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## Double Negatives

**Double negatives** are using two negatives in a phrase or sentence. When we use negative words such as no, nobody and nothing in a sentence, we don't generally use a negative verb. Otherwise, the sentence would be considered faulty.

Complete each sentence with an appropriate word to avoid the double negative.

- 1) Won't you share \_\_\_\_\_ food with me?
  - a) no
  - b) any
- 2) Kevin never told \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) anybody
  - b) nobody
- 3) There \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) are
  - b) aren't
- 4) Didn't you buy me \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) anything
  - b) nothing
- 5) Lisa \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) isn't
  - b) is
- 6) When he entered h \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) anyone
  - b) no one
- 7) No treaty \_\_\_\_\_ signed between the nations yet.
  - a) hasn't been
  - b) has been
- 8) Mathew hardly \_\_\_\_\_ time to play.
  - a) finds
  - b) doesn't find

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