



**[Q : 03] What has become of A? 「Aはどうなった？」は何故そういう意味？**

What has become of him? は、参考書などで「彼はどうなった？」という意味で、What has happened to him?と同じ意味だと解説されていますが、become を用いた文がなぜそういう意味になるのか、確かに不思議ですよね？こういう疑問が湧いた時、どう学習すればよいのでしょうか？



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- ▶ to begin to have a particular job or position of authority, or to begin to be a member of a group [more...](#)
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Quick definitions from WordNet (**become**)

- ▶ **verb**: come into existence ("*What becomes has duration*")
- ▶ **verb**: undergo a change or development
- ▶ **verb**: enhance the appearance of ("*Mourning becomes Electra*")
- ▶ **verb**: enter or assume a certain state or condition

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**become (v.)** 

Old English *becuman* "happen, come about," also "meet with, arrive," from Proto-Germanic *\*bikweman* "become" (source also of Dutch *bekomen*, Old High German *biqueman* "obtain," German *bekommen*, Gothic *biquiman*). A compound of *be-* and *come*; it drove out Old English *weorðan*. Meaning "to look well" is early 14c., from earlier sense of "to agree with, be fitting" (early 13c.).

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