

SIMPLE PAST & PAST CONTINUOUS

I. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb in brackets.

1. The phone rang (ring) while David was taking (take) a shower.
2. I _____ (sleep) when I _____ (fall) off the bed.
3. Sarah and Kate _____ (have) a drink when two men _____ (start) to fight.
4. Harry _____ (sit) on the sofa when his wife _____ (come) home.
5. I _____ (go) to work when I _____ (see) an accident.
6. It _____ (start) to rain while Helen and Michel _____ (wait) for the bus.
7. The phone _____ (ring) while I _____ (read) the book.
8. I _____ (do) my homework when my mom _____ (arrive).
9. While Emma _____ (go) home, she _____ (have) an accident.
10. When I _____ (meet) Robert, he _____ (wear) a black suit.

II. Complete the story. Use the correct form of the verbs.

I was sleeping (sleep) when the alarm clock rang (ring). It was only 6 am so I _____ (go) back to sleep. When I _____ (wake up) again it was 9:15. I didn't have anything to do that day so I _____ (decide) to have some late breakfast. The phone _____ (ring) while I _____ (drink) a cup of coffee. I _____ (answer) it and my sister's voiced said "You've got to help me. Come to 652 Sutton Place as soon as you can. I'll pay you anything".

I jumped into my car and _____ (drive) very fast. When I _____ (arrive) at Sutton Place, I _____ (have) a feeling that somebody _____ (watch) me; and while I _____ (walk) to the door I _____ (hear) some voices behind it. It was very strange but I _____ (decide) to go in. I opened the door and someone _____ (stand) behind me. Suddenly...