

# Complete the story with the past form of the verbs in parentheses. Some verbs are regular and some are irregulars.

When I (1. be)  \_\_\_\_\_ in high school, there (2. be)  \_\_\_\_\_ a terrible earthquake. I will always remember that day. It (3. begin)  \_\_\_\_\_ early in the morning. At 2:00 a.m., I (4. be)  \_\_\_\_\_ in bed. Suddenly, I (5. feel)  \_\_\_\_\_ my bed move. Just then, my brother (6. come)  \_\_\_\_\_ into my room and (7. yell)  \_\_\_\_\_, "It's an earthquake!"



The room (8. shake)  \_\_\_\_\_ very hard. I (9. not know)  \_\_\_\_\_ what to do. I (10. run)  \_\_\_\_\_ under a table. Books (11. fall)  \_\_\_\_\_ from the shelves. Glasses (12. break)  \_\_\_\_\_ on the floor. After about half a minute, the shaking (13. stop)  \_\_\_\_\_. My brother and I (14. not say)  \_\_\_\_\_ anything. We (15. go)  \_\_\_\_\_ into the kitchen. There (16. be)  \_\_\_\_\_ glass everywhere. I (17. turn on)  \_\_\_\_\_ the radio. The announcer (18. say)  \_\_\_\_\_, "A 7.6 earthquake hit the city!"