

Noun Clauses

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Advanced English - Sound Grammar

C1 Lesson 3 Conversation 4



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b	Jason's girlfriend	b	They broke up.	b	He knows a secret.
c	Both of them	c	They got engaged.	c	It is not their business.

Part 2: Complete the blanks with the words in the column to the right.

Woman: It's too bad Jason couldn't _____ the trip.	1	was
Man: Maybe he didn't want to be _____ his ex-girlfriend.	2	heard
Woman: What I heard _____ that she asked him not to come.	3	right
Man: Well, he did break up with her, so I don't _____ her.	4	make
Woman: That's not what I _____. I heard she broke up with him.	5	blame
Man: Well, what really _____ is none of our business, I suppose.	6	around
Woman: You are _____, it's still not the same without him.	7	happened
Man: Hey, _____ of the devil. There she is.	8	speak

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