Song of the Simple Past

Listen to the song and fill in the blanks.

Sometimes in life
you need to describe
Something that happened
and it's been a while.
You use it about something
that is done and dusted.
It's easy to remember
it's the Simple Past, and
Everyone knows with regular verbs
You just put "ED"
at the end of the word.
But irregular verbs
can be very hard –
The only chance you have
is to learn them by heart,
so I _____, you _____
I _____, you caught _____
I _____, you _____
and you paid _____
 I _____, you _____
I _____, you _____
You _____ while I _____
You _____ me
when I _____
I _____ that we could,
so we _____.
The past of "be" is

I /he/she/it was;
The others take "were" –
but you knew that, of course!
When you need to make a question
you use "Did" at the start,
Like: "Did you like this song
about the Simple Past?"
It's used when something
happened
at a certain time
Or for a longer period
that stopped after a while.
 It often goes with expressions
like "yesterday" or "ago".
The Brits say "learnt" and "dreamt",
 but Americans don't... so
You _____, I _____
You _____, I _____
I _____, it _____
and it _____!
I _____, you _____
I _____, you _____
You _____ while I _____
You forgave me when I rang
I thought that we could, so we
began.
So we began, so we began.