



Fill in the gaps

Crusader by Chris De Burgh

"What do I do next?" said the (1)_____ to the priest,
"I have (2)_____ 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 (3)_____ put
them to the sword,
For God in all His mercy will find a just reward,
For the noblemen and sinners, and knights of ready hand,
Who will be the Lord's Crusader, send word
(4)_____ 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
(7)_____ Land;"
Then the chamberlain said "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 (8)_____ for
the fight,
You will be their leader, (9)_____ 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 king of the Saracens,
Whoring and (10)_____ and snoring and
sinking, around him his army lay,
Secure in the knowledge (11)_____ 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 have seen their cross
in the west,"
In a rage Saladin struck him (12)_____ with his knife,
And he said "I (13)_____ 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 (14)_____ every
part,
And when the Crusaders (15)_____ over the mountain
and they saw Jerusalem,



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They fell to (16)_____ knees and prayed for her release;

They started the battle at dawn, taking the city by storm,
With horsemen and bowmen and engines of war,

They broke through the city walls,
The Heathens were flying and screaming and dying,
And the Christian (17)_____ (18)_____ 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?" (19)_____ the wise man to the fool,
"I have spent my (20)_____ (21)_____ searching,
to find the (22)_____ 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 (23)_____ and evil in the men who fight
today,
The song of the Crusader has long since (24)_____
away,
Jerusalem is lost,
Jerusalem is lost,
Jerusalem is lost...
They started the battle at dawn, taking the city by storm,
With horsemen and bowmen and engines of war,
They (25)_____ through the (26)_____ walls,
The Heathens were flying and screaming and dying,
And the Christian (27)_____ 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?" said the wise man to the fool,
"I have spent my (28)_____ life searching, to find 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
(29)_____ through the past,
There is only greed and evil in the men who fight today,
The song of the Crusader has long (30)_____ gone
away,
Jerusalem is lost,
Jerusalem is lost,
Jerusalem is lost...
Jerusalem."



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Answer

1. bishop
2. spent
3. must
4. through
5. tell
6. fallen
7. Holy
8. gather
9. begin
10. drinking
11. that
12. down
13. know
14. from
15. came
16. their
17. swords
18. were
19. said
20. whole
21. life
22. Golden
23. greed
24. gone
25. broke
26. city
27. swords
28. whole
29. searching
30. since