A Box in the Attic (A2 · English A2)

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Emma: Dad, can I go upstairs and look in the old room?

David: Yes, but be careful. There are many boxes on the floor up there.

Emma: I want to find something for my school project about our town.

David: What sort of thing do you need? Photos? Old newspapers?

Emma: Photos would be perfect. My teacher wants pictures from fifty years ago.

David: Then look in the big brown box. I think Grandma put her photos there.

Emma: Okay. Can I use your torch? The light in that room is broken.

David: Of course. It is in the kitchen drawer, next to the keys.

Emma: Thanks! I will call you if the box is too heavy for me.

David: Good. Do not stand on the old chair, please. It is not safe.

Emma: Dad! Come quickly! I found a whole variety of old things in here.

David: What is in the box? Show me.

Emma: There are photos, letters, two small flags and an old football shirt.

David: That shirt was mine! I played for a team called Green Park United.

Emma: Really? You never told me that. Were you a good player?

David: Not very good, but our team was strong because we were friends.

Emma: This photo is great. Everybody is laughing and holding a cup.

David: We won that cup in 1998. It was the best day of my year.

Emma: Unfortunately the photo is a bit dark, but I can still see your face.

David: I was young then! Take it to school if you want.

Emma: Are you sure ? It is very old. I do not want to lose it.

David: I am sure. Put it in a plastic folder and it will be fine.

Emma: Thank you, Dad. My teacher will love this photo.

David: Suddenly the door closed behind me and gave us both a big shock.

Emma: It was only the wind, Dad. Let's take the box down to the kitchen.

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