**Intructions:**

Read the information and complete the article with: *was/wasn’t* or *were/weren’t*. Then complete the exercise with the correct form: *am, is, are, was,* and *were.*

**John Winston Ono Lennon**, was\_\_\_\_\_ born on October 9th, 1940. He was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a great musician, singer and composer who jumped to fame as one of the members of The Beatles, which was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ one of the best groups of the Twentieth Century.

He was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ born and raised in Liverpool, England. His band was first named: The Quarrymen, and then, in 1960 changed its name to THE BEATLES. They had many “Number One” songs, and quickly their fame spread throughout the whole world.

But the band wasn´t\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ together for a long time. By the end of 1969 the band was\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ disintegrated. All of the members were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ excellent musicians, so each one their own way.

John Lennon married Yoko Ono, and changed his name to John Ono Lennon. They were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_living in New York. He continued his career as solo.

He was\_\_\_\_\_\_ a very rebellious person. He was\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ involved in activism for the world peace. He was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ totally against the Vietnam War. The politicians of that time weren’t \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ very happy. It is said that Richard Nixon, then President of the United States of America, was\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ so disgusted, he tried to expel him from his country. Yet some of his songs were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ used as hymns against the war.

John Lennon was going back to his house when he was\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ violently assassinated by one of his fans in 1980. Only three weeks after, his last album, Double Fantasy, was\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ launched.

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**Complete this exercise with the correct form of simple “to be” in present or in past: *am, is, are, was,* and *were*.**

The Bee Gees were\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ very popular with the movie “Grease”.

They were\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Mexico City for a last concert in 1998.

They were\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_4 brothers.

Their music is\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ still very popular.

Angela Peralta was\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a famous opera singer.

She wasn´t \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_from Italy. She was\_\_\_\_\_\_\_from México.

Maria Callas was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_the artistic name for Maria Anna Sofia Cecilia Kalogeropoulos.

She was\_\_a very famous opera singer. She was \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ born in the USA, but with Greek origins.

Thalía is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a famous Mexican singer and actress.

Her magazine is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ very popular in Los Angeles, Ca.

Rihanna is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a beautiful and talented American singer.

She was\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in the movie Battleship in her debut as an actress.

Many people think she is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an excellent singer, but she isn´t\_\_\_\_\_\_ so good.

**EVALUATION**

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| CATEGORY | EXCELLENT | GOOD | REGULAR | LIMITED |
| ANSWER | The exercise is correct and complete. | More than half of the answers are correct. | Less than half of the answers are correct. | The majority of the answers are wrong. |

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