

1. Complete the following text with the verbs in brackets. Use the correct form of gerund and infinitive.

When a woman read my palm, I didn't expect (1) \_\_\_\_\_ (learn) anything new. I don't believe in things like that and I avoid (2) \_\_\_\_\_ (look at) my horoscope. Then I met a woman in a bar who offered (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (read) my palm. At first I didn't want her (4) \_\_\_\_\_ (do) it, but then I decided (5) \_\_\_\_\_ (try) it. She promised not (6) \_\_\_\_\_ (tell) me anything terrible. She told me about the problems I had at work. She told me that I wanted (7) \_\_\_\_\_ (change) things. I really enjoyed (8) \_\_\_\_\_ (listen) to her and she seemed (9) \_\_\_\_\_ (understand) me. Then she told me I would go on a journey which would change my life. I laughed because I couldn't afford (10) \_\_\_\_\_ (travel). Two weeks later I won a holiday to the Caribbean. Can you imagine (11) \_\_\_\_\_ (win) a holiday like that? Anyway I met my husband on that holiday, so it really did change my life! I have always wanted (12) \_\_\_\_\_ (say) thank you to that woman in the bar.

1. Answer the following questions:

- What did the woman want to read?  
The woman's \_\_\_\_\_
- Where did the woman have many problems?  
At her \_\_\_\_\_
- What was the genre of the main person in the story?  
A \_\_\_\_\_
- What was place the woman traveled after the prediction received?  
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