**Shopping at Camden Lock Market**

## Watch the video at <https://learnenglish.britishcouncil.org/general-english/word-on-the-street/camden/camden-scene-1> and complete the dialogue

**Stephen**: Here we are in Camden Lock Market. It’s a great place to go and we need to buy a birthday for our Mum. What do you think we should   
 her, Ash?

**Ashlie**: Well our Mum loves nice and costume jewellery. So - I’m sure we’ll find here.

**Stephen**: It's here, Ash. I’ll tell you what, **let’s split up (ας χωριστούμε)**, see what we can find and I’ll meet you back here in hour.

**Ashlie**: OK, I’ll see you back here in an , then.

**Stephen**: Oh, Ash – can you me 50 **quid**? **(λίρες Αγγλίας – στην καθομιλουμένη)**

**Ashlie**: 50 quid, eh?

**Stephen**: Don’t , you’ll get it back!

**Ashlie**: That should do it.

**Stephen**: Thank you.

**Ashlie**: OK, I’ll see you back here .

**Stephen**: See you!

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**Stephen**: Wow, look at these! I’ve never one of these . How much are these?

**Shopkeeper**: Five each.

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**Ashlie**: Excuse me. Do you have this in another ?

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**Stephen**: Hiya – how’s it going?

**Shopkeeper**: Hi, very well. How are you?

**Stephen**: Good, thanks.

**Stephen**: I like these, how are they?

**Shopkeeper**: Er, the leaf lights – they are £ .

**Stephen**: Hmm, I’m not sure she’ll them. Can you help me? I’m looking for a present for my mum. Any ideas?

**Shopkeeper**: What of thing does she like?

**Stephen**: Well, she’s quite stylish – , I .

**Shopkeeper**: Well, the yin yang’s really . What do you think of that?

**Stephen**: Hmm. What about that one over there?

**Shopkeeper**: Ah, the ball – lovely – it’s fifty .

**Stephen**: Oh.

**Shopkeeper**: How about... forty, seeing as it’s your mother’s birthday?

**Stephen**: Twenty?

**Shopkeeper**: Twenty? That’s really . How about I meet you halfway – twenty-five?

**Stephen**: Great, thanks mate. My Mum’s going to love this.

**Shopkeeper**: You’re .

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**Ashlie**: Aah - **I'm running out of …(δεν έχω άλλο χρόνο)**

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**Ashlie**: Excuse me, how much is this?

**Shopkeeper**: Er, that’s .

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**Stephen**: So? How did you get on?

**Ashlie**: Pretty good, I . I bought this fantastic holder. It was a little bit , but I think Mum will love it. In fact I bought one for myself!

**Stephen**: Yeah… great – and look what I !

**Ashlie**: Well, that is just crazy – how did we end up buying the same candle in this huge ??!

**Stephen**: I’ll tell you what we’ll do. You take this one. You said you almost bought one for yourself - and you lent me , right?

**Ashlie**: Right.

**Stephen**: So you take this one, I’ll get and **we’ll call it quits (και πατσίζουμε)** ! Come on – it’s time to get something to eat. Lunch is on me, remember. Come on!

## Now answer the questions

## Activity 1 - Watch the video. Choose the best answer to these questions.

1. What did Stephen and Ashlie buy for their mum?
   1. a lamp
   2. a drum
   3. a candle holder
2. Stephen and Ashlie bought the same present. Who paid more for it?
   1. Stephen
   2. Ashlie

## Activity 2 - Put the sentences into the correct order

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| Well, she’s quite stylish – modern, I suppose |  |
| Er, the leaf lights – they are £21.95 |  |
| Hmm, I’m not sure she’ll like them. Can you help me? I’m looking for a birthday present for my mum. Any ideas |  |
| I like these. How much are they? |  |
| Well, the yin yang’s really modern. What do you think of that? |  |
| Hmm. What about that one over there? |  |
| What type of thing does she like? |  |
| Ah, the ball lights – lovely – it’s fifty pounds |  |

## Activity 3 - Points to think about (to discuss on Monday 25th May)

* Do you ever shop in markets in your country? What do you buy there?
* How similar or different are the markets in your country?
* Look up **Camden Lock Marker** on the Internet, find information and send me a Word document with photos and a few words about it! Please, try to use simple words and phrases! You can share next week with your classmates!