Detective Mel

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Yesterday at three o'clock in the afternoon, Susan went out from the Rose Restaurant after finishing her afternoon tea. Suddenly, a middle-aged man took away Susan's mobile phone and rushed to the street. Susan was shocked and frightened.

Susan went back to the restaurant. She borrowed the telephone to call the police from a waitress. The waitress who comforted Susan wore a cap with a flower on it and she was in the uniform of the restaurant. After Susan called the police, she sat down, drank a cup of coffee and waited for the detective.

Ten minutes later, the detective came. She wore a hat and a suit. She held a suitcase and a magnifier. The detective asked, 'Hi! I am Detective Mel. What can I help?' Susan was delighted when she saw her. Susan was describing the thief while Detective Mel was taking notes on her notebook. Susan said, 'The thief who took away my phone was in the jeans and the sandals. He wore sunglasses. Oh! I remember he was short and he had short hair. He was a middle-aged man.' 'Thank you,' replied Detective Mel.

When Susan and Detective Mel arrived at the police station, there were three men standing near the wall. They were almost the same! Susan asked, 'Why are they here?' 'After you described the man, I called other colleagues to catch them.' Susan was confused because she didn't know which one was the thief. 'I cannot identify the thief!' Susan said. Detective Mel answered, 'No worries. I have an idea.' Then, Detective Mel pointed at the second man and shouted, 'Don't you think that I don't know you are the thief? Ha! Ha!' The man was nervous.

At the end, the thief was caught. Susan asked Detective Mel, 'How do you know he is the thief?' 'Ha! It's easy. As what you said, he was a middle-aged man. Look at them. One is old and one is a teenager. Only one is middle-aged. So I know that he is the thief!' Detective Mel replied. Susan was excited to get back her phone. 'You are so clever! Thank you for helping me!' said Susan.