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UNIT 53

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

I want you to...

Please don't go.

I'm going.



UNIT 53

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

I want you to...

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.)



UNIT 53

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

We also use this structure with...

verb + somebody + to...

ask
tell
advise
expect
persuade
teach

Sue	asked	a friend	to lend	her some money.
I	told	you	to be	careful.
What do you	advise	me	to do?	
I didn't	expect	them	to be	here.
We	persuaded	Gary	to come	with us.
I	am teaching	my brother	to swim.	



UNIT 53

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

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

Wait for me.



Jane



Me

Jane **told** me **to wait** for her.



UNIT 53

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

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

Don't wait for me.



Paul



Sue

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





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Exercises 53.1

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

1

You must come with me.

____.



Exercises 53.1

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

2

Listen carefully.

I want _____.



Exercises 53.1

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

3

Please don't be angry.

I don't _____.



Exercises 53.1

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

4

Shall I wait for you?

Do you

_____.





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