



Fill in the gaps

The World Moves On (Studio) by Jens Lekman

(And this song is called)

(The world (1)_____ on)

The thermometer ran out of numbers

When it reached 50 degrees

I just lay down on the floor

With a bag of frozen peas

We saw plumes of smoke rising

In the distance from our balcony

I poured a (2)_____ of wine

Sucked the (3)_____ out of a kiwi

Catherine turned on the TV

They showed (4)_____ after acres

Of absolutely nothing

And then Stevie called and said

Are you watching what I'm watching?

I said I'm (5)_____ what you're watching

But what is it I'm watching?

The night before I had been bored

And my (6)_____ had been restless

It was my birthday

I'd already (7)_____ up my presents

At the social club, I met some friends

Who were friends with this girl

One by one they dropped off

Till it was just me and her

We made out in (8)_____ bar in town

While the state of Victoria

Burned down to the ground

And the sun (9)_____ over the city



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The (10)_____ swept through the valley

And you don't get over a broken heart

You just (11)_____ to carry it gracefully

The Edinburgh Gardens offered

Some kind of shade

I would pick up some beers

And head down there late

Watch the possums and listen

To their Growling banter

There was one I liked especially

I named her Sam as in Samantha

I offered a slice of apple from my hand

She would sniff it, frown

And then lumber back to the trash can

I was going uphill on my Malvern Star

When I was passed by a scooter

You got a dollar or a cigarette?

Hey, I'm talking to you, poofter

What I should have said was nothing

What I said was "get lost"

Next time I'm upside-down with my bike in the dust

Spitting (12)_____ all the way home

Cursing the very (13)_____ that I was (14)_____ on

And the sun rose over the city

The wind swept through the valley

And you don't get over a broken heart

You just learn to carry it gracefully

And that's what it's like

When you've had your heart broken

The world just shrugs its shoulders



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And (15)_____ going

It just moves on in all its sadness and glory

Over dinner with a friend

I tell her my story

And as I finally put the book

Back on the shelf

She says

Maybe it's time you take a look at yourself

No one's born an *****

It takes a lot of hard work

But God knows I've worked my ass off

To be a jerk

So many hands I've held

While (16)_____ why I (17)_____ nothing

And why, when I let go of that hand

I (18)_____ start to feel something

And like a bottle smashed against my head

She'd say

I (19)_____ you just would've cheated on me instead

And (20)_____ without loving

Is (21)_____ the worst crime

I (22)_____ all the (23)_____ and signals

'Cause now I've been on both sides

The way you choose your words

The limpness of your hand

I almost died when you introduced me as a friend

How can you call me a friend?

If you don't love me

Then (24)_____ have the (25)_____ to tell me

But I never said any of that



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I (26)_____ shook that hand

And looked down at the doormat

The sun rose (27)_____ the city

The wind swept through the valley

And you don't get over a broken heart

You just (28)_____ to carry it gracefully



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Answer

1. moves
2. glass
3. juice
4. acres
5. watching
6. legs
7. opened
8. every
9. rose
10. wind
11. learn
12. dirt
13. ground
14. chewing
15. gets
16. wondering
17. felt
18. always
19. wish
20. loving
21. always
22. know
23. signs
24. please
25. dignity
26. just
27. over
28. learn