



Fill in the gaps

The River (Live) by Bruce Springsteen

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I (1)_____ (2)_____ (3)_____ in the valley

Where (4)_____ when you're young

They bring you up to do

Like your daddy done

Me and Mary we met in high school

When she was just seventeen

We'd drive out of this valley

Down to where the fields were green

We'd go down to the river

And (5)_____ the (6)_____ we'd dive

(Oh oh) (7)_____ to the river we'd ride

Then I got (8)_____ pregnant

And man that was all she wrote

And for my nineteenth birthday

I got a union card and a wedding coat

We went down to the courthouse

And the judge put it all to rest

No wedding day smiles

No walk down the aisle

No flowers, no (9)_____ dress

We (10)_____ down to the river

And (11)_____ the river we'd dive

(Oh oh) down to the (12)_____ we'd ride

I got a job (13)_____ construction

For the Johnstown Company

But lately there ain't been no work

On account of the economy

Now all them (14)_____ (15)_____

(16)_____ so important

Well mister they vanished right (17)_____ the air

I just act like I don't remember

Mary acts (18)_____ she don't care

But I remember us riding in my brother's car

Her body (19)_____ and wet down at the reservoir

At night on them banks I'd lie awake

And pull her close just to feel each (20)_____ she'd

take

Now the memories come back to (21)_____ me

They haunt me like a curse

Is a dream a lie if it don't (22)_____ true

Or is it something worse

That sends me down to the river

Though I know the (23)_____ is dry

(Oh oh) down to the river tonight

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Down to the river

My baby and I

(Oh oh) down to the (24)_____ we ride

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Answer

1. come
2. from
3. down
4. mister
5. into
6. river
7. down
8. Mary
9. wedding
10. went
11. into
12. river
13. working
14. things
15. that
16. seemed
17. into
18. like
19. tanned
20. breath
21. haunt
22. come
23. river
24. river