



I THOUGHT I HAD THE CORONAVIRUS!

It was 2020. Which it was last year. One night, I ordered a coffee that is very tasty and my favourite! When I drank it, I couldn't taste it! So I went home in my car, going to my bedroom and googled "I have no taste. Is this the sign of coronavirus?" And the result was, yes. My eyes were popping out in my face, and I was confused. So, I immediately called my mom. I said that I had some concerns about my taste. I said "I have no taste, I googled, and the result was that is the early sign of the coronavirus. Is that true?" My mom answered "I don't know. Did you call your doctor?" I answered, "No, he is not available now." Directly after, my mom was super shocked that I had a loss of taste. In the morning, I woke up and dressed up as quickly as I could. I went to the hospital in my car. I went to my doctor's office and waited there. Finally, I had the COVID-19 test. The doctor said that I didn't have the coronavirus. I had impaired taste because I had salivary gland infections. I was surprised. He gave me medications to take one per day. After that, I went home. I called my mom to give her the update. So, I told her "Thank goodness I don't have the coronavirus. My doctor said that I have salivary gland infections." My mom asked, "Did he give you the medications?" I answered "Yes, he did. And I thought I had the coronavirus." I laughed so hard because I thought I had the coronavirus.

A) Answer the questions.

1. What did he order at night? _____
2. What happened to him after he drank the coffee?

3. What was his reaction after he saw the results on Google?

4. Did he call his mom? _____
5. What did he do the next morning?

6. Did he have coronavirus? If not, what kind of other infection he had?

7. Did the doctor give him the medications?

8. Why did he laugh so hard at the end?

B) Circle true or false.

1. He thought he had pneumonia. (T/F)
2. He called his dad for help. (T/F)
3. He went to the hospital in the morning. (T/F)
4. His mom was shocked at first. (T/F)

