## 2-4 Practice

## Solving Equations with the Variable on Each Side

Solve each equation. Check your solution.

1. 
$$5x - 3 = 13 - 3x$$

**2.** 
$$-4r - 11 = 4r + 21$$

3. 
$$1 - m = 6 - 6m$$

**4.** 
$$14 + 5n = -4n + 17$$

5. 
$$\frac{1}{2}k - 3 = 2 - \frac{3}{4}k$$

**6.** 
$$\frac{1}{2}(6-y) = y$$

7. 
$$3(-2-3x) = -9x - 4$$

**8.** 
$$4(4-w) = 3(2w+2)$$

**9.** 
$$9(4b-1) = 2(9b+3)$$

**10.** 
$$3(6 + 5y) = 2(-5 + 4y)$$

**11.** 
$$-5x - 10 = 2 - (x + 4)$$

**12.** 
$$6 + 2(3j - 2) = 4(1 + j)$$

13. 
$$\frac{5}{2}t - t = 3 + \frac{3}{2}t$$

**14.** 
$$1.4f + 1.1 = 8.3 - f$$

15. 
$$\frac{2}{3}x - \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{5}{6}$$

**16.** 
$$2 - \frac{3}{4}k = \frac{1}{8}k + 9$$

17. 
$$\frac{1}{2}(3g-2) = \frac{g}{2}$$

**18.** 
$$\frac{1}{3}(n+1) = \frac{1}{6}(3n-5)$$

**19.** 
$$\frac{1}{2}(5-2h)=\frac{h}{2}$$

**20.** 
$$\frac{1}{9}(2m-16) = \frac{1}{3}(2m+4)$$

**21.** 
$$3(d-8) - 5 = 9(d+2) + 1$$

**22.** 
$$2(a-8) + 7 = 5(a+2) - 3a - 19$$

- **23. NUMBERS** Two thirds of a number reduced by 11 is equal to 4 more than the number. Find the number.
- **24. NUMBERS** Five times the sum of a number and 3 is the same as 3 multiplied by 1 less than twice the number. What is the number?
- **25. NUMBER THEORY** Tripling the greater of two consecutive even integers gives the same result as subtracting 10 from the lesser even integer. What are the integers?
- **26. GEOMETRY** The formula for the perimeter of a rectangle is  $P = 2\ell$ , +2w, where  $\ell$  is the length and w is the width. A rectangle has a perimeter of 24 inches. Find its dimensions if its length is 3 inches greater than its width.