

## Complete the gaps with an irregular verb in the past simple tense.

Choose from:

be, break, buy, come, drive, eat, feel, find, get, give, go, have, hear, hold, know, let, lose, make, put, read, ring, run, say, sleep, take, think, tell, write

Note: you will need to use some verbs more than once:

Dear Oséias

I'm writing to tell you about something that happened yesterday. I 1) \_\_\_\_\_ up at the usual time – about 10 am – 2) \_\_\_\_\_ a shower and 3) \_\_\_\_\_ breakfast. I

4) \_\_\_\_\_ a big bowl of cereal and some toast and watched TV for a while. Then I

5) \_\_\_\_\_ into the kitchen where I 6) \_\_\_\_\_ a funny noise. I 7) \_\_\_\_\_ it

8) \_\_\_\_\_ from behind the cooker. I 9) \_\_\_\_\_ my tool box and moved the cooker

out of the way.

The noise 10) \_\_\_\_\_ louder but I couldn't see anything. I 11) \_\_\_\_\_ my uncle to ask his advice. He 12) \_\_\_\_\_ that he 13) \_\_\_\_\_ it could be a gas leak. When I

14) \_\_\_\_\_ this I just panicked! I 15) \_\_\_\_\_ the phone down, 16) \_\_\_\_\_

outside, 17) \_\_\_\_\_ in my car and 18) \_\_\_\_\_ to the local police station. I

19) \_\_\_\_\_ them about my gas leak but the constable 20) \_\_\_\_\_ his patience with me. He 21) \_\_\_\_\_ that I should have phoned the gas company. He 22) \_\_\_\_\_

his report, then 23) \_\_\_\_\_ the gas company for me.

Then I remembered that my house doesn't have gas – only electricity! I 24) \_\_\_\_\_

really stupid and 25) \_\_\_\_\_ that the constable would be angry with me for wasting

his time, so I 26) \_\_\_\_\_ out of the police station while he 27) \_\_\_\_\_ still on the

phone. I 28) \_\_\_\_\_ home to try to find out what the noise 29) \_\_\_\_\_. On the

way I 30) \_\_\_\_\_ a newspaper and I 31) \_\_\_\_\_ about an escaped llama that

32) \_\_\_\_\_ out of the city safari park last Wednesday.

When I 33) \_\_\_\_\_ home I 34) \_\_\_\_\_ my key in the door, turned it,

35) \_\_\_\_\_ inside and straight away 36) \_\_\_\_\_ that funny noise again. I

37) \_\_\_\_\_ my breath and opened the door slowly. Guess what? I 38) \_\_\_\_\_

the llama hiding in my cupboard! I 39) \_\_\_\_\_ him stay and he 40) \_\_\_\_\_ in my garden last night. The snoring

41) \_\_\_\_\_ so loud! This morning I 42) \_\_\_\_\_ him back to the safari park. They

43) \_\_\_\_\_ really pleased to see him again and 44) \_\_\_\_\_ me a reward of £50!

Hope you are well. Write soon and let me know how you are.

Your friend,  
Jason