

Dialogue**Pre-reading Questions**

Answer the question before you read the dialogue.

Questions	Answers
1. Look at the picture on page 54. (a) What happened to the man? (b) What is the dog doing? (c) What is there in the picture in the newspaper?	(a) He got hurt. (b) He is trying to save the man. (c) A man is holding a dog in his hand.
2. Look at the pictures on page 55. Where is the man and what may happen to the man?	He is standing in front of some cars/ in the middle of the road. He may be hit by the car.

While Reading Notes

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(Zac and Jamie are volunteering at a senior center.)

Jamie: Hi, Mr. Barr. Zac and I had a good time listening to your war stories last week. Could you tell us more?

Mr. Barr: With pleasure. See my right leg? It was injured during an attack one night. I also lost three toes on my left foot that night.

Zac: How did you get hurt?

Mr. Barr: A plane dropped a bomb, and it landed close by. It blew up, and I almost died.

Jamie: Wow! Who saved you?

Mr. Barr: A puppy. It saw me and began to bark. The sound led other soldiers to me.

Zac: You were saved by a dog!

Mr. Barr: The story was even reported in a newspaper.

Jamie: What a great story!

(The next day, Zac and Jamie couldn't find Mr. Barr at the center.)

Jamie: Excuse me, Ms. Lee. Where's Mr. Barr?

Ms. Lee: He's in the hospital. He was hit by a car yesterday.

Jamie: How did it happen?

Ms. Lee: Mr. Barr suddenly walked into traffic and stood in the middle of the road. The driver couldn't stop the car in time.

Zac: Why did he do that?

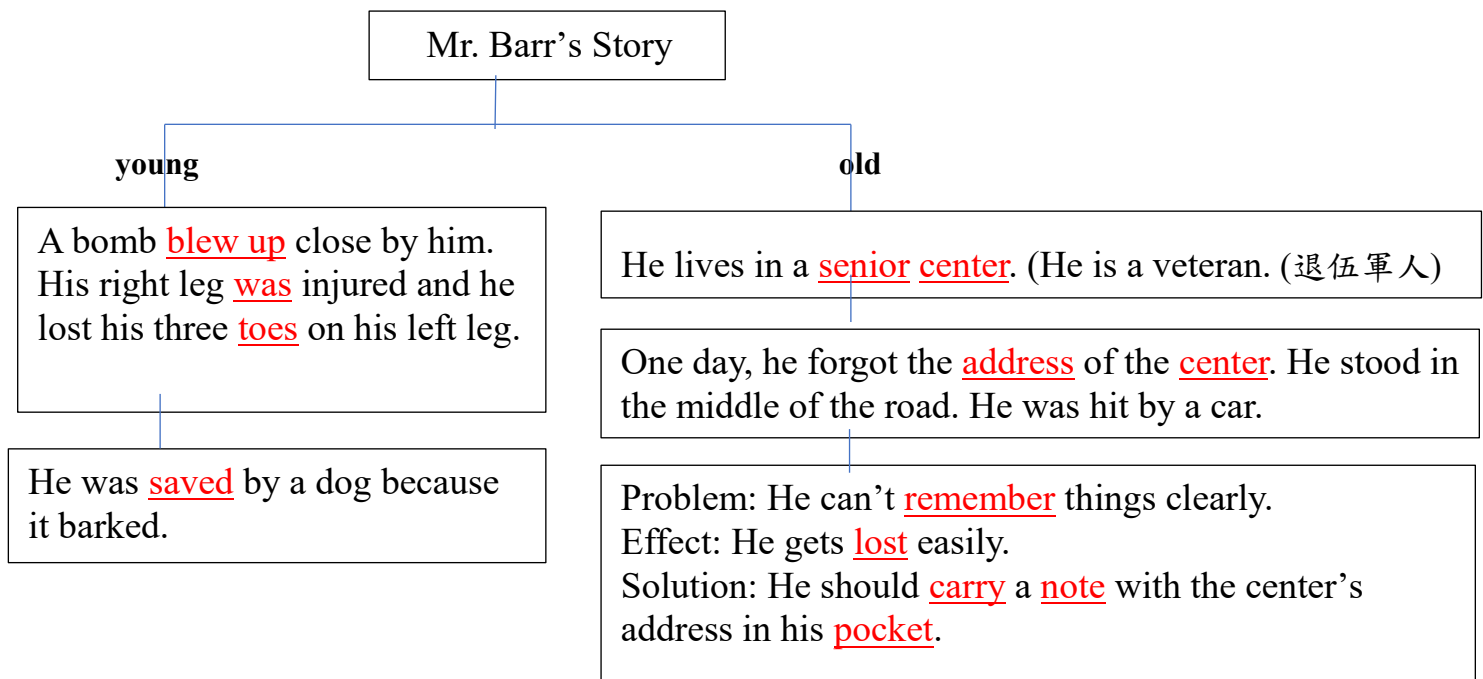
Ms. Lee: I guess he forgot the way to our center and got scared. He has problems remembering things, so he gets lost often.

Zac: I'm worried about him. Maybe he should carry a note with the center's address in his pocket.

Ms. Lee: Good idea. That way, people can help him find his way home.

Jamie: I pray it won't happen again.

(B) Graphic Organizer



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1. What can a volunteer do in a senior center? Write down at least four.	(a) Help clean the seniors' rooms. (b) Cook meals for the seniors. (c) Sing for the seniors. (d) Take the seniors to the hospital.
2. What did Mr. Barr use to be?	He used to be a soldier.
3. What happened to Mr. Barr's leg when a bomb from a plane fell off it?	His right leg was injured and he lost his three toes on his left leg.
4. How was Mr. Barr saved by a puppy?	It barked and the sound led other soldiers to him.
5. What happened to Mr. Barr the next day after Zac and Jamie visit him? How could that happen?	He was hit by a car. He forgot the way to the center and stood in the middle of the road. A car couldn't stop in time.
6. What can Mr. Barr do to help himself?	He can carry a note with the address of the center, so people can help him find his way home.
7. What does "With pleasure" mean?	Be glad to do something./ Do something happily.

Reading

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1. Look at the picture on page 64. How does the man look?	He looks sad. / He looks troubled. / He looks scared.
2. Look at the pictures on page 66. (a) What is the young man doing? (b) What are the old people doing?	(a) He is talking to the old woman. (b) They are planting flowers. 或 They are watching flowers.

While Reading Notes

Fill in the blanks when you are listening to the reading.

Anthony's Problem

Anthony is a 70-year-old man. His life has been filled with strange events lately. To start with, his things are often moved. He found his glasses in a clothes basket, but he remembered putting them on the dining table. Also, strangers keep showing up at his house. Like this morning, he saw a stranger boiling water in his kitchen. She smiled at him and tried to hand him a pack of cookies. Anthony was so scared that he ran to his room, but the stranger kept knocking on his door.

Anthony's experience may sound like a horror movie, but the truth is that Anthony is sick. He forgot that he put his glasses in the clothes basket, and the stranger is actually his wife. In fact, many people above age 65 have the same problem as Anthony does. The brain cells of these people are damaged, so they have trouble remembering things. Some can't even think clearly or take care of themselves.

Sadly, this problem could happen to anyone, and medicine cannot help very much. One day, if this happens to someone in your family, try to understand them and provide them with love and care.

Reading Mind Map

After you read the article, finish the graphic organizer.

Topic	Anthony's Problem
What happened to Anthony's life?	1. He forgot he put his glasses in a <u>clothes basket</u> . 2. A <u>stranger</u> kept moving in his house. The stranger <u>smiled at</u> him, <u>boiled</u> water, and gave him <u>a pack of cookies</u> . → Actually, the stranger is <u>his wife</u> .
What led to Anthony's problems?	Anthony's <u>brain cells</u> are <u>damaged</u> . → He <u>has trouble remembering</u> things clearly. → Maybe one day he can't <u>think clearly</u> . → Maybe one day he can't <u>take care of himself</u> .
What can help Anthony and other people like him?	Many people above 65 have the same problem as Anthony. And this problem can happen to anyone. <u>Medicine</u> can only help them <u>a little</u> . <u>Understand</u> them and provide them <u>love</u> and <u>care</u> .

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1. What strange events happened in Anthony's life? Give three examples.	a. His things are often moved. b. He saw a stranger smiling at him and boiling water. c. The stranger gave him cookies.
2. What really leads to Anthony's problem?	His brain cells are damaged.
3. If your family members or your friends have the same problem as Anthony does, what will you be able to do? Give at least four.	1. Take them to the doctor. 2. Give them love and care. 3. Help them exercise regularly. 4. Don't fight with them. 5. Apply for nursing aides to help them. 6. Make their living places better and more friendly.

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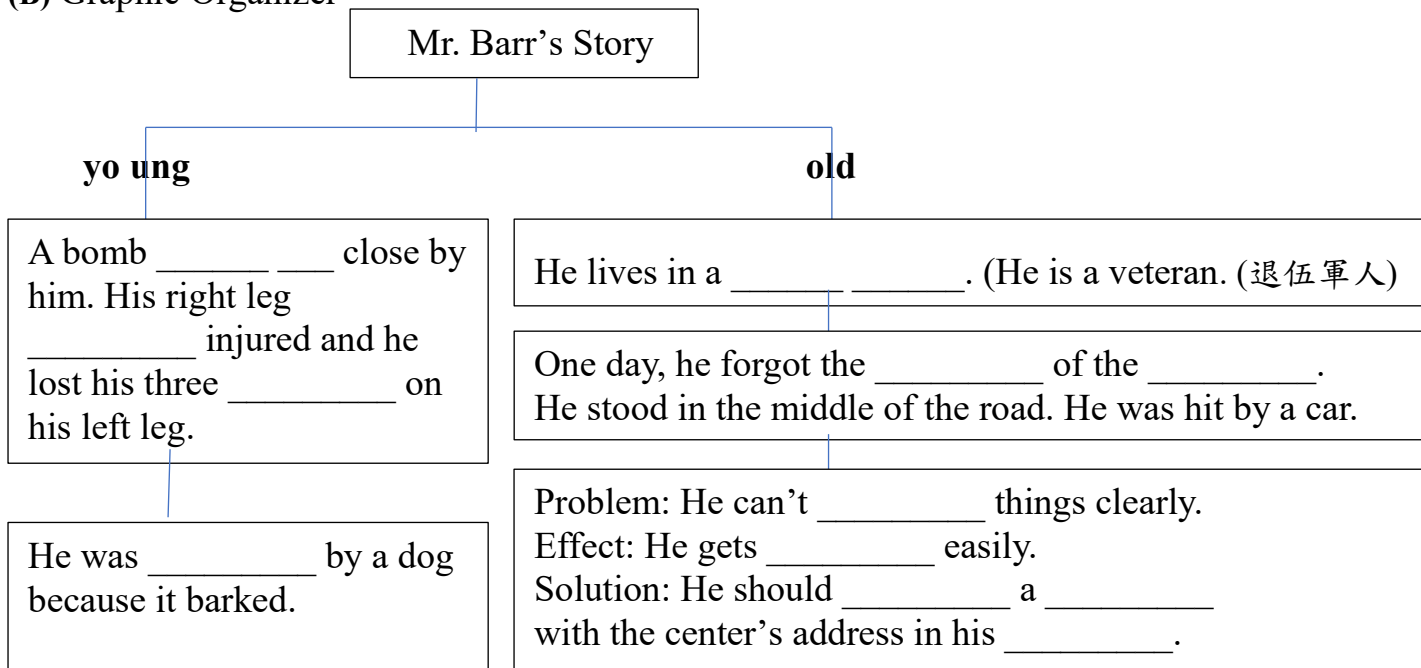
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Anthony's experience may sound like _____, but the truth is that Anthony is _____. He _____ that he put his glasses in the clothes _____, and the _____ is actually his wife. In fact, many people above age 65 have _____ as Anthony does. The _____ of these people _____, so they have trouble _____. Some can't even _____ or _____ themselves.

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What led to Anthony's problems?	Anthony's _____ are _____. → He _____ things clearly. → Maybe one day he can't _____. → Maybe one day he can't _____.
What can help Anthony and other people like him?	Many people above 65 have the same problem as Anthony. And this problem can happen to anyone. _____ can only help them _____. _____ them and provide them _____ and _____.

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