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**There are some extra words which you do not need to use.** (Điền vào chỗ trống bằng cách sử dụng các từ trong khung. Có vài từ thừa mà bạn không cần phải sử dụng.)

## Word Bank

Australia    adventure    along    communicate    community  
creative    cultures    dangerous    did    different    different  
energy    experiences    explore    frightening    hard    health  
initiative    jungles    keeps    landscapes    lives    local    make  
on    opportunity    ordinary    problem    problems    recycling  
sitting    smile    smiling    solve    southern    taken    takes  
talking    travels    under    views    wars    were

**Host:** Welcome back, viewers! I'm your **Host**, Ray Bellows. Today we have the \_\_\_\_\_ to talk with Annie Griffiths. She's a photographer for the National Geographic Society, and she \_\_\_\_\_ the world to places such as Africa, \_\_\_\_\_, the Middle East, and North and South America.

The photos you'll see throughout the interview \_\_\_\_\_ all \_\_\_\_\_ by Annie. Sometimes her work \_\_\_\_\_ her to \_\_\_\_\_ places like \_\_\_\_\_ top of mountains, \_\_\_\_\_ the water, or in \_\_\_\_\_. But she says her \_\_\_\_\_ in places where there are \_\_\_\_\_ going on are more \_\_\_\_\_ than any wild animals or faraway places. Welcome to the show, Annie.

**AG:** Thank you, Ray. I'm glad to be here.

**Host:** Now, you travel a lot. What's your favorite part of the world?

**AG:** Well, I love \_\_\_\_\_ Africa. I like the \_\_\_\_\_ of the people and the wildlife. I also love the Galápagos Islands and Mexico. You know, actually, I love so many places that it's \_\_\_\_\_ to choose a favorite!

**Host:** I can understand that! And why do you like to travel and \_\_\_\_\_ the world so much?

**AG:** Oh, I love to travel because it allows me to learn about \_\_\_\_\_ and, you know, \_\_\_\_\_ of the world. I spend most of my time with \_\_\_\_\_ people, and I get to experience how people in different places live their \_\_\_\_\_. I also love taking pictures of wildlife and \_\_\_\_\_.

**Host:** Well, your job really is an \_\_\_\_\_! My job \_\_\_\_\_ me \_\_\_\_\_ in this room day after day. Now, I've read that you've traveled with your children. Why \_\_\_\_\_ you take them with you?

**AG:** Oh, I took my children \_\_\_\_\_ on my travels for many reasons.

My assignments were often two or three months long, and I couldn't bear to be away from them for so long. Also, I wanted them to be able to see the world themselves.

They have become great travelers and have a great perspective now on the world.

**Host:** What was their favorite place?

**AG:** My children loved the Middle East. They had so much fun being part of the Bedouin \_\_\_\_\_ there. They rode camels and donkeys and learned to milk goats.

They also loved Australia because they got to go to the beach almost every day.

**Host:** Those do sound like wonderful experiences!

But how do you \_\_\_\_\_ with people in so many places?

Say, if you don't speak the language, for example. How do you \_\_\_\_\_ friends?

**AG:** I think the key is to get over my own shyness. I start, you know, by \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to people.

Even if I don't know the \_\_\_\_\_ language, I'll gesture or \_\_\_\_\_ and be a little silly, so that people feel more relaxed around me.

**Host:** And that helps you to get your amazing pictures, I'm sure! So, what advice do you have for someone who wants to become a photographer? Do they need any special skills?

**AG:** I actually think the most important thing a photographer needs is curiosity.

You've got to wake up every morning wanting to experience something new, or learn more about something familiar.

It's also important to love being \_\_\_\_\_ and to enjoy seeing things in new ways.

**Host:** That makes sense. Viewers—does that sound like you? Could you be a photographer?

OK, one last question, Annie: what's your favorite photo, and what's the story behind it?

**AG:** My favorite photo is of a man standing on top of Victoria Falls in Zambia. The light is so beautiful, and it brings back memories of an unforgettable day at one of the most amazing places on Earth.

**Host:** That is a beautiful photo—it's one of my favorites, too. Well, that's all the time we have.

Thanks very much for being here today,

Annie. **AG:** No \_\_\_\_\_. Nice talking to you, Ray.