

# **Course: Advance**

## **Level 2**

Day №11

# What Are Friends For?



***How many friends do you have?***

***Do you have a best friend?***

**Situation:**

*Kwan and Sang-Gi are good friends. Sang-Gi is always there for Kwan when he needs help. Now, Sang-Gi has a serious problem and Kwan doesn't know what to do. Listen to Kwan's problem.*

My name is Kwan. I'm a university student. I like to spend time by myself, so I really didn't have any close friends for a long time. But one day, I met this guy, Sang-Gi, in the cafeteria and somehow we just hit it off. We got along well and now we're good friends.

He's really a good guy and I enjoy hanging out with him. We do all kinds of stuff together. We go drinking together on weekends. We go to concerts sometimes. We lend books and DVDs to each other. And we talk about girls.

When I have problems, Sang-Gi's really worried about me. And he always gives me good advice. He just naturally helps me when I'm in trouble. One day, my cat escaped from my apartment. I couldn't find her anywhere! Even though I'm sure he was really busy, he came over and helped me look for her. We spent about two hours walking around the neighborhood. Sang-Gi really helps me a lot. When I thank him, he always smiles and says, "Hey, what are friends for?"

These past few days, Sang-Gi has looked really depressed. I've asked him what's wrong but he won't tell me. I keep asking him because I really want to help. Yesterday, he finally said he needed a lot of money, but he won't tell me why. It really seems that if he cannot get the money, probably something horrible will happen to him. I don't know what but something really bad.

Sang-Gi won't say that he needs help from me. But I want to help him. I have some money I have saved from last summer's part time job. I should probably lend it to him. Shouldn't I do that? Or should he tell me why he needs the money first? Am I doing too much? I mean, Sang-Gi's my good friend. I want to help him. And I want to smile and say to him, "Hey, what are friends for?"

1. *How many close friends did Kwan have before he met Sang-Gi?*
2. *What do Kwan and Sang-Gi like to do?*
3. *Why does Sang-Gi need money?*
4. *Why does Kwan want to lend Sang-Gi money?*
5. *Why is Kwan having a hard time deciding what to do?*



*What advice  
would you  
give to  
Kwan?*



Which expressions are not clear to you?

- Hit it off
- Get along (well)
- In trouble
- Escaped
- Came over
- Depressed





# ***What was Sang Gi's Problem?***

## ***What was Kwan's problem?***



*Lending Money to Friends*

## Write the correct phrasal verbs on the blanks.

1. The bills \_\_\_\_\_ \$736.95. That's more than I expected!
2. It's going to be hard to pay the rent now that you've lost your job, but somehow we'll \_\_\_\_\_.
3. I feel really sorry for Sally's family. Her father was \_\_\_\_\_ yesterday.
4. We will be able to raise money if everyone \_\_\_\_\_.
5. I \_\_\_\_\_ gas on the way home from work.
6. I thought I could borrow some money from Joe, but when I asked, he \_\_\_\_\_ me \_\_\_\_\_.
7. I can always \_\_\_\_\_ my mother if I needed help financially.

*count on run out turn down pitch in lay off add up get by*





# Giving Opinions

***Do you agree with Luis? Susan?***

***Yes, I do.***

He's absolutely right. / She's absolutely right.

***No, I don't.***

He's completely wrong about that. / She's totally wrong about that.



***What if you lent money to a friend and your friend did not pay you back on the date that he/she promised?***



***Thank you for  
today!***

***I'm looking forward to  
seeing you again!***