# English on the air II إنجليزي عَ الهوا

# Comprehension 4

### Today's Reading:

• Matthew 6: 27-34: Has anyone by fussing in front of the mirror ever gotten taller by so much as an inch? All this time and money wasted on fashion - do you think it makes that much difference? Instead of looking at the fashions, walk out into the fields and look at the wildflowers. They never primp or shop, but have you ever seen color and design quite like it? The ten bestdressed men and women in the country look shabby alongside them. If God gives such attention to the appearance of wildflowers—most of which are never even seen—don't you think he'll attend to you, take pride in you, do his best for you?

## Today's Reading:

• Matthew 6: 27-34: What I'm trying to do here is to get you to relax, to not be so preoccupied with getting, so you can respond to God's giving. People who don't know God and the way he works fuss over these things, but you know both God and how he works. Steep your life in God-reality, God-initiative, God-provisions. Don't worry about missing out. You'll find all your everyday human concerns will be met. Give your entire attention to what God is doing right now, and don't get worked up about what may or may not happen tomorrow. God will help you deal with whatever hard things come up when the time comes.

# Vocabulary مفردات ومعاني

# Shopping for clothes التسوق لشراء الثياب

#### Finding the right size:

- Could I try this on?Could I try these on?Could I try these shoes on?
- Do you want to try it on?Do you want to try them on?
- What size are you? What size do you take?
- I take a size ...Do you have this in a size ...?Do you have these in a size ...?
- Do you have a fitting room? Where's the fitting room?

#### Finding the right size:

- Have you got this in a smaller size? Have you got this in a larger size?
- Is that a good fit?
- It's much too smallIt's a little too smallIt's a little too bigIt's much too big
- It's just right They're just right
- It doesn't fit They don't fit

#### Making a choice:

- How do they feel?

  Do they feel comfortable?
- It suits you.
  They suit you.
- Is this the only color you've got?
- What do you think of these?
- I like them.
  - I don't like them.
  - I don't like the color.
- I'll take it.
  - I'll take them.
  - I'll take this.

# Grammar القواعد

### **Pronouns**

- A pronoun is a word that is used instead of a noun. She like to play with them.
- Types of Pronouns: personal pronouns, demonstrative pronouns, interrogative pronouns, **possessive pronouns, relative pronouns**, reflexive pronouns, intensive pronouns, reciprocal pronouns and indefinite pronouns.

### **Pronouns**

- "Possessive" means "showing ownership."
- **Possessive pronouns** indicate that something belongs to somebody/something. The possessive pronouns are: *my, your, his, her, its, our, their, mine, yours, his, hers, ours, theirs.*
- I've lost my wallet.

  He married his girlfriend.

  Is that cat yours?

  My car is slow. Hers is much faster.

### **Pronouns**

- "Relative" means "connected with something."
- Relative pronouns are pronouns that link different parts of a sentence.
- The relative pronouns are: who, whom, which, that, whoever, etc.
- The girl who called yesterday came to see you. The teacher whom you wrote has answered your questions.
  - She lives in Kiev, which is the capital city of Ukraine. I really liked the book that you gave me.

# **Idioms:**

Idiom	Meaning
A hand-me-down	- A piece of clothing that is given to someone after another person does not need it.  My father wore many hand-me-down clothes when he was a child.
Hot under the collar	- To be very angry.  Our boss is hot under the collar today because three of the staff came late.

# **Idioms:**

Idiom	Meaning
Lose one`s shirt	- To lose all or most of one`s money.  The man lost his shirt gambling and now he is in serious financial difficulty.
Keep one`s shirt on	- To keep from losing one's temper or from getting excited, to be calm or patient.  "Keep your shirt on. You shouldn't get so excited about such a small problem."