



## Fill in the gaps

### Crusader by Chris De Burgh

"What do I do next?" said the bishop to the priest,  
"I (1)\_\_\_\_\_ spent my whole life waiting, preparing for the  
feast,  
And now you say Jerusalem has fallen and is lost,  
The king of heathen Saracen has seized the holy cross;"  
Then the priest said "Oh my bishop, we (2)\_\_\_\_\_ put  
them to the sword,  
For God in all His mercy will find a just reward,  
For the noblemen and sinners, and knights of (3)\_\_\_\_\_  
hand,  
Who (4)\_\_\_\_\_ be the Lord's Crusader, send word  
through all the land,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost;"  
"Tell me what to do", said the king upon his throne,  
"but speak to me in whispers for we are not alone,  
They (5)\_\_\_\_\_ me that Jerusalem has (6)\_\_\_\_\_  
to the hand,  
Of some bedevilled eastern Heathen who has seized the Holy  
Land;"  
Then the (7)\_\_\_\_\_ (8)\_\_\_\_\_  
"Lord, we must call upon our foes  
In Spain and France and Germany to end our bitter wars,  
All Christian men must be as one and gather for the fight,  
You will be their leader, begin the battle cry,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost"..  
Ooh, high on a hill, in the town of Jerusalem,  
There stood Saladin, the (9)\_\_\_\_\_ of the Saracens,  
Whoring and drinking and snoring and sinking, around him his  
(10)\_\_\_\_\_ lay,  
Secure in the knowledge that he had won the day;  
A messenger came, blood on his feet and a wound in his  
chest,  
"The Christians are coming!" he said, "I (11)\_\_\_\_\_ seen  
(12)\_\_\_\_\_ cross in the west,"  
In a rage Saladin struck him down with his knife,  
And he said "I know that this man lies,  
They quarrel too much, the Christians could never unite!  
I am invincible, I am the king,  
I am invincible, and I will win..."  
Closer they came, the army of Richard the Lionheart,  
Marching by day and night, with soldiers from every part,  
And when the Crusaders (13)\_\_\_\_\_ over the mountain  
and they saw Jerusalem,



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They fell to their knees and (14)\_\_\_\_\_ for her release;

They started the battle at dawn, (15)\_\_\_\_\_ the city by storm,

With (16)\_\_\_\_\_ and bowmen and engines of war,

They broke through the city walls,

The Heathens (17)\_\_\_\_\_ flying and screaming and dying,

And the Christian swords were strong,

And Saladin ran when he heard their victory song;

"We are invincible, God is the king,

We are invincible, and we will win!"

"What do I do now?" (18)\_\_\_\_\_ the wise man to the fool,

"I have spent my whole life searching, to (19)\_\_\_\_\_ the Golden Rule,

Though centuries have disappeared, the memory still remains, Of those enemies together, could it be that way again?"

Then the fool said "Oh you wise men, you really make me laugh,

With your talk of vast persuasion and searching through the past,

There is only greed and evil in the men who fight today,

The song of the Crusader has long since gone away,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost...

They started the battle at dawn, (20)\_\_\_\_\_ the (21)\_\_\_\_\_ by storm,

With horsemen and (22)\_\_\_\_\_ and engines of war,

They broke through the city walls,

The Heathens were (23)\_\_\_\_\_ and screaming and dying,

And the Christian swords were strong,

And (24)\_\_\_\_\_ ran when he heard their

(25)\_\_\_\_\_ song;

"We are invincible, God is the king,

We are invincible, and we (26)\_\_\_\_\_ win!"

"What do I do now?" said the wise man to the fool,

"I have spent my whole life searching, to find the Golden Rule,

Though centuries (27)\_\_\_\_\_ disappeared, the memory still remains,

Of those enemies together, could it be that way again?"

Then the fool said "Oh you (28)\_\_\_\_\_ men, you really make me laugh,

With your talk of vast (29)\_\_\_\_\_ and searching through the past,

There is only greed and evil in the men who fight today,

The song of the (30)\_\_\_\_\_ has long since gone away,

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Jerusalem."



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**Answer**

1. have
2. must
3. ready
4. will
5. tell
6. fallen
7. chamberlain
8. said
9. king
10. army
11. have
12. their
13. came
14. prayed
15. taking
16. horsemen
17. were
18. said
19. find
20. taking
21. city
22. bowmen
23. flying
24. Saladin
25. victory
26. will
27. have
28. wise
29. persuasion
30. Crusader