Read the text and fill in gaps A-F with parts of sentences 1-7. There is one extra sentence part. Write your answers in the chart below.

What would happen **A**_____? Of course, the impact on the environment will become very low and the carbon footprint will be near-zero. But what would be our life like?

Without a doubt, nearly every nation on Earth will have a lousy afternoon when the last dregs of fossil fuels run dry. Oil - refined into gasoline - is the main source **B**_____, trucks, and airplanes. Without it, gas gauges will hit E and transportation across the world will stop. In the United States, where nearly 70 percent of electricity is generated by coal and natural gas, entire cities and stretches of the countryside will plunge into a cold, dark night. Internet networks will go down. Air-conditioners **C**_____. Smartphones and HDTV screens will fade to black.

But within this sea of darkness will shine islands of light. Cities that depend on nuclear or water- powered energy will still have power. Here people with electric cars can **D** _____. Nations that have switched to renewable sources of energy solar, wind, and geothermal power (the heat from inside the Earth)-will become the new superpowers.

And the rest of the world will follow. In fact, it's already happening, slowly in the United States and more rapidly in other countries. "After decades of work, the costs of renewable sources of energy are now plunging," says NASA scientist Dennis Bushnell. "Because of those lower costs,

E_____." Germany has plugged into the sun in a big way, receiving half of its electricity from solar power. Denmark is leading the world in wind power. Iceland gets much of its power from the heat of the Earth. Unlike with fossil fuels, these sources of renewable energy don't heat the atmosphere with excess carbon dioxide. The death of fossil fuels **F** _____ .

1 and central heat will shut off
2 does not have an unhappy ending
3 if we ran out of fossil fuels one day
4 do not lower the carbon footprint
5 of fuel for the world's cars
6 plug in their vehicles and still get around
7 we are moving to renewable energy

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