

fue una semana tranquila = it was a quiet week
trabajé normalmente y me relajé en Cork = I worked as usual and relaxed in Cork
que hiciste el fin de semana? = what did you do over the weekend?
sali a cenar a un restaurante ayer = I went out to dinner at a restaurant
yesterday
fue el día del padre = it was Father's Day
fue un restaurante = it was a restaurant
que comiste? = what did you eat?
comí pizza con pollo y cebolla = I ate pizza with chicken and onion
me encantó la salsa picante = I loved the spicy sauce
que hiciste el fin de semana? = what did you do over the weekend?
cenasteis o comisteis en casa? = did you have dinner or lunch at home?
fue una cena en casa = it was a dinner at home
que preparaste para cenar? = what did you prepare for dinner?
preparé una lasaña y unos entrantes = I prepared a lasagna and some starters
preparé una ensalada de patatas = I prepared a potato salad
de segundo plato, preparé lasaña y después tiramisú = for the second course, I
prepared lasagna and then tiramisu
la salsa carbonara -- no tiene nata = carbonara sauce -- it doesn't have cream
que hiciste el fin de semana? = what did you do over the weekend?
QUEDARSE = to stay
me quedé el fin de semana = I stayed over the weekend
fui a Bulgaria y me quedé allí = I went to Bulgaria and stayed there
el lunes pasado no pude venir a clase = last Monday I couldn't come to class
porque estuve en el avión = because I was on the plane
ayer volví a Dublin = yesterday I came back to Dublin
fue la primera vez que viajaste a Bulgaria? = was it your first time traveling
to Bulgaria?
no, tengo un proyecto allí = no, I have a project there
solo Sofia, nunca fui a otros pueblos o ciudades = only Sofia, I've never been
to other towns or cities
yo no conozco = I don't know
hizo más de 30 grados = it was over 30 degrees
hizo mucho calor = it was very hot
fue demasiado calor para mí = it was too hot for me
en Chicago hace mucho calor = it is very hot in Chicago
es cómodo = it is comfortable
no hay mucha humedad = there is not much humidity
no hay demasiada humedad = there isn't too much humidity
es típico ir a una piscina = it's typical to go to a pool
es típico quedarse en casa durante el medio del día = it's typical to stay home
in the middle of the day
a mucha gente le gusta nadar en el lago Michigan = many people like to swim in
Lake Michigan
y también montar en bicicleta = and also ride a bicycle
cuando montas en bici no hace tanto calor = when you ride a bike it's not so hot
fue como una playa = it was like a beach
me encantó nadar en un lago = I loved swimming in a lake
que hiciste el fin de semana? = what did you do over the weekend?
fui a hacer senderismo en Dundalk = I went hiking in Dundalk
llovió mucho = it rained a lot
fue una festival de un toro = it was a bull festival
cómo se celebra? = how is it celebrated?
es incómodo cuando llueve? = is it uncomfortable when it rains?

fue incomodo = it was uncomfortable
fuiste sola o con un grupo? = did you go alone or with a group?
fui con un grupo = I went with a group
había 3 grupos = there were 3 groups
dificultad = difficulty
DIFICULTAD baja / media / alta = low / medium / high DIFFICULTY
para abuelas = for grandmas
CORAZON = HEART
besame mucho = kiss me a lot
romantica = romantic
menos romantica = less romantic
me considero muy romantico = I consider myself very romantic
que cosas hace una persona romántica? = what things does a romantic person do?
sorpresas para otra persona = surprises for another person
comprar flores = buy flowers
cocinar un plato especial = cook a special dish
REGALOS = presents
viajes sorpresa = surprise trips
lugares romántico----- = romantic places-----
Venecia es un lugar romantico = Venice is a romantic place
nunca he estado en Venecia = I've never been to Venice
es muy bonito = it's very beautiful
no me encantan las gondolas = I don't love the gondolas
Venecia es muy bonita = Venice is very beautiful
es diferente de otras ciudades = it's different from other cities
la arquitectura es precioso = the architecture is beautiful
montar en bicicleta = ride a bike
caminar en la playa = walk on the beach
cenar juntos = dine together
para ti que es un dia romántico? = for you, what is a romantic day?
no soy romantica = I'm not romantic
pero para mi un fin de semana romántico es... = but for me a romantic weekend is...
caminar por la playa = walking on the beach
relajarme con mi marido = relaxing with my husband
cenar en un buen restaurante = dining in a good restaurant
ESTAR JUNTOS = BEING TOGETHER
pasar el tiempo juntos = spending time together
UNA HISTORIA DE AMOR = A LOVE STORY
pelicula - romantica = movie - romantic
Titanic = Titanic
una historia de amor muy corta y muy estúpida = a very short and very stupid love story
Pretty Woman = Pretty Woman
lei que ellos trabajaron en una segunda parte de Pretty Woman = I read they worked on a sequel to Pretty Woman
te gustaria verla? = would you like to see it?
TIENEN un final = THEY HAVE an ending
FELIZ = HAPPY
FINAL FELIZ = HAPPY ENDING

CONOCER a alguien = TO MEET someone
el es mayor (older) = he is older
MAYOR = older

es el hombre pero mas mayor (older) = he is the man but older
 fue al cine con su novio = she went to the cinema with her boyfriend
 después de ir a la playa = after going to the beach
 despues tuvo un accidente de trafico = then had a traffic accident
 hay 2 chicas diferentes = there are 2 different girls
 hay dos chicos diferentes = there are two different boys
 luego el hombre invitó a la chica a ver una pelicula = then the man invited the girl to watch a movie
 hubo un accidente = there was an accident
 el hombre murió = the man died
 la mujer conoció a un medico = the woman met a doctor
 la mujer del pelo corto puede ser la madre = the woman with short hair could be the mother
 puede ser con corazon primero y con la playa segundo = it could be with the heart first and with the beach second
 quiere a la otra mujer = she loves the other woman
 en la foto azul con el corazon y la mujer = in the blue photo with the heart and the woman
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 3 - hacerse amigos = 3 - to become friends
 estar en coma = to be in a coma
 tener un accidente = 4 = to have an accident = 4
 SALIR CON ALGUIEN = TO GO OUT WITH SOMEONE
 conocer a alguien = to meet someone for the first time
 SALIR con alguien = to go out or date someone
 el primera foto es un año despues = the first photo is a year later
 poco tiempo después las dos parejas QUEDARON = a little later the two couples MET
 y CELEBRARON la vida de Alex = and CELEBRATED Alex's life
 Maya ESTUVO embarazada = Maya WAS pregnant
 Maya TUVO un hijo = Maya HAD a child
 continua la historia con detalle y despacio = continue the story in detail and slowly
 que pasó después? = what happened next?
 fue una situación dificil = it was a difficult situation
 pero estuvieron felices = but they were happy
 un año después, en 2020 Maya TUVO un/a hijo/a = a year later, in 2020 Maya HAD a child
 Urquia fue el medico que le AYUDÓ = Urquia was the doctor who HELPED her
 Urquia FUE el medico de Maya = Urquia WAS Maya's doctor
 continua la historia con detalle = continue the story in detail
 es un misterio = it's a mystery
 quien es el padre del bebé? = who is the baby's father?
 SE HICIERON amigos y despues = THEY BECAME friends and later
 cuanto tiempo después, que pasó? = how much later, what happened?
 cuanto tiempo... una semana después, nueve meses despues = how much time... one week later, nine months later
 las dos parejas QUEDARON para celebrar la vida de Alex = the two couples MET to celebrate Alex's life
 Maya TUVO una hija con la ayuda del Doctor Urquia = Maya HAD a daughter with Doctor Urquia's help
 me parece bien = that seems fine to me
 un año después, en 2019, Alex salió con Maya = one year later, in 2019, Alex

dated Maya
Rosa salió con el doctor URquia = Rosa dated Doctor Urquia
salieron en grupo en el bar = they went out as a group in the bar
QUEDARON en un bar = they MET in a bar
SE HICIERON amigos = they BECAME friends
no HUBO sentimientos malos = there were NO bad feelings
aunque fue una situación extraña / rara = even though it was a strange situation
un año mas tarde, en 2019, MAYa TUVO un bebe = a year later, in 2019, Maya HAD a baby
el doctor URquia FUE el medico o quizás FUE el padre tambien = Doctor Urquia WAS the doctor or maybe he WAS the father too
es un misterio = it's a mystery
quien es el padre del bebe? = who is the baby's father?
bebieron demasiado esa noche = they drank too much that night
los 4 bebieron demasiado esa noche = all 4 drank too much that night
un año y medio después las dos parejas QUEDARON para celebrar la vida Alex = a year and a half later, the two couples MET to celebrate Alex's life
SE HICIERON amigos = they BECAME friends
Maya ESTUVO embarazada y TUVO una hija con la ayuda del doctor Urquia = Maya WAS pregnant and HAD a daughter with Doctor Urquia's help
en las fotos HUBO 3 botellas de cerveza = in the photos THERE WERE 3 beer bottles
FUERON felices ???? = WERE they happy ????
si, FUERON felices porque el bebe estuvo sano = yes, THEY WERE happy because the baby was healthy
todos SONRIERON = everyone SMILED
QUEDAR con alguien = TO MEET with someone
CONOCER a alguien = TO MEET someone
HACERSE amigos = TO BECOME friends
una semana despues = one week later
un mes despues = one month later
un año despues = one year later
dos años despues = two years later
durante ese tiempo = during that time
en 2025 = in 2025

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que hiciste ayer? = what did you do yesterday?
que hiciste allí en Berlin? = what did you do there in Berlin?
aprendí alemán durante una semana = I learned German for a week
el junio pasado = last June
aprendí alemán en una escuela de Berlin = I learned German at a school in Berlin
fue la primera vez que fuiste allí? = was it your first time going there?
no, fui en 2018 tambien = no, I went in 2018 too
pero fui para salir no para estudiar = but I went to go out, not to study
tuviste las clases todos los días? o medio dia? = did you have classes every day? or half-day?
tuve las clases de 8 a 1 de lunes a viernes = I had classes from 8 to 1 Monday to Friday
por las tardes, salí por la ciudad = in the afternoons, I went out around the city
y visité los monumentos = and visited the monuments
diiste = you said =

pensé = I thought
dije = I said
pensé en comprar una casa = I thought about buying a house
pensé en comprar una casa de vacaciones = I thought about buying a vacation home
ahora tienes una casa ? = do you have a house now?
no, pero en septiembre voy a ir = no, but I'm going in September
vamos a ir = we're going to go
vamos a ir a ver una propiedad = we're going to see a property
que emocionante! = how exciting!
otra cosa que HICE el año pasado = another thing I DID last year
fue que COMPRÉ un coche nuevo = was that I BOUGHT a new car
hace 5 años Bernie... que hiciste? = five years ago Bernie... what did you do?
que hiciste hace 5 años? = what did you do five years ago?
HACE 5 años - 5 years ago = FIVE years ago - 5 years ago
empecé a estudiar español = I started studying Spanish
trabajé en el hospital = I worked at the hospital
Hace 5 años = 5 years ago
en 2020 FUI la presidenta de mi profesion = in 2020 I WAS the president of my profession
FUE muy difícil = it WAS very difficult
FUE muy difícil, durante el covid = it WAS very difficult, during COVID
TUVIMOS reuniones en linea = we HAD online meetings
no PUDE = I couldn't
no PUDE = I couldn't
no PUDE viajar a otro pais = I couldn't travel to another country
me quedé en casa porque = I stayed home because
porque el mundo ESTUVO cerrado = because the world WAS closed
no tienes acento americano cuando hablas español = you don't have an American accent when you speak Spanish
mucha gente en los Estados Unidos = many people in the United States
probablemente cuando hablas en ingles = probably when you speak in English
mucha gente en los Estados Unidos no habla mas idiomas = many people in the United States don't speak more languages
en Irlanda tampoco , no hablan otros idiomas = in Ireland either, they don't speak other languages
mi marido es italiano tambien = my husband is Italian too
nos mudamos a Irlanda hace 25 años = we moved to Ireland 25 years ago
mis hijos FUERON muy pequeños = my children WERE very young
tengo 3 hijos, pero los otros son adultos ahora = I have 3 children, but the others are adults now
mis jefes no SUPIERON que TUVE 3 trabajos = my bosses didn't KNOW that I HAD 3 jobs
3 trabajos al mismo tiempo, durante el dia = 3 jobs at the same time, during the day
solo trabajo por internet (online) = I only work online
los trabajos FUERON difíciles? = were the jobs difficult?
si, pero FUERON similares = yes, but they WERE similar
pero no NECESITÉ mucho tiempo para hacerlos = but I didn't NEED much time to do them
echo de menos el tiempo hace 5 años = I miss the time from 5 years ago
ECHO DE MENOS = I miss
di 2 cosas que no hiciste ayer? = say 2 things you didn't do yesterday?
AYER NO..... = YESTERDAY I DIDN'T.....
2 cosas que no hiciste ayer? = 2 things you didn't do yesterday?

ayer no.... = yesterday I didn't....

ayer no FUI de compras = yesterday I DIDN'T GO shopping

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FUI = I went

ayer no TRABAJÉ = yesterday I DIDN'T WORK

TUVE el fin de semana libre = I HAD the weekend off

ayer no = yesterday I didn't

ayer no compré tampoco / no fui de compras = I didn't shop either / I didn't go shopping

ahora tengo que comprar = now I have to shop

ayer no limpié mi habitacion = yesterday I didn't clean my room

aburrida o entretenida? = boring or entertaining?

lavar la ropa = do the laundry

ayer no lavé la ropa = yesterday I didn't do the laundry

palabra del dia = word of the day

JUNTOS = TOGETHER

HACERSE AMIGOS = TO BECOME FRIENDS

ENTRETENIDA = ENTERTAINING

ABURRIDO = BORING