

Complete the sentences with *said* or *told*.

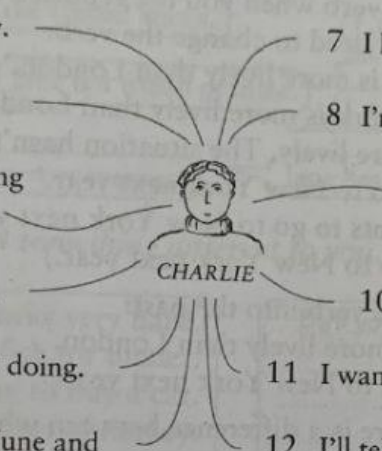
- 1 Everyone that the special effects in the film were spectacular.
- 2 Caroline that her mother spoke several languages.
- 3 The head of the theatre company her that she would be a good actress.
- 4 The man the newspaper's editor that he was going to complain about the article.
- 5 We that we didn't want the story to appear in the middle of the paper.
- 6 I my friends that I was going to be on a reality TV show.

2 Complete the sentences with the correct pronouns and possessive adjectives.

- 1 'I'm waiting for a package,' said Steve.
Steve said that was waiting for a package.
- 2 'We'll wait for you both outside,' said Karen and Jack.
Karen and Jack said that would wait for outside.
- 3 'You've passed your exam!' said my teacher.
My teacher said that had passed exam.
- 4 'Your sister doesn't look like you,' said Marta.
Marta said that sister didn't look like
- 5 'Everyone had a great time at your birthday party,' said Nick.
Nick told me that he had had a great time at birthday party.
- 6 'Jim didn't walk home with his usual friends,' said Karl.
Karl said that Jim hadn't walked home with usual friends.

EXERCISES

1 Yesterday you met a friend of yours, Charlie. Here are some of the things Charlie said to you:

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- 1 I'm living in London now.
 - 2 My father isn't very well.
 - 3 Sharon and Paul are getting married next month.
 - 4 Margaret has had a baby.
 - 5 I don't know what Fred is doing.
 - 6 I saw Helen at a party in June and she seemed fine.
 - 7 I haven't seen Diane recently.
 - 8 I'm not enjoying my job very much.
 - 9 You can come and stay at my flat if you are ever in London.
 - 10 My car was stolen a few weeks ago.
 - 11 I want to go on holiday but I can't afford it.
 - 12 I'll tell Ann I saw you.

Later that day you tell another friend what Charlie said. Use reported speech.

- 1 ...Charlie said that he was living in London now.
- 2 He said that
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