

I **can't wait to see you sail** that boat.
Rachel is **mean** and when her friends
ask her to teach them **how to** sail
she **treats them like dirt**.

You can say that again.

When we **were still dating**
and she took me out on the boat
she **wouldn't** let me help at all,
no matter how much I begged.

I **wanted you to help**, but you
couldn't move your **arms** because you
were wearing three life jackets.

You have to respect the sea. And
FYI, I was only wearing them **so there**
would be more room on the boat.

My father **used to yell at** me
all the time on the boat.

Does a good teacher say, "**Put down** the beer, **moron!**"? -- Does a good student drink seven beers before his first lesson **is over?**

You **knocked** that last one out of my hand! -- I didn't **want you to get hit by** the big pole.

It hit me **anyway!** And it **would've hurt a lot less if I had finished** that beer.

I will **tone it down** and stop yelling. **Although** I don't really **remember yelling** at you **all that much.**

So you won't **boss me around anymore?**
And you'll be **nice from now on?**

You've got to do something **about** Mike. You have to tell him that you **don't** think **the two of you** are **working out**.

I haven't **brought it up** yet but I'm **working up to** it.

The longer you put it **off** the worse he's going to feel.

I'm quite **capable of dealing with** such problems in a sensitive **mature way**.

I was just **settling in** for some pizza when Ron **showed up** with three people **I'd never seen** before.

I didn't know who **these people were** so I asked Ron **about** them, and **it turned out** he didn't know them too well, **either**. Apparently, he **used to** work with a couple of them.

I gave him a **dirty look** to show my **disapproval**, but Ron's **such a moron** I had to **make it clear** I wanted them out **by smacking him** over the head.

Being home alone for the weekend **might be just the thing** for someone in my **state of mind**.

His emails **have been extremely dull**, asking for news about football (**it beats me** why he can't **look up** the facts **on the** internet) and **complaining about** the school food.

Despite all the bad **stuff** that **had** happened, I thought dessert would more than **make up for** it.

I **had** Patti **turn down** the lights as I **carried** the dessert into the dining room. I put the dessert down and **marched** to our bedroom, because **that's where** the guests' coats **were being kept**.

I **rushed over to** Arthur and noticed that something was **sticking** from his mouth. Arthur **had choked to death** on my Beanie Baby. Well, after that, the dinner party just **fell apart**.

I spent two years here **teaching both** kids and **adults** English. That was **in the mid-90s**.

I **had just graduated from college** and I was **wondering** what to do with my life.

I **ran into a girl I knew** one day **at** the mall. We **got to talking** and she told me that she **was going** to Europe and asked me if I **was interested in joining** her.

I said yes **without even thinking** about it. **I mean**, Europe. **What an** interesting place. I thought I **would** never leave the U.S. and now this big chance **came up** and I **wasn't going to miss** it. I didn't **even care which** country I was going to.

I **was going to** spend the rest of my life **worrying** about money and jobs **like most people** do.

I **felt** I needed to get out **for a while** so I **could take** my last **break** from all the **duties** and **payments**.

At that time I had no idea **such a** country **even** existed. I had to **look it up** in the map.

I decided to **read up on** its history and **found out** that it had only become a free country a few years **earlier**.

I figured it might be a good place for me to learn about life.

Mary **was leaving** the **very** next day but she said she **might be able to rent a place** for both of us and then wait **for me to** join her.

I agreed immediately, I was so **excited**. I started **getting organized** and packing my bags **right away**.

It didn't **take** long to make all the **arrangements**. A week **later**, I **arrived in this** small town called Uherske Hradiste.

Mary already had a job **teaching** kids and she loved it. She **knew how to make** the kids love her. They **thought she was** an angel sent from heaven.

Mary was **much better at** teaching than I was.

It **would have been** easy to get a job, **actually**.

I **could have gone** to any school, they were just waiting to **hire** people like me.

No one **cared about** papers, **being** a native speaker was **good enough**.

The problem was, I'm not much of a teacher myself. I have trouble explaining things to people. A teacher needs to know how to explain things.

But **what else** was there **for me to do?**

I **figured** maybe I should **take it easy** at first and **see if** something **comes up**.

They had a great time, fooling around in the water.

It was nearly time for dinner so they **figured they'd better head for** home.

They had been told to be back by noon and they were **sick of** all the water **anyway.**

After cleaning themselves, the girls started walking away **except** Eric **raised** his trunk, **pointed it at** them and **put** water **all over** them again.

Hey, cut it out! You know **you're not supposed to** do that.

They were trying so **hard** to **catch up** that they forgot to look where they **were going.**

Suddenly, Emma's feet **got caught** in a plant, **which made** her **lose** her balance.

Their cry **could be heard** miles **away.**

A friend of mine has got back from Europe and he **called to ask** if **I'd be interested in spending** a couple days **hanging out** with him.

Well, that's **an offer you can't refuse**. **I've never been to** New York but I **would love to** go there one day.

I haven't heard from George **yet**. I'm waiting **for him to** call.

Last time George and I spoke he said this weekend would be **a good time to get together**.

So I suppose **I'll be leaving** tonight.

Are you really going to drive **all the way**? It could be dangerous. A lot of drivers **fall asleep** behind the wheel and **get killed**.

Well, if I don't find anyone **to go** with me, I will be **on my own**.

I will **make a few stops** on the way, I suppose. **That way** I'll **get some rest**.

Don't **worry about** me, I'll be fine.