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IRONIC

1. Listen to the song *Ironic* from the singer **Alanis Morissette**. For the first time do not take notes. Try to catch some words.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jne9t8sHpUc>

2. Which words did you catch? Write them down. Compare with your partner. Try to think of some adjectives to the nouns or the nouns to the verbs to these words. They do not have to be mentioned in the song.

(e.g. wedding – *day, ring, flowers*, beautiful – *garden, summer, woman*)

3. **Listen to the song again and fill the missing words:** *take, fly, lottery, good-bye, late, ride, dreams, plane, helping okay, jam*

An old man turned ninety-eight
He won the _____ and died the next day
It's a black fly in your Chardonnay
It's a death row pardon two minutes too _____
Isn't it ironic ... don't you think

[Chorus]

It's like rain on your wedding day
It's a free _____ when you've already paid
It's the good advice that you just didn't _____
Who would've thought, it figures

Mr. Play It Safe was afraid to _____
He packed his suitcase and kissed his kids _____
He waited his whole damn life to take that flight
And as the _____ crashed down he thought
"Well, isn't this nice..."
And isn't it ironic ... don't you think

[Chorus]

Well, life has a funny way of sneaking up on you
When you think everything's _____ and everything's going right
And life has a funny way of helping you out when
You think everything's gone wrong and everything blows up

In your face

A traffic _____ when you're already late

A no-smoking sign on your cigarette break

It's like 10,000 spoons when all you need is a knife

It's meeting the man of my _____

And then meeting his beautiful wife

And isn't it ironic, don't you think

A little too ironic... and yeah I really do think ...

[Chorus]

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_____ you out.

4. What expressions are used in the song for (match synonyms):

- a) say farewell –
- b) many cars are stuck on the road –
- c) you do not have to pay to go somewhere –

5. Find the word of slang:

d _____ l _____

Do you know what does it mean literally?

6. Try to write your own strophe to Alanis's song: What ironic events happened to you in your life? Get inspired by her lyrics and be creative.

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damn life

Do you know what does it mean literally? **zatracený život**

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