## COMMON WORKSHEET

## **G**RAMMAR

**ERRORS** 

In each sentence below, one of the underlined portions contains an error. Fix each sentence using your knowledge of subjects, verbs, and pronouns.

## SUBJECT-VERB AGREEMENT

- 1. The best <u>dish</u> on the menu is Tiramisu, a <u>dessert</u> comprised <u>mainly of mascarpone</u> cheese and ladyfingers, that <u>translate</u> from Italian as "pick me up."
- 2. Thousands of scrolls and fragments of ancient manuscripts <u>has been</u> found in caves on <u>the shore</u> of the Dead Sea, <u>including</u> early copies of biblical <u>books</u> in Hebrew and Aramaic.
- 3. Although it had <u>its</u> beginnings in Buddhism, <u>mindful</u> meditation is practiced around the world by people of many religions, and <u>are shown</u> to be effective for not only stress reduction, <u>but for</u> healing purposes as well.

## PRONOUN AGREEMENT

- 4. To make cucumber salad, you <u>will need to</u> slice a peeled cucumber as <u>finely</u> as you can, and then <u>macerate them</u> in sugar, vinegar, salt, and chopped dill.
- 5. "Eat, drink, and be merry," is a label <u>associated</u> with Greek philosopher Epicurus, <u>but</u> like most catchy slogans, <u>they simplify</u> what is <u>actually</u> a rich and complex message.
- 6. The physical and psychological <u>unrest</u> of the working class <u>was explored</u> often in the plays of Arthur Miller, for <u>who</u> the subject of the American Dream, and <u>its achievability</u> for ordinary Americans, never got stale.
- 7. If one is looking to <u>buy</u> a used car, <u>you</u> should check the <u>classified</u> section of the local paper, where many sellers advertise.

8.	Many birdwatchers, or birders as they prefer to be <u>called</u> , keep journals called life lists, <u>in which</u> they
	formally note birds they have seen and identified, typically beginning with the feathered creatures
	observed in <u>one's</u> own backyard.