Salifou by Róisín Clark - Age 10

You took Salifou our lovely friend, my rock, Such a wonderful musician, Such a wonderful friend. Life feels empty at this moment in time.

Why did you do it? Life is not kind. Such a great person. If only you knew, The joy he brought us.

A father of two. God bless you, Salífou, Wherever you are.

For I know your drumming, Will be heard near and far, You were always smiling, It was joyful to see.

I just wish you could be here, near to me. So thank you, Salífou, For all that you gave, For I've got the memories, Which I promise to save.

So, please, dear God, For you have him now, And we have to mend.

Take care of our friend.





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