Adjectives

Match the feelings with the situations:

1. I'm very offended. əˈfɛndɪd
2. I feel a bit guilty. ˈgɪlti
3. I feel lonely. ˈləʊnli
4. I'm feeling homesick. ˈhəʊmsɪk
5. I'm very disappointed. dɪsəˈpɔɪntɪd
6. I feel incredibly proud. praʊd
7. I'm feeling very nervous. ˈnɜːvəs
8. I'm very shocked. ʃɒkt
9. I'm so relieved! rɪˈliːvd
10. I'm so grateful. ˈgreɪtfᵊl
11. I'm very upset. ʌpˈsɛt
12. I'm totally fed up. fɛd ʌp

A. You discover that you have a sister that you didn't know existed.
B. You didn't send your mother a birthday card.
C. A stranger helps you in an emergency.
D. You think you have stolen your wallet but then you find it under the sofa.
E. A job you were hoping to get is given to someone else.
F. You're move to a new city and you miss your family.
G. It's your birthday and no one visits or calls.
H. You have to perform in front of a large audience for the first time.
I. Your child wins an important prize.
J. Your best friend doesn't invite you to her wedding.
K. Your girlfriend splits up with you.
L. You have been working without a break for hours.

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thrilled θrɪld   ~~stunned~~ stʌnd
astonished əˈstɒnɪʃt
devastated ˈdɛvəsteɪtɪd
bewildered bɪˈwɪldəd
overwhelmed əʊvəˈwɛlmd
horrified ˈhɒrɪfaɪd   delighted dɪˈlaɪtɪd
desperate ˈdɛspᵊrət

Strong Adjectives
Match these strong adjectives that describe feelings to the correct definitions.

1. stunned - momentarily unable to react due to surprise
2. _____ - extremely confused
3. _____ - feeling very pleased or happily excited
4. _____ - extremely upset, usually as a result of loss or disappointment
5. _____ - filled with extreme surprise or wonder
6. _____ - extremely and negatively shocked
7. _____ - with no hope, in very urgent need
8. _____ - extremely pleased
9. _____ - completely overpowered by feelings

Answers:

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1 J 2 B 3 G 4 F 5 E 6 I 7 H 8 A 9 D   10 C   11 K   12 L

Strong adjectives

2. bewildered 3. thrilled   4. devastated   5. astonished 6. horrified 7. desperate 8. delighted 9. overwhelmed