Gina’s Facebook Account Gets Hacked

Gina and Sara are friends. This is Gina. Photograph of Gina.
 This is Sara.Photograph of Sara.


Sara gets a text message in Facebook. The text message shows Gina’s phone number. The text message shows Gina’s face. But Sara is surprised. Read what happens.

A message bubble from Gina reads, It wasn’t me. Someone hacked my account. Don’t send any money and don’t click on the link.
A message bubble from Sara reads, You sent me a message on Facebook. You said you need help. You asked me to send 50 dollars. You sent me the link to use.
A message bubble from Gina reads, I didn’t ask you for money. What are you saying that? 
A message bubble from Sara reads, Why are you asking me for money? Are you in trouble?
A message bubble from Gina reads, This is Gina. I need help. Pease send me 50 dollars. Use this link: h t t p colon double forward slashes wire it dot com forward slash 1 G C Z W 8 6.


1. **Comprehension Questions**
2. What is the name of Gina’s friend?
3. What social network platform did they use?
4. How much money did “Gina” ask for in the message?
5. Did Gina ask for the money?
6. Who asked for the money?
7. Did Sara send the money?
8. Gina’s account was hacked. What does that mean?
9. **Discussion questions**
10. Do you know anyone whose account was hacked?
11. It was a good idea for Sara to text Gina. Why?
12. What should Gina do next?
13. What can Gina do so she does not get hacked another time?