



## Fill in the gaps

### Outlaw Pete by Bruce Springsteen

He was born a little baby on the Appalachian Trail  
At six months old he'd done three (1)\_\_\_\_\_ in jail  
He robbed a bank in his diapers and his little (2)\_\_\_\_\_  
(3)\_\_\_\_\_ feet  
All he said was "Folks, my name is Outlaw Pete."  
I'm Outlaw Pete!  
I'm Outlaw Pete!  
Can you (4)\_\_\_\_\_ me?  
At twenty-five a mustang (5)\_\_\_\_\_ he did steal  
And they (6)\_\_\_\_\_ around and 'round on heaven's wheel  
Father Jesus, I'm an outlaw killer and a thief  
And I slow down only to sow my grief  
I'm Outlaw Pete!  
I'm Outlaw Pete!  
Can you hear me?  
They cut his trail of tears across the countryside  
And where he went, women wept and men died  
One night he woke from a (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of his own  
death  
Saddled his pony and (8)\_\_\_\_\_ her deep into the West  
Married a (9)\_\_\_\_\_ girl and settled down on the res  
And as the snow fell he held  
That beautiful (10)\_\_\_\_\_ to his chest  
I'm Outlaw Pete!  
I'm Outlaw Pete!  
Can you hear me?  
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Out of the (11)\_\_\_\_\_ on an Irish stallion came Bounty  
Hunter Dan  
His heart quickened and burned by the need to get his man  
He found Pete (12)\_\_\_\_\_ fishing by the  
river  
Pulled his gun and got the drop

He said, "Pete, you think you've changed, but you have not."  
He (13)\_\_\_\_\_ his pistol, pulled the trigger  
And shouted "let it start"  
Pete drew a knife from his boot, threw it,  
And pierced Dan through the heart  
Dan smiled as he laid in his own (14)\_\_\_\_\_ dying in  
the sun  
And whispered in Pete's ear,  
"We cannot (15)\_\_\_\_\_ these things we've done."  
You're Outlaw Pete!  
You're Outlaw Pete!  
Can you (16)\_\_\_\_\_ me?  
Can you hear me?  
Can you hear me?  
For (17)\_\_\_\_\_ days and nights Pete (18)\_\_\_\_\_  
and did not stop  
Till he sat high upon an icy (19)\_\_\_\_\_ top  
He watched the hawk on a desert (20)\_\_\_\_\_ slip  
and slide  
Moved to the edge and dug his spurs deep into his pony side  
Some say Pete and his pony vanished over the edge  
Some say they (21)\_\_\_\_\_ frozen high upon  
(22)\_\_\_\_\_ icy ledge  
The young Navajo girl washes in the river, (23)\_\_\_\_\_ so  
fair  
And braids a piece of Pete's (24)\_\_\_\_\_  
(25)\_\_\_\_\_ into her hair  
Outlaw Pete!  
Outlaw Pete!  
Can you hear me?  
Can you (26)\_\_\_\_\_ me?  
Can you hear me?  
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### Answer

1. months
2. bare
3. baby
4. hear
5. pony
6. rode
7. vision
8. rode
9. Navajo
10. daughter
11. East
12. peacefully
13. cocked
14. blood
15. undo
16. hear
17. forty
18. rode
19. mountain
20. updraft
21. remain
22. that
23. skin
24. buckskin
25. chaps
26. hear