

**Reading 4B**

*I Met You in a Story*

**Heroes**

(Lessons 124–47)

**Vocabulary—Context Sentences**

Friend or Foe  
Lesson 124

1. David wore a muffler around his neck to keep warm.
2. The man tried to conceal his scar by wearing a long-sleeved shirt.
3. The cake batter took the shape of the mold it was poured into.
4. A person must be at least eighteen years old to enlist in the Army.
5. Mom went to the grocery store to replenish our food supply.

## Friend or Foe

### Lesson 125

1. The boy tried to startle his friend by jumping out from behind the bushes.
2. She borrowed clothes under the guise of friendship, but she never returned them.
3. The sentry was guarding the gate to the museum.
4. Someone had to transcribe the strange symbols into words that could be read.

Alone over the Atlantic  
Lesson 126

1. Our plane could not land because the runway was crowded with other planes.
2. An airplane pilot flies a plane from the cockpit.
3. The mechanic fixed our car when it broke down last week.

Alone over the Atlantic  
Lesson 127

1. A pilot uses the instrument panel to help guide the plane on its course.
2. Many people visit the Eiffel Tower, Paris's most famous landmark.

Sulphur Springs Challenge  
Lesson 128

1. The Smith clan met in June for a family picnic.
2. All the relatives were looking forward to the family reunion.
3. The children endured the long car ride to the ocean.
4. We saw destroyed adobe homes in the old Indian ruins.
5. After reading the directions, Mark thought it would be a cinch to put up his tent.

Sulphur Springs Challenge  
Lesson 129

1. The fallen tree branches and huge rocks were dangerous obstacles for the men as they climbed the mountain.
2. We saw a nest of baby birds through the tree boughs.
3. She interlaced a red ribbon with the braid in her hair.
4. Kent's helmet shielded him as he fell off his bike.
5. Allison flailed her arms in the air, trying to get the campfire smoke away from the picnic table.

Mort and the Sour Scheme  
Lesson 131

1. The rotten apples were spoiling.
2. The dog sprinted after the stick that was thrown by its owner.
3. She bounced up and down on the trampoline for exercise.



Mort and the Sour Scheme  
Lesson 132

1. Sharon's brother is stationed at the army base.
2. Mike dodged a ball that was coming toward him.
3. Jenny anxiously waited for her piano recital to begin.

## Champion Stock

### Lesson 133

1. A wild horse or pony is sometimes called a bronc.
2. The cowboy pressed the sharp spurs on his boots against the horse's sides to make it go faster.
3. A sorrel horse is a horse with an orange-brown colored coat.
4. A thoroughbred horse has special breeding from only the very best horses.
5. From the outside of the fence, we watched the horses run and play in the corral together.

Champion Stock  
Lesson 134

1. The ornery horse kicked until his rider fell off.
2. People thought he was loco to jump out of the plane.
3. She tightened the cinch around the horse's belly so the saddle would stay on.

John Wesley: A Fiery Brand  
Lesson 135

1. The rector preached a sermon to his congregation on Sunday.
2. Nathan planned to do many things each day and had no time to be idle.
3. The pastor used a commentary to explain a difficult passage in the Bible.
4. Michelle became converted when she asked Jesus to save her.
5. Jesus' love and forgiveness transformed the man into a new person.

## Skill Lesson: Bible Study

### Lesson 136

1. A Bible scholar is a person who is highly trained in the study of the Bible.
2. My favorite passage of the Bible is the story of Jonah and the great fish.

An Old Testament Hero  
Lesson 138

1. Gramps is a soldier of valour because he risked his life to save others.
2. The soldiers will compass the castle, going around it once.
3. We watched the sun come up at the dawning of the day.

## What Is Black?

### Lesson 139

1. Cindy wondered how the shiny jet-colored stone could have once been a piece of coal.
2. There was a smudgy layer of soot on the fireplace mantle.
3. Her new patent leather shoes were so shiny that she could see herself in them.

The Genuine Spring-Operated, Brass-Handled, Black Umbrella  
Lesson 140

1. Inventors work on gadgets or devices that people can use every day.
2. We stood under the cloth canopy of the hotel entrance to stay dry.
3. Jennie got her bearings and stopped feeling lost when she saw a place she recognized.
4. People born in April sometimes wear a piece of jewelry with a diamond birthstone.
5. The bully who sat behind Sarah kept prodding her with his ruler.



The Genuine Spring-Operated, Brass-Handled, Black Umbrella  
Lesson 141

1. The people fanned out in different directions as they got off the city bus.
2. The revolving doors at the department store entrance went round and round.
3. The grocery clerk yelled indignantly at the boy stealing some apples.

The Omnibus  
Lesson 142

1. The lavish coat was made of velvet and had gold buttons and trim.
2. Grandma's fare for riding the bus was fifty cents.
3. The driver was defiant, refusing to listen to the policeman.
4. The rival racecar drivers tried to beat each other during the entire race.
5. Pedestrians should look for cars before crossing the street.

Danger at Milner School  
Lesson 143

1. In French-speaking countries a policeman is called a gendarme.
2. The prisoner could not escape with the shackle around his ankle.
3. The alarm will sound if an intruder enters the house.

Literature Lesson: Foreshadowing  
Lesson 144

1. A children's author writes stories for young readers.
2. Grandpa's pocket watch was too valuable to sell at the yard sale.
3. The colorful gems in her necklace sparkled in the light.

## Seven at One Blow

### Lesson 145

1. The cherry marmalade looked just like jelly except for the bits of fruit in it.
2. The British use the word pence as plural for penny.
3. The soldier performed a heroic feat when he rescued the princess.
4. It was important to listen to and heed the words of the king.
5. The older brother liked to instigate arguments.

## Who's a Hero?

### Lesson 146

1. The firefighter's heroism in entering the burning house saved the girl's life.
2. The skiers were trapped in the sliding snow of the avalanche.
3. After both of her legs were broken, she needed therapy to learn to walk again.

## Who's a Hero?

### Lesson 147

1. The doctor cautiously checked David's injured arm.
2. The girl was so frightened by the big dog that her voice quavered as she called for help.