

**Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.**



Dear Lucy,

How are things? I ..... (1. write) to tell you about something that happened to Austin, a friend of mine.

Austin ..... (2. love) sailing in the sea with his friends and he ..... (3. spend) a lot of time doing this activity. He ..... (4. not have) any other hobby. Sailing is his passion.

Something scary ..... (5. happen) to him last weekend. He ..... (6. sail) far away from the coast when he ..... (7. fall) into the water. When his friends discovered he ..... (8. not be) on the boat, it was too late. "We felt terrible sad, but we ..... (9. can not) do anything," one of his friends said.

But Austin was the luckiest boy alive. A large ferry ..... (10. sail) towards him while he was at sea. A passenger ..... (11. look) for dolphins when she ..... (12. see) Austin. He ..... (13. wave) and ..... (14. scream). She immediately ..... (15. shout) for help and ..... (16. throw) Austin a life jacket and a raft. Some sailors then ..... (17. pull) Austin to safety. "I ..... (18. cry) when I ..... (19. see) the ferry," said Austin. "I ..... (20. be) so lucky nothing serious happened to me!"

Right now, Austin ..... (21. sail). He ..... (22. be not) afraid of what happened to him. He even says he ..... (23. want) to sail along the Atlantic ocean! It's one of his dreams!

Write back to me! Hope you're doing well.

Kisses and hugs,

Dan.