



Do you know Pink? Let's get to know her with one of her best songs.

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## Pink Perfect

### 1. Put the lines into the right order.

Bad decisions, that's alright

Made a wrong turn, once or twice

Welcome to my silly life

Dug my way up blood and fire

Look I'm still around

It didn't slow me down

Mistreated, misplaced, misunderstood miss no way it's all good

Mistaken always second guessing, underestimated

*Pretty pretty please*

*Like you're less than; less than perfect*

*If you ever ever feel like you're nothing you are perfect to me*

*Pretty pretty please*

*Don't you ever ever feel*

### 2. Fill in the missing words.

You're so mean when you \_\_\_\_\_ about yourself you were wrong

Change the \_\_\_\_\_ in your head

Make them like you instead

So complicated, \_\_\_\_\_ we all made it

Filled with so much hatred

Such a tiring \_\_\_\_\_

It's enough! I've done all I can \_\_\_\_\_

I've chased down all my \_\_\_\_\_

I've seen you do the same ohh

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### 3. Match the parts of the sentences.

1. The whole world's scared so <input type="checkbox"/>	a) we try try try
2. The only thing <input type="checkbox"/>	b) they don't get my hair
3. So cool in line and <input type="checkbox"/>	c) it's a waste of my time
4. But we try so hard and <input type="checkbox"/>	d) they're everywhere
5. Done looking for the critics 'cause <input type="checkbox"/>	e) we do it all the time
6. They don't like my jeans, <input type="checkbox"/>	f) I swallow the fear
7. Exchange ourselves and <input type="checkbox"/>	g) I should be drinking is an iced-cold beer

Why do we do that?

Why do I do that?

Why do I do that?



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G8jp0cBVrMU>

### More information about the song....

B) Read the text and decide if the sentences are T (true) or F (false).



*Fuckin' Perfect* was released by LaFace Records and RCA Records as the second single from *The Greatest Hits... So Far!* The song was written by Pink with Max Martin and Shellback, and it was also recorded as a radio-friendly edit – 'Perfect'.

The song received mostly positive reviews from music critics, and it also received a Grammy Award nomination for Best Pop Solo Performance.

In 2011, *Fuckin' Perfect* was ranked at number-fourteen on the Top 40 Year-End Chart, behind her previous single *Raise Your Glass*, based on Mediabase.

*Fuckin' Perfect* was included in the setlist for *The Truth About Love* tour, and was performed as the clean, acoustic version.

The music video for *Fuckin' Perfect* was filmed towards the end of 2010, during Pink's first few months of pregnancy. Dave Meyers, who has worked with Pink on many of her music videos before, directed the video. It focuses on the life of a woman who overcomes several struggles during her life. The lead role was played by Tina Majorino, as confirmed by Pink via Twitter and Facebook, describing her as "insanely talented".

Pink used this music video to raise awareness for the struggles people go through, including self harm, bullying, suicide, depression and eating disorders. She posted a message on her official website about the video:

'Cutting, and suicide, two very different symptoms of the same problem, are gaining on us. (the problem being; alienation and depression. the symptoms; cutting and suicide). I personally don't know a single person who doesn't know at least two of these victims personally.'

Pink explains that, while the video may be considered shocking, it is intended to open people's eyes to these problems. In addition, Pink believes the video is a message to everyone who needs help. Pink described the process of making the video as a "very emotional experience" and related the core theme of "Fuckin' Perfect" to her yet-to-be-born baby, saying, "I have a life inside of me, and I want her or him to know that I will accept him or her with open and loving and welcoming arms. And though I will prepare this little munchkin for a sometimes cruel world, I will also equip this kid to see all the beauty in it as well." She also noted that she expects the video to "ruffle some feathers", meaning it would cause controversy.

The song did well in the charts worldwide.

- 1) There are two versions of the song. T / F
- 2) Pink is the author of the song. T / F
- 3) The song received an EMI Award. T / F
- 4) The song was n°10 in the Top 40 Chart. T / F
- 5) An acoustic version was included in *The Truth About Love* tour. T / F
- 6) The music video was about a pregnant woman and her perfect life. T / F
- 7) Pink loved Tina Majorino as the protagonist of the video. T / F
- 8) The video shows very difficult situations people live. T / F
- 9) Pink thinks problem like alienation and depression are not very common among people. T / F
- 10) Pink wanted the video to be shocking in order to make people think about these problems. T / F
- 11) She also wanted to give a nice message to her baby. T / F
- 12) Pink didn't know the video would be so controversial. T / F

## What is the song about?

### C) Match the stanzas in English with the translation into Spanish.

Made a wrong turn, once or twice  
Dug my way out, blood and fire  
Bad decisions, that's alright  
Welcome to my silly life

Mistreated, misplaced, misunderstood  
Miss "No way, it's all good", it didn't slow me down  
Mistaken, always second guessing, underestimated  
Look, I'm still around

Pretty, pretty please, don't you ever ever feel  
Like you're less than, less than perfect  
Pretty, pretty please, don't you ever ever feel

Like you're nothing, You are perfect to me!

You're so mean, when you talk,  
about yourself you were wrong  
Change the voices in your head,  
make them like you instead

So complicated, look how big, you'll make it  
Filled with so much hatred, such a tired game  
It's enough! I've done all I can think of  
Chased down all my demons, I've seen you  
do the same

The whole world's scared, so I swallow the fear  
The only thing I should be drinking is an ice cold beer  
So cool and limed and we try, try, try  
But we try too hard and it's a waste of my time

Done looking for the critics 'cause there everywhere  
They don't like my jeans, they don't get my hair  
Exchange ourselves and we do it all the time  
Why do we do that, why do I do that?  
Why do I do that?

Bonita, bonita por favor, nunca te sientes,  
como que fueras menos que perfecta.  
Bonita, bonita por favor, si alguna vez te sientes  
como que no eres nada, eres perfecta para mí

Eres tan mezquina cuando hablas  
sobre ti misma, estás equivocada.  
Cambia las voces de tu cabeza,  
hazlas como eres tú.

Ya basta de buscar a los críticos,  
porque están en todas partes.  
No les gustan mis genes, no entienden mi pelo,  
nos desconocemos a nosotros mismos  
y lo hacemos todo el tiempo.  
¿por qué hacemos eso? ¿por qué hago eso?  
¿por qué hago eso?

El mundo entero se queda mirando  
mientras me trago el miedo,  
lo único que debería estar bebiendo es una cerveza helada,  
tan cool por mentir y lo intentamos, intentamos, intentamos,  
pero lo intentamos con demasiadas ganas,  
es una pérdida de mi tiempo.

Maltratada, fuera de lugar, incomprendida,  
mal..., no está bien de ninguna manera,  
eso no me frenó.  
Equivocada, siempre dudando de mí misma,  
infravalorada, mira, todavía estoy por aquí.

Tomé una mala decisión, una o dos veces,  
excavé mi salida, a sangre y fuego,  
malas decisiones, está bien,  
bienvenido a mi ridícula vida

Tan complicada, mira que grande lo haces,  
llena de tanto odio, qué juego tan cansado.  
Ya basta, he acabado con todo lo que podía  
pensar,  
he perseguido a todos mis demonios, te veo  
hacer lo mismo.

Did you like the song? YES / NO.

Explain your choice (in English or in Spanish)

A MESSAGE FOR YOU...

TO ME,  
YOU ARE PERFECT  
(yes, you!)