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Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first.

1. Although she was frightened, she forced herself to pick up the snake.

Frightened

2. Although he ate a big lunch, he had a three-course meal in the evening.

In spite

3. We all have received the best of everything because our parents are generous.

Because of

4. In spite of all our warnings, he left camp without taking his rifle.

Although

5. Although the play received good notices, not many people went to see it.

Despite the fact

6. The villagers refuse to leave even though their food supply is threatened.

Despite

7. Despite his ungainly air he is remarkably agile.

Although

8. Although Richard is competent in his work, he doesn't know how to deal with his client.

Competent

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9. While I strongly disapprove of your behaviour, I will help you this time.

Despite my

10. John succeeded in his exam because of his hard and methodical work.

Because

11. We live in the same street, but we hardly ever see each other.

Despite

12. Despite her severe disability Judy participated in many sports.

Although

13. I don't know whether Tom can speak Spanish or hot, but I think he should still visit Madrid.

Even if

14. It's sad, but unemployment is unlikely to go down this year.

Sad

15. In spite of their good game, the team lost.

Despite the fact

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