was actually still alive, fell down to the bottom of the mountain. He then spent three days without food or water moving slowly across rocky ground towards the camp. He never (4) _____ up.

Incredibly, in the middle of the night, he arrived at the camp. Luckily, Yates found him. Later, Simpson wrote a book about how he (5) _____ on his own, and how he (6) _____ with the terrible thirst, hunger and pain.

B. Complete the words in the sentences.

1. Your d _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ is the place where your trip ends.
2. An e _ _ _ _ _ _ _ is someone who goes to places not many people have been to.
3. An e _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ is a trip to see something very far away.
4. A j _ _ _ _ _ _ is another name for a trip.
5. The c _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ are your circumstances or the way things are around you.
6. The person you travel or live with is called your c _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _.

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