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an adorable tea cozy This morning I told Leonard about my plan to stop buying from catalogs. "_____" he said. **For all** his **griping**, Leonard is certainly **no stranger to** catalog shopping **himself**. **Anyway**, I promised to _____, and I will. Those catalogs are going straight to **the trash from now on!** Well, I guess I'll still **occasionally** _____ a few of **the ones** I really like, _____ there's something I absolutely must have. **For instance**, there's this tea cozy in this one kitchenware catalog that's just **adorable!** It's **shaped like** a little gargoyle who's crouching over the teapot, _____ say, "_____, _____!" Where do they _____ these things? After that, I'm _____, and I _____!

as if to
back off!
be like "..."
be revved up
be riding sb
buddies
buster
come up with st
cool
draw the line
it's about time.
just in case
mean it
skim through st
sleep in
suck
these days
turn over a new leaf

no place to hang out I've been real busy _____. See, I've been **waiting tables** at Barry's Supper Club three nights a week. **At first**, I _____, "_____!" It's **at night** so I can **party** after work and _____." But believe me, it just ain't **that** easy. **By the time** I'm **done** **having** my **jackass** boss _____ me all night, I can't find any of my _____ **around** after work, so I just have to go home and watch HBO. Man, that _____ when you're all _____ and **got no place to go**.