

Listening

11 Till death us do part



- 1 Listen to the interviews with Ethel and Norman Reiss and Shirley Meldon. Who says these lines? Write **E & N** (Ethel and Norman) or **S** (Shirley).

- 1 'We've been married for 50 years.' **E & N**
- 2 'We were married for 48 years.' _____
- 3 'We never had an argument about anything.' _____
- 4 'Sure we have arguments! But then we say sorry.' _____
- 5 '... we've lived in the same area all our married life.' _____
- 6 'We lived in a cottage near the sea.' _____
- 7 '... he was the only man I ever loved.' _____
- 8 '... he's the only man I've ever loved.' _____

- 2 Listen again to the interview with Ethel and Norman. Complete the sentences.

- 1 'Time _____.'
- 2 '_____ best friends ...'
- 3 'Do you ever _____?'
- 4 'Tell me ... where _____?'
- 5 'No, we've _____ here.'

- 3 Listen again to the interview with Shirley. Complete the sentences.

- 1 'Bruce _____ ago. I _____ own now for two years.'
- 2 'We _____ when we were _____.'
- 3 'You keep _____. Don't give in! Every marriage has _____.'
- 4 '_____ you and Bruce _____ arguments?'
- 5 'I _____ flat in a small town.'