

## Cross-country Skiing

Gennadiy Gelzayd and Stella Rasporskaya

**Stella:** It's sunny today. The weather is beautiful. Let's go skiing.

**Gennadiy:** That's a good idea. Skiing is the best way for me to relax.

**Stella:** Great. It is for me, too.

**Gennadiy:** Don't forget to take some food and a hot drink along.

**Stella:** I won't. I'll be ready in a few minutes.

**Gennadiy:** Good.

*(One hour later)*

**Stella:** Look how nice the snow is today.

**Gennadiy:** I love cross-country skiing.

**Stella:** Stop talking, Gennadiy. Let me listen to the sounds of the forest.

I love to hear the birds sing.

**Gennadiy:** I do too, but we have to stop to eat. I'm so hungry! We used up a lot of energy skiing.

**Stella:** Did you enjoy yourself today?

**Gennadiy:** Of course! I'm in a good mood now. Stella, that was a great idea you had.

**Stella:** And I'm glad you came along.

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