TITLE: HOW TO COMMUNICATE: ENDING A RELATIONSHIP, WHAT IF #2

00:00 [ALEX walks into the living room where MIRIRAI is looking over a paper.]

00:01 **ALEX**: Bad news?

00:03 **MIRIRAI**: (pauses, then answers with resolve). It's the contract for renewing our lease on the apartment and I wanted to…

00:06 **ALEX**: (interrupts and reaches for the paper) Oh! Yeah! It's that time I guess. Do you want me to sign somewhere?

00:09 **MIRIRAI**: Alex. I need to talk with you. It’s important and it's going to take a while. Do you have to be anywhere? Is now a good time to chat?

00:15 **ALEX**: (breezily.) Yeah. Now's good. What's up? (sits down)

00:18 **MIRIRAI**: I just want to talk about what to do about the apartment.

00:21 **ALEX**: (sensing this is serious, stops to talk) Okay. What about it?

00:25 **MIRIRAI**: Alex, I'm going to look for another place to live. I mean, on my own. I just don’t feel that there’s a solid connection between us anymore. Not like there was when we first moved in here together. I think we’re going…

00:38 **ALEX**: (interrupts, angry) So that's it, huh? Fine! You want to move out? Then move out. This is all your fault anyway. You never really gave us chance, you know that? Good luck finding someone else. You're impossible to live with!