

Unit 55

1 Read each sentence and write a second sentence from the words given.

Example: Jill didn't have any money.
she/want/Ann/lend her some *She wanted Ann to lend her some.*

- 1 Tom's parents were disappointed when he decided to leave home.
they/want/Tom/stay with them
- 2 Please don't tell anyone that I'm leaving my job.
I/not/want/anybody/know
- 3 There's a football match next Saturday between England and Scotland.
you/want/Scotland/win?
- 4 Unfortunately someone had told Sue that I was going to visit her.
I/want/it/be a surprise

2 Now you have to read a sentence and then write a second sentence with the same meaning. Each time begin in the way shown.

Examples: "Don't touch anything", the man said to me.

The man told *me not to touch anything.*

My father said I could use car.

My father allowed *me to use his car.*

- 1 "Don't forget to post the letter", Jack said to me.
Jack reminded
- 2 She told me that it would be best if I told the police about the accident.
She advised
- 3 I told you that you shouldn't tell him anything.
I warned
- 4 I was surprised that it rained. I didn't expect
- 5 'Would you like to have dinner with me?' Tom said to Ann.
Tom invited
- 6 At first I didn't want to play tennis but John persuaded me.
John persuaded
- 7 The sudden noise caused me to jump. The sudden noise made
- 8 If you've got a car, you are able to travel around more easily.
Having a car enables
- 9 She wouldn't allow me to read the letter.
She wouldn't let

3 Now put the verb in the right form: -ing, to + infinitive, or infinitive without to.

Example: Mr Thomas doesn't allow *smoking* (smoke) in his office.

- 1 Mr Thomas doesn't let anyone (smoke) in his office.
- 2 I don't know Jack but I'd like (meet) him.
- 3 Where would you recommend me (go) for my holidays?
- 4 I don't recommend (eat) in that restaurant. The food's awful.
- 5 The film was very sad. It made me (cry).
- 6 Jack's parents have always encouraged him (study) hard.
- 7 We were kept at the police station for an hour and then allowed (go).
- 8 She advised
- 9 I told you that you shouldn't tell him anything.