



## Fill in the gaps

### Tangled Up In Blue (Live) by Bob Dylan

Early one morning, the sun was shinin'  
She was layin' in bed  
Wondering if she'd changed it all  
If her hair was still red  
Her folks (1)\_\_\_\_\_ said their lives together  
Sure was gonna be rough  
They never did (2)\_\_\_\_\_ mama's homemade dress  
Papa's bankbook wasn't big enough  
And he was standing on the side of the road  
Rain (3)\_\_\_\_\_ on my shoes  
Heading out for the east coast  
Lord knows he's paid some dues  
Getting through  
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She was married when they (4)\_\_\_\_\_ met  
Soon to be divorced  
He helped her out of a jam, I guess  
But he used a (5)\_\_\_\_\_ too (6)\_\_\_\_\_ force  
And they (7)\_\_\_\_\_ that car as far as they could  
Abandoned it out west  
Split up on a dark, sad night  
Both agreeing it was best  
And she turned around to look at him  
As he was walking away  
Saying over his shoulder  
"We'll meet again someday on the avenue"  
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He had a job in Santa Fe  
Working in an old hotel  
But he never did like it all that much  
And one day it just went to hell  
So he (8)\_\_\_\_\_ down to New Orleans  
Lucky not to be destroyed  
Well he got him a job on a (9)\_\_\_\_\_ boat  
Right outside of Delacroix  
But all the while he was alone  
The (10)\_\_\_\_\_ was (11)\_\_\_\_\_ behind  
He seen a lot of women  
But she never escaped his mind  
And he just grew  
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She was working in a topless place  
And I stopped in for a beer  
I just kept looking at the sight of her face  
In the spotlight so clear  
And later on when the (12)\_\_\_\_\_ thinned out  
I was just (13)\_\_\_\_\_ to do the same  
She was standing there (14)\_\_\_\_\_ beside my chair  
Said, "Don't tell me, let me guess your name?"  
I (15)\_\_\_\_\_ muttered  
(16)\_\_\_\_\_ my breath  
She (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the lines on my face  
I (18)\_\_\_\_\_ admit I (19)\_\_\_\_\_ a (20)\_\_\_\_\_ uneasy  
When she bent (21)\_\_\_\_\_ to tie the laces of my shoe  
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I (22)\_\_\_\_\_ with them on Montague Street  
In a basement down the stairs  
There was music in the cafes at night  
And revolution in the air  
Then he started into dealing with slaves  
And something inside of him died  
She had to sell everything she owned  
And froze up inside  
And (23)\_\_\_\_\_ it all came crashing down  
I became withdrawn  
The only thing I knew how to do  
Was to keep on keeping on like a bird (24)\_\_\_\_\_ flew  
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So now I'm going back again  
I got to get her somehow  
All the (25)\_\_\_\_\_ we used to know  
They're an (26)\_\_\_\_\_ to me now  
Some are mathematicians  
Some are carpenter's wives  
Don't know how it all got started  
I don't (27)\_\_\_\_\_ they do with their lives  
But me, I'm still on the road  
Heading for another joint  
We always did feel the same  
We (28)\_\_\_\_\_ saw it from a different point of view  
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Answer

**Fill in the gaps**

1. they
2. like
3. falling
4. first
5. little
6. much
7. drove
8. drifted
9. fishing
10. past
11. close
12. crowd
13. about
14. right
15. something
16. underneath
17. studied
18. must
19. felt
20. little
21. down
22. lived
23. when
24. that
25. faces
26. illusion
27. what
28. just