

# A Story with Dialogue

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Two characters who want different things, in one scene. Let the argument do the work — you should not have to explain what either of them feels.

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| Who they are        |  |
| Where and when      |  |
| What each one wants |  |
| What is said first  |  |
| How it ends         |  |

Start a new line every time the speaker changes. "Said" is a better word than most alternatives — readers stop seeing it.

Now write your draft.