

Past simple

1.) Fill in the blanks after listening to the song with the verbs in past simple

When she _____ just a girl she _____ the world
But it _____ away from her reach
So she ran away in her sleep and dreamed of
Para-para-paradise, para-para-paradise, para-para-paradise
Every time she _____ her eyes
When she was just a girl she expected the world
But it flew away from her reach and the bullets catch in her teeth
Life goes on, it gets so heavy
The wheel breaks the butterfly every tear a waterfall
In the night the stormy night she'll close her eyes
In the night the stormy night away she'd fly
And dream of para-para-paradise
Para-para-paradise
Para-para-paradise
She'd dream of para-para-paradise
Para-para-paradise
Para-para-paradise

La-la-la-la-la-la-la
La-la-la-la-la-la-la-la-la-la-la
And so lying underneath those stormy skies
She'd say, "Oh, oh, oh, oh, oh, oh, oh
I know the sun must set to rise"
This _____ be para-para-paradise
Para-para-paradise
This could be para-para-paradise
Oh, oh, oh, oh, oh, oh, oh, oh, oh
This _____ be para-para-paradise
Para-para-paradise
This could be para-para-paradise
Oh oh oh oh oh oh, oh, oh
This could be para-para-paradise
Para-para-paradise
This could be para-para-paradise
Oh, oh, oh, oh, oh, oh, oh, oh, oh

2.) Complete the text with the correct Past Simple form of the verbs in brackets.



Natasha Richardson died on Wednesday in New York. She Was (BE) only 45. She died a few days after _____ (HAVE) a skiing accident in Canada. She was the daughter of British actress Vanessa Redgrave. She _____ (SPEND) her childhood in England and _____ (MAKE) her first film when she was only four years old. She _____ (MEET) her husband, the Irish film star Liam Neeson, in 1994 and _____ (LEAVE) England. She went go to the US and starred in many successful shows in New York