



## Fill in the gaps

### Rose Of England by Chris De Burgh

Hear my (1)\_\_\_\_\_ and listen well, and a  
(2)\_\_\_\_\_ I (3)\_\_\_\_\_ tell,  
How duty brought a broken heart, and why a love so strong  
Must fall apart;  
She was lovely, she was fine, daughter of a royal line,  
He, no equal, but for them it mattered little for they were in  
love;  
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,  
Rose of England, have a care, for where the (4)\_\_\_\_\_  
is,  
There the blood will run;  
Oh my heart, oh my heart;  
Through the summer days and nights, (5)\_\_\_\_\_  
kisses and delights  
Would thrill their hearts and (6)\_\_\_\_\_ (7)\_\_\_\_\_  
dreams with all emotions  
That (8)\_\_\_\_\_ love can bring;  
But (9)\_\_\_\_\_ of mourning (10)\_\_\_\_\_ one day,  
(11)\_\_\_\_\_ her sister (12)\_\_\_\_\_ away,  
And many said on bended knee, she has gone, and you  
(13)\_\_\_\_\_ be our Queen;  
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,  
Rose of England, have a care, for (14)\_\_\_\_\_ the thorn  
is,  
There the blood (15)\_\_\_\_\_ run;

Oh my heart, oh my heart;  
To the abbey she did ride, with her lover by her side,  
When they heard the church bells ring, she was Queen  
And one day, he'd be King;  
But men of malice, men of hate, protesting to her  
(16)\_\_\_\_\_ came,  
"A foreign (17)\_\_\_\_\_ will (18)\_\_\_\_\_ your hand,  
for he'll bring peace  
And riches to our land;"  
She said, "Do you tell me that I cannot wed the one I love?  
Do you (19)\_\_\_\_\_ me that I am not mistress of my  
heart?"  
And so with heavy weight of (20)\_\_\_\_\_ she kissed her  
lover one last time,  
"This land I wed, and no man comes, for if I cannot have you,  
I'll (21)\_\_\_\_\_ none;"  
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the  
sun,  
Rose of England have a care, for where the thorn is,  
There the blood will run;  
Oh my heart, oh my heart.



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### Answer

1. voice
2. story
3. will
4. thorn
5. stolen
6. fill
7. their
8. true
9. black
10. came
11. when
12. passed
13. must
14. where
15. will
16. chambers
17. prince
18. have
19. tell
20. life
21. have
22. with