



Did you ever donate money or time to a charity?

I go through cycles. Sometimes I try to donate money in every worthy cause I come across, but later I realize that my little contributions are too small to make any difference. So I become more selective and give more money to just a few charities. Then I worry that they may not be genuinely interested in solving the problem, but only in making money illegitimately. This forces me to stop giving altogether. Again I feel guilty and it make me start to indiscriminate donatons all over again.

Vocabulary:

Donate : present (sth) as a gift to a fund or cause

Charity : an institution or a fund established to help the needy

Go through : perform a series of actions

Cause : an idea or a goal to which (sb) is dedicated

Come across : meet or find (sb) or (sth) by chance

Selective : choosy

Genuinely : honestly or sincerely

Illegitimate : improper

Share it!

Answer these questions:

1. Did you ever eat a dog meat?
2. Did you ever drink too much?
3. Did you ever have a blind date?
4. Did you ever do something heroic?
5. Did you ever donate your blood?
6. Did you ever criticize somebody?
7. Did you ever say goodbye to a sweetheart?
8. Did you ever try to stop smoking and drinking?
9. Did you ever cheat on a test?
10. Did you ever go abroad to work?