

## HOW HAVE YOU CHANGED YOUR LIFE?

### AudioScript

#### B

Listen to these callers. What has changed in their lives? Check the topics.

#### Tracy

*Phil:* Welcome to *Speak to Me*. I'm Phil Nelson. I've asked my listeners to call in and tell me what changes they've experienced lately. Caller number one, you're on the air. Tell me, how have you changed?

*Tracy:* Hi. I'm Tracy, and I got married a few years ago, so I'm much busier! Marriage and children really changed my life. I still work and I have two small children. I just don't have time to do all of the things I did before I was married. You know, like meeting friends, going to movies and parties, and that sort of thing. But now I want to start to spend more time with my friends, like I did before the kids were born.

#### Anton

*Phil:* Now here's Anton.

*Anton:* Hi, Phil. I play a lot of tennis now. The doctor said I needed more exercise, so that's when I started playing. I've lost about 10 kilos, and I feel much, much better. I hope I look better, too. And I stopped smoking a couple of years ago. It was really difficult, but I'm so glad I did! I never had much energy before, and I felt tired all the time, but now I feel really good. I should change my diet, though.

#### Sandra

*Phil:* And Sandra's our last caller. How are things for you these days?

*Sandra:* Things are going pretty well for me now. Let's see, I left my hometown, and that was the change I needed. I moved to a much bigger city, and I got a job with a small software company. They really like my work, and now they send me all over the world to talk about our products. Last month, I got promoted, and now ten people work for me. My long-term goal is to start my own company, but that won't be for a few more years.

#### C

Listen again. Complete the chart.

### Answers

#### A

*Answers will vary.*

#### B

Tracy: lifestyle

Anton: health

Sandra: career

#### C

Tracy: she got married and had children; she wants to spend more time with her friends

Anton: the doctor said he needed more exercise; he wants to change his diet

Sandra: she left her hometown; she wants to start her own company

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**A PAIR WORK** People are calling a radio talk show to answer the question “How have you changed your life?” What do you think the callers are saying?



**B** Listen to these callers. What has changed in their lives? Check (✓) the topics.

**Tracy**

- appearance
- skills
- lifestyle

**Anton**

- career
- interests
- health

**Sandra**

- education
- career
- interests

**C** Listen again. Complete the chart.

	What caused the change?	What does he or she want to do next?
Tracy		
Anton		
Sandra		

**D PAIR WORK** Look at the topics in part B. Do you want to change any of these things in your life? Tell your partner.