【挑战TIME】02期:RememberingPrince Diana PDF转换可能丢 失图片或格式,建议阅读原文 https://www.100test.com/kao_ti2020/269/2021_2022__E3_80_90_E 6_8C_91_E6_88_98T_c67_269495.htm Remembering Princess Diana Introduction 十年前的8月31日,被誉为"英伦玫瑰"的 戴安娜与男友多迪在巴黎那个著名的隧道香消玉殒。一时间 , 举国哀悼, 全世界25亿人口同时关注那场葬礼。十年后, 同样是8月31日,媒体仍关注着,当年痛心惋惜的人却逐渐走 向沉默。十年的沉淀,他们理性了,但他们将永远记得,英 国曾经有位高贵善良的王妃,她叫戴安娜…… Vocabulary funeral n.葬礼, 出殡 chapel n.小礼拜堂, 礼拜 second v. 赞同 get a a raw deal 给予不公平的待遇 (请泛读本文) ArticleA decade later, the memory of her remains, but how much else has changed. After the death of Diana, Princess of Wales, in 1997, Princes William and Harry (then aged 15 and 12, respectively) marched through central London, their little heads bowed, toward their mother 's funeral. Today, with the sun shining bright on the day of a memorial service marking the 10th anniversary of her death, things couldn 't have felt more different. Loud cheers from the crowd got cheeky smiles and a wave from the same two Princes today as they made their way out of Guards Chapel, near Buckingham Palace, after the service. Elton John, who sang sad songs at Diana 's funeral, strode out to the kind of applause he 'd have been more used to on stage. Even Gordon Brown, as fresh a British Prime Minister as Tony Blair was when Diana was killed, got his own big cheer. (The cool Scot responded with a nod.) This was a day of remembrance, yes, but not

really a day of grieving. Unlike the flood of despair that poured forth in 1997, this time around there was barely a tear. Along the pavement towards Guards Chapel, some stared off into the distance, while others warbled to the hymns piped out over loud speakers from inside the service. Done with humming, "The Lord's My Shepherd," Londoner John Santos fondly remembered "an outstanding woman with a common touch." Showing up today, he said, was simply to make sure that "won't be forgotten." Harry seconded that. "To us, just two loving children, she was quite simply the best mother in the world," the younger Prince said of his mother with the crowds outside now listening in silence. Losing her, he said, was "indescribably shocking and sad." But his message, met with applause, was clear: "She made us and so many other people happy. May this be the way that she is remembered." A couple of miles down the road, in the gardens of Kensington Palace, Diana 's old home, those memories were very much alive. If the crowd gathered at the chapel was reserved and respectful, this was the place for Union Jack-covered folding chairs and a strong sense of many people 's still very protective stake in Diana. Here, as one sign pinned to the Palace 's thick, black, gilt-edged gates read, was "The People 's Memorial." Depending where you looked, amid the pink paper hearts and purple balloons, Diana was "The People's Princess," "The Queen of Hearts" or "England' s Rose." Out of earshot of the royal family, this was also the place to deal in harsher, edgier thoughts. Rosemary, a Londoner in her 50s who declined to give her last name, insisted that Diana "got a raw deal." Another

woman lamented her "appalling treatment from day one of her marriage." Laminated newspaper stories smearing Prince Charles were pinned to the gates. One banner, screaming "LONG LIVE THE QUEEN/DIANA FOREVER," was far less polite about Charles and Camilla, Charles ' life-long love who is now his wife. The reason a decade hasn 't dimmed Diana 's memory, said a third woman, "is that she epitomized every facet of human frailty, and reached out in a very hostile world." But you couldn 't help feel life has moved on since 1997. Outside the chapel, joggers passed one way through the crowds, newspaper sellers another. In the gardens at Kensington, a handful of rugby players from England 's national team were even running through drills ahead of next month 's World Cup. The Princes, both fans of the game, would surely have smiled at that. Reference 时代封面故事:别了!戴安娜王妃 Ten Years On: Why Diana Mattered Homework1.请翻译"A decade later, the memory of her remains, but how much else has changed. " 2. What is the main idear of this Article? 3. 猜猜是谁? who said Diana was best mother in the world? who said Diana was an outstanding woman? who was "England' s Rose"? who insited Diana "got a raw deal" 4.the reason a deacade hasn 't dimmed Diana 's memory 参 考答案:1十年过去了,她留下的记忆却没有多少其他的改 变。 2 Different people give their their repsponses in 10th anniversary of Diana death.3Harry John Santos Diana Rosemarry 4 is that she epitomized every facet of human frailty, and reached out in a very hostile world." 100Test 下载频道开通,各类考试题目直接 下载。详细请访问 www.100test.com