

SONG: LEMON TREE by Fools Garden

Pre-listening activity: vocabulary

A) Do you know these words? Write the words next to their translation.

boring
rainy
wonder
far
change
view
lonely
shower
cloud
miss
myself
tired
joy
anyhow
isolation
power
tree
bed
waste
want

1. Lluvioso/a _____
2. Preguntarse _____
3. Aislamiento _____
4. Cansado _____
5. de cualquier modo _____
6. extrañar/ perder _____
7. alegría _____
8. vista _____
9. solo, solitario _____
10. aburrido/a _____
11. lejos _____
12. cambiar _____
13. nube _____
14. mí mismo _____
15. ducha _____
16. árbol _____
17. cama _____
18. desperdiciar _____
19. poder/ fuerza _____
20. querer _____

B) Find the opposite to these words

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| 1. nothing • | • morning |
| 2. afternoon • | • fast |
| 3. light • | • far |
| 4. good • | • baby |
| 5. slow • | • sky |
| 6. near • | • boring |
| 7. sunny • | • heavy |
| 8. entertaining • | • cloudy |
| 9. ground • | • bad |
| 10. adult • | • everything |

C) Write the -ing form of these verbs.

Drive: _____

Hang : _____

Sit : _____

Step: _____

Turn: _____

Wait: _____

Waste: _____

Listening

Watch the video and listen to the song. You have two options. The original version by Fools Garden, and a bossa nova version.

Listen again and choose the correct word of each pair to complete the song.

I'm sitting here in the _____ room
It's just another _____ Sunday afternoon
I'm wasting my time
I got nothing to do
I'm hanging around
I'm _____ for you
But nothing ever happens and I wonder

boring / beautiful
sunny / rainy

looking / waiting

I'm driving around in my car
I'm driving too _____
I'm driving too far
I'd like to change my point of view
I feel so lonely
I'm waiting for you
But nothing ever _____ and I wonder

fast / slow

changes / happens

I wonder how
I wonder _____
_____ you told me 'bout the blue blue sky
And all that I can see is just a yellow lemon-tree
I'm turning my _____ up and down
I'm turning turning turning turning around
And all that I can see is just another lemon-tree

where / why
today / yesterday

head / eyes

I'm _____ here
I miss the power
I'd like to go out and take in a shower
But there's a heavy cloud inside my head
I feel so _____
Put myself into bed
Well, nothing ever happens and I wonder

sitting / standing

sad / tired

Isolation is not _____ for me
Isolation I don't want to sit on the lemon-tree

good / easy

I'm steppin' around in the _____ of joy
Baby anyhow I'll get another toy
And everything will happen and you wonder

desert / sea

¿Qué crees que significa la canción? ¿La conocías? ¿Te gustó? ¿Conoces a la banda y otras canciones tuyas?