

Read the following stories from your book page 40 and answer the questions

# ACTS OF KINDNESS

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## STORY 1

### LOCKED OUT

Wilma was in her room doing homework when her phone rang with a number she didn't recognize. She was surprised to hear her father's voice. "Hi, sweetie. I just got out of the supermarket and realized that I locked the car keys and my phone in the car. There's an extremely kind teenager here who let me use his phone. He's on his bicycle and is willing to do me a huge favor and ride to our house and back. Will you please give him the spare key by the door when he arrives? His name is Steve and he's a tall, slim 15-year-old." Wilma answered right away, "Sure, Dad, no problem." An hour and a half later, Wilma's father got home successfully. He told Wilma, "I offered Steve some money for his trouble, but he refused. Can you believe it?"



1. Why was Wilma surprised to hear her father's voice?

Because he was calling from

2. What did Wilma's father ask her to do when Steve arrived?

- a. offer him something to drink
- b. give him the spare car key
- c. offer him money for his trouble
- d. give Steve her father's phone

3. Why was Wilma's father surprised by Steve?

- a. He was only 15 years old.
- b. He was very tall.
- c. He refused to take money.
- d. He stole their car keys.

## STORY 2

### SNOW ON THE ROAD

Alon and his parents were on a trip in Europe. Late one evening, they were driving from Belgium to France when it started to snow heavily. Alon heard the stress in his dad's voice, "Since we don't have the right tires for driving in the snow, we won't get anywhere in this storm." Then Alon's dad stopped the car and got out. In desperation\*, he began waving at vehicles to catch people's attention. Finally, a kind Belgian couple stopped to help them. They only spoke French, but they did their best to understand the problem and offer help. Alon's dad moved the car to the side of the road, and then the couple drove them to the nearest hotel.



### Story 2

4. Where were Alon and his parents going?
5. Complete the sentence.

Alon's father had to stop the car because it started ... and he didn't have ... .

6. How did Alon's father try to catch people's attention?
  - a. by shouting at cars
  - b. by waving at cars
  - c. by throwing things at cars
  - d. by turning on his emergency lights
7. Where did the Belgian couple drive Alon and his family?

