Why Doesn't He Come?

Happy Hour **is the time in which a bar offers discounts on beer, wine and cocktails. It is in the late afternoon from Monday to Friday. The *Happy Hour* is the hour you meet work colleagues at a bar after work hours.**

My name is Sarah. I live in New York City.
I'm a travel agent.
I work till five o'clock.

It's Friday.
I'm going to meet my boyfriend.
His name is Roy. He lives in Queens.
We meet every Friday for Happy Hour.
Today we are going to meet at the *Harbor Inn*.
This is in Downtown Manhattan.

I leave my agency at a quarter past five.
I call for a cab.
I arrive at the *Harbor Inn* at half past five.
Roy isn't there.
He is never late.

Why is he late today?
Why doesn't he call or send an SMS?
Is he ill?
Is he together with another girl?
Doesn't he want to come?
Why doesn't he come?

I have a drink and wait for half an hour.
At six o'clock I call for a cab again.

I'm at home in my apartment.
It's a quarter to seven.
I try to make a call at Roy's home.
He isn't at home. Where is he?

TO BE	
I am (I'm)	we are (we're)
you are (you're)	you are (you're)
he is (he's)	they are (they're)
she is (she's)	
it is (it's)	

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Find the synonyms: (They are in the text above).

tourism	*travel*
manager	
see	
my love	
cheerful	
sixty minutes	

office	
request	
taxi	
reach	
not ever	
need	

beverage	
stay	
my place	
flat	
fourth	
do	

Reasons for being late:

Underline the reasons you would accept from a friend as an excuse:

miss the train – meet an old friend – become ill – enjoy the sunshine – have an accident – being arrested by the police – read a fantastic novel – being kidnapped by aliens – a broken motor bike – being bitten by a dog – a multi-million lottery win – heavy rainfall – snow and ice – an earthquake - a tornado – a black cat crossing the way – a white mouse blocking the way – slip on a banana peel – being bad-humoured – hunting butterflies – looking for shells and starfish on the beach