

Fon – Benin

Did you wake up well?	Ah fone gahn gee ah?
Yes, I woke up well.	Eehn, un fone gahn gee.
Did you wake up well? (pl)	Me fone gahn gee ah?
Yes, we woke up well.	Eehn, me fone gahn gee.
Good evening.	Koo doe bah dah.
Good evening. (to many)	Me koo doe bah dah.
Response.	Ohhh.
How are you?	Nay ah day gbohn?
I am doing well.	Un doe gahn gee.
How is your family?	Way gbay lay low?
They are fine.	Yea doe ke day.
How is your health?	La may toe way low?
I am doing well.	Un doe gahn gee.
What is your name?	Nay ah no nyee?
My name is...	Un no nyee...
Thank you.	Ah wah new.
Good bye.	Oh dah bow.
God bless you.	Ma woo ni no kpo ha way.

Conversation: (morning)

Ah fone gahn gee ah?
Eehn, un fone gahn gee.
Nay ah day gbohn?
Un doe gahn gee.
Way gbay lay low?

Did you wake up well?

Yes, I woke up well.

How are you?

I'm doing well.

How is your family?

Yea doe ke day.
La may toe way low?
Un doe gahn gee.

*They are fine.
How is your health?
I'm doing well.*

Conversation: (evening)

Me koo doe bah dah.
Ohhh.

*Good evening.
Response.*

Nay ah day gbohn?

How are you?

Un doe gahn gee.

I am doing well.

Way gbay lay low?

How is your family?

Yea doe ke day.

They are fine.

La may toe way low?

How is your health?

Un doe gahn gee.

I am doing well.

Nay ah no nyee?

What is your name?

Un no nyee Jeff.

My name is Jeff.

Nay ah no nyee?

What is your name?

Un no nyee Barbara.

My name is Barbara.

Ah wah new.

Thank you.

Oh dah bow.

Goodbye.

Ma woo ni no kpo ha way.

God bless you.