



## Fill in the gaps

### Cats in the cradle by Ugly Kid Joe

My child (1)\_\_\_\_\_ (2)\_\_\_\_\_ the other day  
Come to the world in the usual way  
But there were planes to catch  
And bills to pay  
He learned to walk (3)\_\_\_\_\_ I was away  
He was talking for a minute  
And as he grew  
He'd say I'm gonna be (4)\_\_\_\_\_ you Dad  
You know I'm (5)\_\_\_\_\_ be (6)\_\_\_\_\_ you  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the silver spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' home son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You know we'll have  
A good time then  
Well my son turned ten  
Just the other day  
He said thanks for the ball Dad  
Come on let's play  
Can you teach me to throw  
I said not today - I got a lot to do  
He said that's o.k.  
And he walked away and he  
Smiled and he said  
You know I'm gonna be like him yeah  
You (7)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm gonna be (8)\_\_\_\_\_ him  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the silver spoon  
Little boy (9)\_\_\_\_\_ and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' home son  
I don't know when  
We'll get (10)\_\_\_\_\_ then  
You know we'll have  
A good time then  
Well he came from college  
Just the other day  
So (11)\_\_\_\_\_ like a man I just had to say  
I'm proud of you (12)\_\_\_\_\_ you  
Sit for a while  
He shook his head  
And he (13)\_\_\_\_\_ with a smile  
What I'd (14)\_\_\_\_\_ like Dad

Is to borrow the car keys  
See you (15)\_\_\_\_\_ can I have (16)\_\_\_\_\_ please  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the (17)\_\_\_\_\_ spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' home son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You know we'll have  
A good time then  
I've long since retired  
My son's moved away  
I called him up (18)\_\_\_\_\_ the other day  
I'd (19)\_\_\_\_\_ to see you if you don't mind  
He said  
I'd love to Dad  
If I could find the time  
You see my new job's hassle  
And the kids (20)\_\_\_\_\_ the flu  
But it's sure nice talking to you Dad  
It's been sure (21)\_\_\_\_\_ talking to you  
And as I (22)\_\_\_\_\_ up the phone  
I occured to me  
He'd grown up just like me  
My boy was just like me  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the silver spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' home son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You (23)\_\_\_\_\_ we'll have  
A (24)\_\_\_\_\_ time then  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the silver spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' home son  
I don't (25)\_\_\_\_\_ when  
We'll get together then  
You know we'll have  
A good time then



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### Answer

1. arrived
2. just
3. while
4. like
5. gonna
6. like
7. know
8. like
9. blue
10. together
11. much
12. could
13. said
14. really
15. later
16. them
17. silver
18. just
19. like
20. have
21. nice
22. hung
23. know
24. good
25. know