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QUIZ TIME!

PEARL JAM

How much do you know about Pearl Jam? Do the quiz and discover it!

❶ Where are they from?

- a- ☐ London, UK
- b- ☐ Seattle, US
- c- ☐ Melbourne, AU
- d- ☐ New York, US

❷ What's the name of the lead singer?

- a- ☐ Eddie Vedder
- b- ☐ Mick Jagger
- c- ☐ Paul McCartney

❸ How many members are there in the band?

- a- ☐ 3
- b- ☐ 8
- c- ☐ 5

❹ When was the song "Wishlist" released?

- a- ☐ In 2010
- b- ☐ In 1998
- c- ☐ In 2017



1- Before you listen, what do you think a "Wishlist" is? In pairs, choose one of the definitions below

c- *A list of things you'd like to do before **passing away****

a- *A list of things you'd buy in a mall.*

b- *A list of desired things or occurrences you'd like to do*

**Passing away: To die*

➤ Were you right?

2- 🎧 Listen to the song and complete with the correct preposition

Wishlist – By Pearl Jam

I wish I was a neutron bomb for once I could **go** _____
 I wish I was a sacrifice but somehow still **lived** _____
 I wish I was a sentimental ornament you **hung** _____

The Christmas tree I wish I was the star that went on top
 I wish I was the evidence I wish I was the grounds
 For fifty million hands upraised and open toward the sky

I wish I was a sailor with someone who **waited** _____ me
 I wish I was as fortunate, as fortunate as me
 I wish I was a messenger and all the news was good

I wish I was the full moon **shining** _____ a Camaro's hood
 I wish I was an alien at home behind the sun
 I wish I was the souvenir you kept your house key on

I wish I was the pedal brake that you **depended** _____
 I wish I was the verb 'to trust' and never **let you** _____
 I wish I was a radio song, the one that you **turned** _____

- 3-  Listen to the song again and check with a partner
- 4- Have a look at the phrases in **bold** in the song.
Can you match them to their meanings?

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| <p>a- Go off</p> <p>b- Let you down</p> <p>c- Depend on (somebody)</p> | <p>1- To disappoint a person by failing to do something you promised to do.</p> <p>2- To trust a person knowing that he/she will help you to do something</p> <p>3- To detonate, to explode, to blow up</p> |
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- Can you find one more phrase?

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Phrasal Verbs

Verbs + Preposition = new word

Ex: **go** + **off** = **to explode**

Ex: _____ + _____ = _____

- 5- Read the last line of the song. What do you think it means? Discuss with a partner

"I **wish I was** a radio song, the one that you turned up"

- 6- Write your own "Wishlist" and share your ideas with a partner. You may use the "Grammar Spot" box about Conditionals to help you

Grammar Spot!



Conditionals with WISH

We use **Wish + Past Simple** to express a desire of an unreal situation.

Ex: **I wish I was** a sentimental ornament... (But I'm not because that situation is unreal)

Your turn

Ex: I wish _____

