

FAMILY AND RELATIONS

FOCUS ON VOCABULARY

2. Fill in each blank with one word from the list below, put it into the correct form. Then retell the text.

a widower, a bride, wedding, bridegroom, to marry, time, healthy, to have,
to be divorced, a widow, husbands, wife, to be married, to enjoy, to be engaged,
fiancé, old

Dolores Valentine knows all about love. She is 65 years old and (1) ... six times. The first time she was (2) ..., her (3) ... day was on her seventeenth birthday. The last time she got married, she was 62. Her (4) ... that day was 75 and he died two weeks later.

Dolores Valentine has been married six (5) ... but the remarkable thing is that she never (6) All six of her (7) ... died while they were married to her. Six times she has been a loving wife and six times she has been left.

Now she is (8) ... again and is going (9) ... a man much younger than herself. Her (10) ... a thirty-nine-year-old farmer – strong and (11) This time Dolores feels pretty sure that she is going to be the one to die first and leave her husband a (12) But Dolores isn't worried. Until then, she is going (13) ... a good time and (14) ... fife, because Dolores knows that you are only as (15) ... as you feel.

(1)		(6)		(11)	
(2)		(7)		(12)	
(3)		(8)		(13)	
(4)		(9)		(14)	
(5)		(10)		(15)	