Chris Isles often thinks how different his life 1) (become) if he 2) (be) more

adventurous.

He's a rather cautious man who 3) (take) risks only provided that they 4) (not/unsettle) his cosy, well-organised life.

Yet he sometimes feels that if he 5) (make) braver decisions, his life 6) (change) for the better, although deep down he knows that there's not much likelihood of this happening.

For example, three years ago they offered him a job in Africa. If he 7) (accept) the offer, he 8) (have) to live in Africa for two years and

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But Chris is not the type of person who will give up the security of his home unless he 10)

(feel) even more secure about his new

circumstances.

Only if that job offered to him 11) (be) close to home, 12) (he/take) it.

His friends try to convince him that he 13) (discover) the fun in life if he 14)

(decide) to be a little more daring.

(not/make) any dramatic changes to the way he lives.