

I want you to . . . I told you to . . .

A

I want you to



The woman **wants to leave**.

The man **doesn't want** the woman to leave.
He **wants her to stay**.

We say:

I want	you somebody Sarah	to do something
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- I **want you to be** happy. (*not* I want that you are happy)
- They didn't **want anybody to know** their secret.
- Do you **want me to lend** you some money?

We use **would like** in the same way:

- **Would you like me to lend** you some money?

B

We also use this structure (*verb + somebody + to . . .*) with:

	<i>verb</i>	+	<i>somebody</i>	+	<i>to . . .</i>	
ask	Sue asked		a friend		to lend	her some money.
tell	I told		you		to be	careful.
advise	What do you advise		me		to do?	
expect	I didn't expect		them		to be	here.
persuade	We persuaded		Gary		to come	with us.
teach	I am teaching		my brother		to swim.	

C

I told you to . . . / I told you not to . . .



Jane



Me

→ Jane **told me to wait** for her.



Paul



Sue

→ Paul **told Sue not to wait** for him.

D

make and let

After **make** and **let**, we do *not* use **to**:

- He's very funny. He **makes me laugh**. (*not* makes me to laugh)
- At school our teacher **made us work** very hard.
- Sue **let me use** her computer because mine wasn't working. (*not* let me to use)

You can say **Let's . . .** (= **Let us**) when you want people to do things with you:

- Come on! **Let's dance**.
- "Do you want to go out tonight?" "No, I'm tired. **Let's stay** home."

54.1 Write sentences beginning *I want you ... / I don't want you ... / Do you want me ... ?*

- (you have to come with me) *I want you to come with me.* _____
- (listen carefully) I want _____
- (please don't be angry) I don't _____
- (should I wait for you?) Do you _____
- (don't call me tonight) _____
- (you should meet Sarah) _____

54.2 Look at the pictures and complete the sentences.

<p>1. Come on! Let's go to the movies! It's a good movie.</p> <p>Dan: Um ... er ... OK.</p>	<p>2. Where's the station?</p> <p>Turn left after the bridge.</p>	<p>3. I'm sick.</p> <p>Brian: You should go to the doctor.</p>	<p>4. Can you help me?</p> <p>Linda</p>
<p>5. I'm busy now. Come back in 10 minutes.</p> <p>Tom</p>	<p>6. Can I use your phone?</p> <p>Of course.</p> <p>Paul</p>	<p>7. Don't call before 8:00.</p> <p>Sue</p>	<p>8. Do you play the piano?</p> <p>Yes, my mother taught me.</p> <p>Ann</p>

- Dan persuaded *me to go to the movies.* _____
- I wanted to get to the station. A woman told _____
- Brian was sick. I advised _____
- Linda had a lot of luggage. She asked _____
- I was too busy to talk to Tom. I told _____
- I wanted to make a phone call. Paul let _____
- Sue is going to call me later. I told _____
- Ann's mother taught _____

54.3 Complete these sentences with the verbs in the list. Sometimes *to* is necessary (*to go / to wait, etc.*); sometimes *to* is not necessary (*go/wait, etc.*).

arrive borrow get go ~~leave~~ make repeat tell think wait

- Please stay here. I don't want you *to leave* yet.
- I didn't hear what she said, so I asked her _____ it.
- "Should we begin?" "No, let's _____ a few minutes."
- Are they already here? I expected them _____ much later.
- Kevin's parents didn't want him _____ married.
- I want to stay here. You can't make me _____ with you.
- "Is that your bicycle?" "No, it's John's. He let me _____ it."
- Rachel can't come to the party. She told me _____ you.
- Would you like something to drink? Would you like me _____ some coffee?
- "Kate doesn't like me." "What makes you _____ that?"