

# “LA LLORONA”

**Read the text and choose the best missing word.**

The story of “La Llorona” (the crying woman) that is (1)\_\_\_\_\_ told in Mexico and parts of the United States. According (2)\_\_\_\_\_ this urban legend, “La Llorana” was a beautiful woman married a young man and had two children. The husband lost interest (3)\_\_\_\_\_ his wife but doted on the children. The story goes that woman (4)\_\_\_\_\_ revenge by taking the children to the river and drowning them. Then she drowned herself. (5)\_\_\_\_\_ she came to the gates of heaven, she was refused entry without her two children. La Llorana then (6)\_\_\_\_\_ return to the earth to search for her two children. And so the legend says (7)\_\_\_\_\_ this woman appears in lakes and rivers crying for her children. (8)\_\_\_\_\_ parents, in order to make their children behave, warn (9)\_\_\_\_\_ that if they are not good, La Llorana will get them too!

