Adam: Hi, Mr. Herman! I'm writing a story for school about amazing lives. You're really old, so you must have done a lot of cool things!

Herman: Well, hello there, young man. Haha, yes, I **1.** _____ (live) a long time, and I **2.** _____ (see) many wonders in my life.

Adam: Wow! Have you ever climbed a volcano?

Herman: No, I **3.** _____ (not / go) up a volcano, but I **4.** _____ (swim) in three different oceans. And I **5.** _____ (ride) a camel in Egypt!

Adam: That's so cool! My dad **6.** _____ (not / buy) a camel, but he has a motorcycle. Have you ever crashed one?

Herman: Fortunately, no. I **7.** _____ (not / break) any bones in my life. But I **8.** _____ (fall) off a horse once or twice!

Adam: Did it hurt?

Herman: A little, but I **9.** _____ (forget) the pain by now. You know, I **10.** _____ (meet) presidents and I **11.** _____ (shake) hands with famous musicians.

Adam: Incredible! Have you ever written a famous song?

Herman: No, I **12.** _____ (not / write) any songs. I tried to learn the guitar, but I **13.** _____ (not / find) the time to practice properly. However, I **14.** _____ (hear) the most beautiful operas in Italy.

Adam: Italy? I want to go there! I love pizza.

Herman: Ah, the food is amazing. I **15.** _____ (eat) at some incredible places. But I **16.** _____ (not / speak) Italian since 1985, so I **17.** _____ (lose) most of my vocabulary!

Adam: My teacher says learning languages is important. She **18.** _____ (not / give) us any Italian homework yet, thank goodness. What else have you done?

Herman: Well, I **19.** _____ (build) my own house with my own two hands. And I **20.** _____ (grow) giant pumpkins in my garden. But I **21.** _____ (not / win) any prizes for them yet.

Adam: A house?! That's huge! Have you ever lost your way while traveling?

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Herman: Many times! But I **22.** _____ (not / lose) my sense of adventure. Though, I must admit, I **23.** _____ (not / sleep) in a tent for thirty years. My back prefers a real bed now.

Adam: Yeah, tents are hard. Well, Mr. Herman, you **24.** _____ (tell) me some awesome stories. I **25.** _____ (not / choose) a title for my school project yet, but I think I'll call it "The Legend of Herman."

Herman: *[Laughs]* I am honored, Adam. I'm glad I **26.** _____ (not / keep) all these memories to myself!

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