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Sentence Structure Challenge #2

Objective: Write a 10-sentence scene that follows a specific sentence structure pattern.
The scene should flow naturally, even though each sentence follows a rule.



**Prompt: Your character finds a note floating in the water.
It reads: "The shark remembers."**



Sentence 1 – Startling or Mysterious Statement:

Begin with a sentence that grabs attention or hints at something strange.

Example: It shouldn't have been there.

Sentence 2 – Start with a Prepositional Phrase:

Begin with a phrase like "Under the boat," "Near the reef," "Beyond the breakers."

Example: Near the kelp forest, shadows twisted in silence.



Sentence 3 – Sentence Fragment (Intentional):

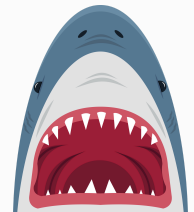
A dramatic or descriptive fragment.

Example: No bubbles. No sound. Just fear.



Sentence 4 – Complex Sentence with "if" or "when":

Example: If she stayed still, maybe it would pass her by.



Sentence 5 – Compound Sentence:

Two independent clauses joined by a coordinating conjunction.

Example: She kicked toward the surface, and something large stirred below.

Sentence 6 – Dialogue (Start with a Whisper or Command):

Example: "Keep swimming," she whispered to herself.



Sentence 7 – Simile or Metaphor:

Example: It moved like a memory carved in muscle and teeth.

Sentence 8 – Rhetorical Question:

Example: How do you escape what already knows you?

Sentence 9 – List Sentence with Parallel Structure:

Include three or more actions, thoughts, or items.

Example: She dropped the note, kicked harder, and didn't look back.



Sentence 10 – Twist or Reveal:

End with a revelation, change, or unsettling image.

Example: But when she reached the boat, the note was there—dry and waiting.

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