



## Man Down by Rihanna

### Fill in the gaps

I didn't (1)\_\_\_\_\_ to end his life  
I know it wasn't right  
I didn't (2)\_\_\_\_\_ to end his life  
I know it wasn't right  
I (3)\_\_\_\_\_ even sleep at night  
Cant get it off my mind  
I need to get out of sight  
Before I end up behind bars  
What started out as a simple altercation  
Turned into a real sticky situation  
Me just thinking on the time that im facing  
Makes me wanna cry  
Cause I didn't mean to hurt him  
Coulda (4)\_\_\_\_\_ somebodies son  
And I took his heart when  
I pulled up that gun  
Rum bum bum rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum  
Man Down  
Rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum  
Man Down  
Oh mama mama mama  
I just (5)\_\_\_\_\_ a man down  
In central station  
In front of a big ol crowd  
Oh Why Oh Why  
Oh mama mama mama  
I (6)\_\_\_\_\_ shot a man down  
In central station  
It's a 22  
I Call her peggy sue  
When she fits right down in my shoes  
What do you expect me to do  
If you're playing me for a fool  
I (7)\_\_\_\_\_ lose my cool  
And reach for my fire arm  
I didn't mean to lay him down  
But its too late to turn (8)\_\_\_\_\_ now  
Don't know what I was thinking  
Now hes no longer living  
So imma (9)\_\_\_\_\_ to (10)\_\_\_\_\_ town  
Cause I didn't mean to hurt him  
Coulda been somebodies son  
And I (11)\_\_\_\_\_ his heart when

I pulled up (12)\_\_\_\_\_ gun  
Rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum  
Man Down  
Rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum  
Man Down  
Oh mama mama mama  
I just (13)\_\_\_\_\_ a man down  
In central station  
In front of a big ol crowd  
Oh Why Oh Why  
Oh mama mama mama  
I (14)\_\_\_\_\_ (15)\_\_\_\_\_ a man down  
In central station  
Look I (16)\_\_\_\_\_ thought id do it  
Never thought id do it  
Never (17)\_\_\_\_\_ id do it  
Oh gosh  
What ever happened to me  
Ever happened to me  
Ever happened to me  
Why did I (18)\_\_\_\_\_ the trigger  
Pull the trigger pull the trigger BOOM  
And end a ni\*\*a end a ni\*\*as life so soon  
When I pull the trigger (19)\_\_\_\_\_ the trigger pull it on you  
Somebody tell me what imma what imma do  
Rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum  
They say one man down  
Rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum  
And I ran downtown  
Cause now imma (20)\_\_\_\_\_ criminal criminal  
Oh lord oh mercy now I am a criminal  
Man Down  
Tell the judge please give me minimal  
Run out of town on the Grand seminal seminal  
Oh (21)\_\_\_\_\_ mama mama  
I just (22)\_\_\_\_\_ a man down  
In (23)\_\_\_\_\_ station  
In (24)\_\_\_\_\_ of a big ol crowd  
Oh Why Oh Why  
Oh mama (25)\_\_\_\_\_ mama  
I just shot a man down  
In central station



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. mean
2. mean
3. cant
4. been
5. shot
6. just
7. will
8. back
9. bout
10. leave
11. took
12. that
13. shot
14. just
15. shot
16. never
17. thought
18. pull
19. pull
20. criminal
21. mama
22. shot
23. central
24. front
25. mama