Reported sentences

Rewrite the sentences as reported speech.

1 It was difficult to walk across the desert. (he / say)

He said that it had been difficult to walk across the desert.

2 I don't want to travel by plane. (he / tell / them)

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3 I've never learnt to ski. (she / say)

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4 We're going on an expedition to the South Pole. (they / say)

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5 I'll be the first one to arrive. (I / tell / him)

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6 I went on three business trips in 2010. (she / say)

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7 She can swim across the river. (he / tell / us)

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