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lisa **was born** in california but **she and her** family moved to iowa when she **was a kid**. her parents were divorced and she was spending **most of her** time with her mom **while** her dad was traveling. **even so**, she **and** her dad have a great relationship. when he told her that he **was getting remarried**, she was very **happy for** him. she **had met** his future wife and liked her **a lot**.

anyway, after **coming back** to **the** states she stayed in iowa for three **more** years. she met a nice brazilian guy **whom she married** and they moved to sacramento in california. they've **been living** there **for about** two years now. lisa teaches foreigners english and she **actually enjoys** it **although** there are a lot of chinese people **among** her students who **have trouble learning** the grammar and the pronunciation. she's **hoping to** find **a way to** take some time **off so that she can** come back to see her old friends but she's **been too busy** in her job **lately**.