



Listen to the dialogue. Pay careful attention to the sentence stress patterns used.

John: Anna, who was on the **phone**?

Anna: My old friend **Mary**.

John: **Mary Jones**?

Anna: No. **Mary Hall**.

John: I don't know **Mary Hall**. Where is she **from**?

Anna: She's from **Washington**.

John: **Washington** the **state** or **Washington** the **city**?

Anna: **Washington, D.C.**, our nation's **capital**.

John: Is that where she **lives**?

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Anna: Yes, she still lives in the **white house**.

John: The **White House**? With the **president**?

Anna: No, **silly**. The **white house** on **First Street**.

John: What did she **want**?

Anna: She wants to **come** here.

John: Come **here**? **When**?

Anna: In a **week**. She's bringing her black **bird**, her **collie**, her **snakes**, her . . .

John: **Stop!** She's bringing a **zoo** to **our** house?

Anna: No, John. She's opening a **pet** store here in **town**.