

Fach: English	Thema: Talking about the past		LOS!
Datum:	Name:	Klasse:	Blatt-Nr.:

Put the correct verb into the gap! Don't forget to use the simple past!

agree (2x), arrive (2x), ask, help, invite (2x), live, love, mix, need (2x), open, order, phone, plan, prefer, recommend, remember (2x), seem, start, travel, try, walk, want, wash, watch

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This year I _____¹ my wife's birthday for the first time since we
_____² in London. I _____³ a surprise party and _____⁴
all our friends. I _____⁵ them not to tell my wife about the party, and they all
_____⁶. But my wife _____⁷ surprises, too, and she also
10 _____⁸ to plan a surprise party for her birthday. So she _____⁹
all her friends, - and their husbands, wives and friends.

It **was** a surprise party! It _____¹⁰ at 8 o'clock, and Betty _____¹¹
some cocktails while I _____¹² some bottles of wine. We had a lot of beer, but
15 not so much wine, and it _____¹³ that most of our guests
_____¹⁴ wine. At nine o'clock I could see that we _____¹⁵ more
wine, so I _____¹⁶ our neighbour to ask him if he could help. He
_____¹⁷ a shop in the new shopping centre. He
_____¹⁸ that they had some very good French wines.

20 I _____¹⁹ to the shopping centre. When I _____²⁰ at the shop it
was not open. I _____²¹ to find a taxi, but I couldn't, so I _____
22 to town by bus. One hour later, I _____²³ at a wine shop that was open. I
_____²⁴ what I _____²⁵, and then the shop assistant
25 _____²⁶ me to find a taxi. When I got back home, the party was over.

I _____²⁷ Betty as she _____²⁸ the dishes. I was glad that
she wasn't angry. The next time, we _____²⁹, we would plan our surprise parties
together!

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