

Exercise 4. Join the parts of the sentences and pay attention to the verbs, which have the structure verb + object + preposition + -ing.

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| 1. I congratulated | Ann ... | a) of telling lies. |
| 2. We stopped | everyone.. | b) of being a spy. |
| 3. Please forgive | me ... | c) on passing the exam. |
| 4. They accused | me ... | d) from coming to the wedding. |
| 5. Did they suspect | the man... | e) from leaving the building. |
| 6. What prevented | him ... | f) for being so helpful. |
| 7. I thanked | her... | g) for not writing to you. |
| 8. They warned | us ... | h) against buying the car. |