

Sympathy for the Devil - The Rolling Stones

Do you know the meaning of these verbs? Which are irregular? What is the past simple?

*be, fight, have, hold, kill, lay, make, rage, ride, scream,
seal, see, shout, steal, stick around, stink, wash & watch.*

Look at the lyrics below. Which words go in each of the gaps?
First try to guess, then listen to the song to check your answers.

Can you guess the name of the narrator?

Please allow me to introduce myself, I'm a man of wealth and taste
I've been around for a long, long years, (I) ¹ _____ many a man's soul and faith
And I ² _____ around when Jesus Christ ³ _____ his moment of doubt and pain
(I) ³ _____ damn sure that Pilate ⁴ _____ his hands and ⁵ _____ his fate

Pleased to meet you, (I) hope you guess my name
But what's puzzling you is the nature of my game

I ⁶ _____ around St. Petersburg when I ⁷ _____ it was a time for a change
(I) ⁸ _____ the czar and his ministers, Anastasia ⁹ _____ in vain
I ¹⁰ _____ a tank, ¹¹ _____ a general's rank
when the blitzkrieg ¹² _____ and the bodies ¹³ _____

Pleased to meet you, (I) hope you guess my name, oh yeah
Ah, what's puzzling you is the nature of my game, oh yeah

I ¹⁴ _____ with glee while your kings and queens
¹⁵ _____ for ten decades for the gods they ¹⁶ _____
I ¹⁷ _____ out, "Who ¹⁸ _____ the Kennedys?"
When after all it ¹⁹ _____ you and me

Let me please introduce myself, I'm a man of wealth and taste
And I ²⁰ _____ traps for troubadours who get killed before they reach Bombay

Pleased to meet you, (I) hope you guess my name, oh yeah
But what's puzzling you is the nature of my game, oh yeah, get down!

fade out during the guitar solo, at the 3 minute mark