

9. A Voice in the Dark

Worksheet

Name:

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A. Use the following words and phrases in sentences of your own:

- a. Indifferent
- b. To my liking
- c. Unfortunately
- d. Unobserved
- e. Taken possession of
- f. Very deliberately
- g. Portion
- h. Interfered
- i. Instead of coming nearer
- j. Darkness being favorable

B. Find the adverb phrases in the following.

Example: Jibran wrote the poem with great feeling. (How did Jibran write the poem? With great feeling.)

- a. The train whistled and pulled out at a slow speed.

- b. Davies was sitting down in an upright position.
- c. People, at last, began to think I was wrong.
- d. The news caused much sensation in the local press.
- e. The luggage was placed in readiness.
- f. The author faced his difficulty with great courage.

C. Replace the italicized phrases with adverbs of similar meaning.

- a. He said, 'Do the work at once.'
- b. The weak bridge collapsed in the end.
- c. The soldiers fought with great courage.
- d. The woman thanked the policeman with all her heart.
- e. Amir looked for his ring in all places.
- f. The patient waited in his room with patience.

D. Imagine that you are a reporter at the station. A man is sitting calmly in the station waiting room with one foot missing. You have to write a news report for the newspaper. What questions will you ask to find out what happened? Whom will you ask? Write down as many questions as you like, but remember they must be important questions. You don't have time to waste! When you have written your questions, take the role of interviewer or interviewee. Make a note of the answers given.