Depak

seven days

8 villages

twenty condom boxes

two dead peacocks

20 minutes

to remove

legs

feathers

blood

from the grill

the windshield

Depaks' grin

two minutes to fire him

"But Sir - they are only birds."

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