



## Fill in the gaps

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If it weren't for your maturity  
None of this would have happened  
If you weren't so (1)\_\_\_\_\_ beyond (2)\_\_\_\_\_ years  
I would've been able to (3)\_\_\_\_\_ myself  
If it weren't for my attention  
You wouldn't (4)\_\_\_\_\_ (5)\_\_\_\_\_ successful, and if  
If it weren't for me, you would never  
Have amounted to very much  
This could be messy, but  
But you don't seem to mind, and  
Don't go telling everybody, and  
And over-look this supposed crime  
We'll fast forward to a few years later, and  
And no one knows except the both of us  
And I (6)\_\_\_\_\_ honored your request for silence  
And you've washed your hands clean of this  
You're essentially an employee  
And I like you having to depend on me  
You're a kind of protégé and one day you'll say  
You (7)\_\_\_\_\_ all you (8)\_\_\_\_\_ from me, and  
And I know you depend on me  
Like a young thing (9)\_\_\_\_\_ to a guardian  
I know you sexualize me  
Like a (10)\_\_\_\_\_ thing would and I think I like it  
This could get messy, but  
You don't seem to mind  
Dude, don't go telling everybody, and  
Over-look this supposed crime  
We'll fast forward to a few years later, and  
No one (11)\_\_\_\_\_ except the (12)\_\_\_\_\_ of us  
I've more than (13)\_\_\_\_\_ (14)\_\_\_\_\_ request  
for silence

And you've washed your hands clean of this  
What part of our history's re-invented and under rug swept  
What (15)\_\_\_\_\_ of your memory is selective and tends to  
forget  
What (16)\_\_\_\_\_ this distance it seems so obvious  
Just make (17)\_\_\_\_\_ you don't tell on me  
Especially to members of your family  
We best keep this to ourselves  
And not tell any members of our (18)\_\_\_\_\_ posse  
I wish I could tell the world  
'Cause you're such a pretty thing  
When you're done up properly  
I might wanna marry you one day  
If you'd watch (19)\_\_\_\_\_ weight and you keep your  
(20)\_\_\_\_\_ body  
This could be messy  
I don't seem to mind  
Don't go telling everybody, and  
Over-look (21)\_\_\_\_\_ supposed crime  
We'll fast forward to a few years later, and  
No one knows except the both of us  
And I have honored your (22)\_\_\_\_\_ for silence  
And you've washed your hands clean of this  
This (23)\_\_\_\_\_ get messy, but  
I don't seem to mind  
Don't go telling everybody, and  
Over-look this supposed crime  
We'll (24)\_\_\_\_\_ forward to a few (25)\_\_\_\_\_ later,  
and  
No one knows except the (26)\_\_\_\_\_ of us  
And I have honored (27)\_\_\_\_\_ request for silence  
And you've (28)\_\_\_\_\_ your hands clean of this



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**Answer**

1. wise
2. your
3. control
4. have
5. been
6. have
7. learned
8. know
9. would
10. young
11. knows
12. both
13. honored
14. your
15. part
16. with
17. sure
18. inner
19. that
20. firm
21. this
22. request
23. could
24. fast
25. years
26. both
27. your
28. washed