

Idioms Set Fifteen Definitions

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Better off = to be in a better situation

*Emma, stop thinking about your ex-boyfriend. You're **better off** without him in your life because he wasn't a good person anyway.*

By the way = to introduce a new subject unrelated to the one you were talking about

*This weather is just too hot for me. **By the way**, how did the job interview go last Thursday?*

End of story = used to finish a discussion and say that no more should be said

*I don't care what you think. We're selling our house and moving away from this city, **end of story**.*

Know something inside out = to know everything about something

*If you want to know anything about science, just ask Roy. He **knows the subject inside out**.*