

TASTE AND OTHER TALES

TASTE (pages 3 and 4)

Read the sentences below and complete them with the **PAST SIMPLE** or **PAST CONTINUOUS** form of the verbs in brackets.

1. While Richard was eating all the fish, the servant _____ (WAIT) near the table.
2. When the servant _____ (COME) with the second course, Richard _____ (TALK) again with Mike's daughter.
3. Mike _____ (CUT) the meat very thinly, _____ (SERVE) a piece on each plate, _____ (PUT) down the knife and _____ (GO) to his study to look for a new bottle of wine.
4. When Mike _____ (RETURN) with the wine, he _____ (FEEL) more cheerful.
5. When Richard and Mike _____ (SPEAK) about the new wine, the narrator _____ (FEEL) there _____ (BE) something evil in Richard's eyes.
6. Richard _____ (NOT GIVE UP) and _____ (ACCEPT) to bet over the new wine.

