Vocabulary

Match the words on the left with their definitions/synonyms on the right.

to be packed with (2) wary (3) towpath (4) to fix so. up with sth. (6) to get/have a crush on so. (7) to release (8) to be scared (9) to be fed up with sth./so. (11) oddly still (13) to peer around (14) ignition (15) to give so. a lift (16) to deceive (17) to heed (18) to fall in love with so./to be in love with so. to mislead/cheat/betray to look around attentively as if searching for something to offer so. a ride in your car (to bring so. to his/her destination) to let go, to set free unusually quiet vigilant, carefully watching a path beside a canal on which horses walked when they pulled a boat to be full of when a student receives a diploma upon completion of a course/study explosion of the gases in the cylinder (engine) when you start the car to pay attention to, to take notice of to arrange sth. for so. to have enough of sth./so., when you can't take it anymore

Use the above vocabulary to complete the following sentences. Michael stopped the car and shut off the ______ 2. "Could you ______ to the party? I don't have a car and it's too far to walk." 3. When I came home from the party my parents had already gone to bed. The entire house was _____, almost a bit mysterious. I started to imagine that there were ghosts in the house and, suddenly, I ______ really ______ . I walked through all the rooms and corridors and ______ as I was walking. I didn't find any ghosts and corridors and _____ finally went to bed and had a good night's sleep. 4. My dad told me not to drink and drive, but I didn't _____ his advice and caused an accident. 5. I Paul because he always arrives late for class. 6. I've been wanting to go to Australia for years. Now, it seems that my dream will come true. My friend Jack has _____ me ____ with a job in Sydney. _____ night the whole family went out for dinner and my parents were extremely proud of me. I felt happy. 8. Every Saturday night the local bars are ______ young people. 9. On Sunday morning we usually go for a walk along the ______ with the kids. They like watching the boats and ducks on the canal. 10. After two weeks of captivity the 5 hostages have finally been ______ 11. Children are easily ______. They believe everything you tell them. 12. "Have you heard? Sarah _____ Charles! She's crazy about him!" 13. The security men at the concert were ______ because there had been threats before the concert.

Comprehension

Answer these comprehension questions. 1. The hotel is extremely busy for two main reasons. What are they? F Give information about Dillon'sjob: ...past: ...problems: 3. What had marriage meant to Dillon? to Moira? 4. What do we learn about Andrea? 5. When Dillon gets home some things are different than usual. Make a list of the elements of tension/suspense around Dillon's house. Personal comments/notes: