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Marco: Hello.

Claudia: **Hey**, Marco? It's Claudia. **Got a minute?**

Marco: Sure. **What's up?**

Claudia: I'm just wondering **what's going on with** you and Beth. Are you guys still **going out?**

Marco: We went out for a while, but we never **got serious**. **Why all the questions?** Are you interested in Beth?

Claudia: (Laughs) No, I'm not interested but Shane is. He's been asking me about you guys. He wants **to ask her out** but he didn't know whether you guys were **still together**, or how you'd feel about him asking out your **ex**.

Marco: Why didn't he just ask me? Beth and I were **casual** and we haven't seen each other in months. He should **go for it**.

Claudia: Okay, I'll tell him. So, if you're not going out with Beth, who's the **new girl?**

Marco: **Wouldn't you like to know**. Actually, I've been **seeing** a great girl. I'm bringing her to the party on Saturday. You'll meet her then.

Claudia: Great. I'm bringing Lenny so you'll get to meet him, too. See you Saturday.

Marco: **See ya**.