

“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 Llorona” 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 Llorona 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 Llorona will get them too!

