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Have you heard the story about four people named Everybody, Somebody, Anybody, and Nobody?

There was an important job to be done, and Everybody was sure that Somebody would do it. Anybody could have done it, but Nobody did it. Somebody got angry about that because it was Everybody's job. Everybody thought Anybody could do it, but Nobody realized that Everybody wouldn't do it. It ended up that Everybody blamed Somebody when Nobody did what Anybody could have.

Think of an experience like the story above that you have regrets about because things didn't go well. Although you can't go back in time and change the facts, you wish you could.

Reflect, or think back on, that regrettable experience. Compose, or write, two paragraphs.

- Describe the facts or evidence.
 - Identify the resulting problem or pain.
 - Explain why you did what you did.
- Express feelings, or an opinion, of regret.
 - Explain what you should not have done.
 - Explain what you should have done differently.

Use the space provided below to help you create your two paragraphs.