

## FUMC ESL 10-5-2016 LEVEL 3 LESSON

**Introductions:** Say your name and country of origin and answer these questions:  
What is your birthday month? What do you enjoy doing on your birthday?

### Discuss in your group:

1. What is the best birthday present you have received since you've been an adult?
2. Do you like to celebrate birthdays in a BIG way, or do you prefer to keep it quiet?
3. Do your friends usually remember your birthday?
4. How do people in your country celebrate birthdays?
5. Would you prefer people give you gifts or give you money?
6. Would you be angry if your spouse forgot your birthday? Has this ever happened?
7. What is the proper etiquette in your country when someone gives you a gift? Open it now, or open it later in private?
8. Do you ever worry about how much money to spend on a gift for someone? Is that amount different in different cultures?

### Noun Clauses beginning with THAT

*I think that he is a good actor.* This is a noun clause serving as the object of the sentence. THAT serves no purpose other than telling us it is a noun clause. In fact, it is OK to leave out THAT. *I think he is a good actor.*

Noun clauses can also serve as the subject of the sentence. *That she doesn't speak English is obvious.* In this case, you cannot drop the THAT.

### Finish these sentences with a noun clause. Read your sentences to the group.

It is my belief that ...

It seems to me that...

It is my impression that...

It is widely believed that...

It is thought that...

It has been said that...

It is a miracle that...

The fact that...

### Choose one of the words from the word box to fit in each sentence.

angry	confident	lucky	relieved
aware	disappointed	proud	worried

1. We are \_\_\_\_\_ that our son graduated first in his class.
2. I am \_\_\_\_\_ that the store owner cheated me.
3. Our teacher is \_\_\_\_\_ that all the students did poorly on the test.
4. I was not \_\_\_\_\_ that today was a holiday.
5. It was \_\_\_\_\_ that we didn't take that flight. It crashed.

6. Lee always wins at ping pong. He is \_\_\_\_\_ that he will win the tournament.
7. We were very \_\_\_\_\_ that the hurricane was heading for us.
8. We were \_\_\_\_\_ when the hurricane turned out to sea.

**WORK WITH A PARTNER**

Use OPD pg 75 to answer these questions.

There are \_\_\_\_\_ ounces in a cup, \_\_\_\_\_ cups in a pint and \_\_\_\_\_ quarts in a gallon.

Tell what these abbreviations mean:

tsp \_\_\_\_\_ tbs \_\_\_\_\_ qt \_\_\_\_\_ pt \_\_\_\_\_ lb \_\_\_\_\_ oz \_\_\_\_\_

**Choose the correct word:**

a bar or a tube of soap	a roll or a ball of toilet paper	a carton or jar of ice cream	a cube or a slice of ice
a jar or a bag of jelly	a piece or a pound of pie	a pack or a kernel of corn	a head or a key of lettuce
a keg or a tank of gas	an ear or a tablespoon of corn	a pad or a stick of paper	a bottle or a ball of perfume

**Pronounce these words:**

fluid    gallon            quart            quarter            pint            ounce            pound  
 equivalent            equal            weigh            measure            convert