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INSTRUCTIONS: Read the texts carefully and then choose the alternative which best completes the following statements.

TEXT 01- QUESTIONS 01 TO 09

Reality Check

Big wheels

Spielberg's List Price

IT'S PROBABLY not too wise to lob an anti-Semitic crack at **Steven Spielberg**. Shortly after Spielberg bought a car for a friend at Santa Monica car dealership, a salesman bragged, "I sold a car to a Jew for full price." Another customer overheard the comment and called Spielberg's Amblin Entertainment, and he immediately canceled the order. The car dealer profusely apologized to Spielberg and asked if there was anything he could do to make it right. Spielberg, however would have nothing to do with it, says a source, and bought another car. But did he get it wholesale?

Esquire, June,1994. p.30

Glossary:

to lob = to throw

crack = a humorous comment

QUESTION 01

The car Spielberg bought was for

- A) a Jewish man.
- B) another person.
- C) his company.
- D) his customer.

QUESTION 02

The salesman in the story was proud of himself because he

- A) had sold a full-priced car to a Jew.
- B) heard a funny joke about Jewish people.
- C) knew that the new car had a problem.
- D) thought Spielberg would love his cars.

QUESTION 03

The car dealer's comment implies that Jewish people

- A) always ask for a discount.
- B) don't usually buy cars.
- C) never buy new cars.
- D) seldom spend money.

QUESTION 04

The salesman did not notice that

- A) another car dealer overheard him.
- B) another customer canceled the order.
- C) somebody in the hall dealt with cars.
- D) someone had heard his remark.

QUESTION 05

The customer telephones Spielberg's office to let him know about

- A) the anti-semitic statement.
- B) the cancellation of the order.
- C) the defects of the car.
- D) the right price for the car.

QUESTION 06

After the incident, the car dealer

- A) sold many more cars.
- B) had no more regrets.
- C) said he was sorry.
- D) went to Spielberg's.

QUESTION 07

Spielberg refused to buy the car

- A) although the car dealer had apologized.
- B) because the car dealer overheard him.

- C) in spite of the full price he had got.
- D) when he knew he could make it right.

QUESTION 08

Spielberg no longer wanted the car because

- A) he had found a cheaper model elsewhere.
- B) his friend liked the car dealer's manners.
- C) the car dealer had been rude about Jews.
- D) the car was too expensive for his friend.

QUESTION 09

The word it in "It's probably not too wise." refers to

- A) to lob an anti-semitic crack at Spielberbg.
- B) to buy a car for a friend in Santa Monica.
- C) to overhear comments and call Spielberg.
- D) to sell a car to a Jew for full price.

TEXT 02 - QUESTIONS 10 TO 16

One Saturday night, during a visit to a fast-food restaurant with my wife and children, I noticed a woman's purse beneath a table in the corner. I gave teh purse to the manager, and moments later an elderly couple returned in a panic to claim it. The gentleman insisted on giving me a ten-dollar reward for my honesty.

In the car on our way home, my four kids began singing, "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." I explained that I had done nothing extraordinary, but I appreciated the song anyway.

"We're not singing about you, Daddy," they responded. "We're singing about the man who gave us ten dolars."

Jack Lyles (Forest, Va.)

QUESTION 10

The man who took his family to the restaurant.

- A) found a purse worth ten dollars.
- B) handed the lost purse to the manager.
- C) offered ten dollars to the waiter.
- D) saw an old woman lose her purse.

QUESTION 11

The narrator found the purse

- A) after the couple came in.
- B) after he entered the place.
- C) just before the couple left.
- D) when the couple returned.

QUESTION 12

The couple were in a panic because

- A) it was time for them to leave the place.
- B) the manager claimed the purse was lost.
- C) the wife had left the purse in the restaurant.
- D) they did not know what had happened.

QUESTION 13

In fact, the children were singing because

- A) the family received a reward for finding the purse.
- B) the lady at the restaurant had praised them a lot.
- C) the restaurant manager had given them a reward.
- D) the waiter at the restaurant was a very kind fellow.

QUESTION 14

The father thought the children were singing because

- A) he had returned the purse.
- B) the restaurant had been fun.
- C) they enjoyed going out.
- D) they usually sang for him.

QUESTION 15

The best title for this text would be

- A) Honesty always pays.
- B) Respect your elders.
- C) Sing for your supper.
- D) Time is money.

QUESTION 16

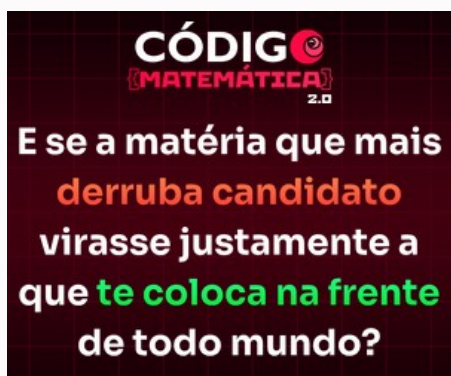
For the children, He in the sentence “For He’s a Jolly Good Fellow” refers to

- A) the father.**
- B) the gentleman.**
- C) the manager.**
- D) the waiter.**

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