

Tell me why

Listen to the song and do the following exercises:

Part 1: Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verbs: (give- do- have- sing- be- miss- wake)

In my dreams, children ¹⁾ sing a song of love for every boy and girl
 The sky is blue, the fields ²⁾ are green
 And the laughter is the language of the world
 Then I ³⁾ miss and all I see is a world full of people in need

[Chorus]

Tell me why, (why) ⁴⁾ do it to be like this?
 Tell me why, (why) is there something I have ⁵⁾ given?
 Tell me why, (why) cause I ⁶⁾ don't understand
 When so many need somebody
 We don't ⁷⁾ have a helping hand
 Tell me why

Part 2: Put the lines in the correct order [1.43]


- ☐ What will I have to do to be a man
- ☐ To prove to everybody who I am
- ☐ To waste in a world full of war
- ☐ Do I have to stand and fight?
- ☐ Is that what my life is for?
- ☒ 1 Every day, I ask myself

[Chorus]


Tell me why (Tell me why) **3 times**.
 Just tell me why (why, why, why)


[Chorus]

Part 3: Fill in the blanks with the missing words. The first letter [3.25]

Tell me why (Why why, does the ¹⁾ T  run?)
 Tell me why (Why why, do we shoot the gun?)
 Tell me why (Why why, do we ²⁾ N learn?)
 Can someone tell us why we let the forests burn

(Why why do we say we care?) tell me why
 (Why why do we stand and stare?) tell me why
 (Why why do the dolphins ³⁾ C ?)

Can someone tell us why we let the ⁴⁾ O  die
 (Why why if we're all the same?) tell me why
 (Why why do we pass the blame?) tell me why
 (Why why does it never end?)

Can someone tell us why we cannot just be ⁵⁾ F ?
 (Why why do we close our ⁶⁾ e  ?)
 (Why why do we really lie?)
 (Why why do we fight for land?)
 Can someone tell us why cause we don't understand. Why, why?

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