



## Fill in the gaps

### 50 ways to leave your lover by Paul Simon

"The problem is all inside your head", she said to me

The (1)\_\_\_\_\_ is (2)\_\_\_\_\_ if you take it  
logically

I'd like to help you in your struggle to be free

There must be fifty ways to leave your lover

She said it's really not my (3)\_\_\_\_\_ to intrude

Furthermore, I hope my (4)\_\_\_\_\_  
won't be lost or misconstrued

But I'll repeat myself, at the risk of being crude

There must be fifty (5)\_\_\_\_\_ to (6)\_\_\_\_\_ your  
lover

Fifty ways to leave your lover

You just (7)\_\_\_\_\_ out the back, Jack

Make a new plan, Stan

You don't need to be coy, Roy

Just get yourself free

Hop on the bus, Gus

You don't need to (8)\_\_\_\_\_ much

Just drop off the key, Lee

And get yourself free

Oh slip out the back, Jack

(9)\_\_\_\_\_ a new plan, Stan

You don't need to be coy, Roy

(10)\_\_\_\_\_ listen to me

Hop on the bus, Gus

You don't need to discuss much

Just (11)\_\_\_\_\_ off the key, Lee

And get (12)\_\_\_\_\_ free

She said it grieves me so

to see you in such pain

I wish there was something

I (13)\_\_\_\_\_ do to make you smile again

I said I (14)\_\_\_\_\_ that and would you  
please explain

About the fifty ways

She said

why don't we both just (15)\_\_\_\_\_ on it tonight

And I (16)\_\_\_\_\_ in the morning

you'll begin to see the light

And then she kissed me

and I realized she probably was right

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Answer

1. answer
2. easy
3. habit
4. meaning
5. ways
6. leave
7. slip
8. discuss
9. Make
10. Just
11. drop
12. yourself
13. could
14. appreciate
15. sleep
16. believe
17. leave
18. just
19. Just
20. Slip