Unit 2

Worksheet 5

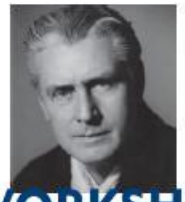
Part I

- Listen to the audio carefully and fill in the blanks with the verbs from the box in the simple past tense.

be (3)	have	die	live	study	work	become	write

Luis Salvador Efraín Salazar Arrué, known as Salarrué, (1) _____ born on October 22nd, 1899, in Sonzacate, Sonsonate. He (2) _____ a Salvadoran writer, poet, and painter.

Born to a rich family, Salarrué (3) _____ to become a painter at the Corcoran School of Art, in Washington, D.C., from 1916 to 1919. He then returned to El Salvador and, in 1922, married fellow painter Zélie Lardé, with whom he (4) _____ three daughters. In the late 1920s, he (5) _____ as an editor for the newspaper Patria, owned by Alberto Masferrer, an important Salvadoran intellectual. To fill in blank spaces in the newspaper, Salarrué (6) _____ a series of short stories that (7) _____ collected thirty years later as *Cuentos de Cipotes*. These and the stories in *Cuentos de Barro* (8) _____ Salarrué's most popular and enduring work.



Salarrué (9) _____ in the United States from 1947 to 1951 while representing his country in diplomatic posts. He (10) _____ in *Los Planes de Renderos*, San Salvador, and is buried in the *Cementerio de los Ilustres*.

LIVEWORKSHEETS