



## Fill in the gaps

### In The Ghetto by Elvis Presley

As the snow flies on a cold and (1)\_\_\_\_\_ Chicago  
mornin'

A poor little baby child is born in the ghetto

And his mama cries 'cause if there's one thing that she don't  
need

It's another (2)\_\_\_\_\_ mouth to feed in the ghetto

People, don't you (3)\_\_\_\_\_ the child  
needs a helping hand?

Or he'll (4)\_\_\_\_\_ to be an angry young man some day

Take a look at you and me, are we too blind to see?

Do we (5)\_\_\_\_\_ turn our heads and look the other  
way?

Well the world turns and a hungry little boy with a  
(6)\_\_\_\_\_ nose

Plays in the street as the cold wind blows in the ghetto

And his hunger burns, so he starts to roam the streets at night

And he learns how to steal and he learns how to fight in the  
ghetto

Then one night in desperation a young man breaks away

He buys a gun, steals a car, tries to run, but he don't get far

And his mama cries

As a crowd gathers 'round an (7)\_\_\_\_\_ young man

Face down on the street with a gun in his hand in the ghetto

As her young man dies on a cold and gray

(8)\_\_\_\_\_ mornin'

Another little baby (9)\_\_\_\_\_ is born in the ghetto

And his mama cries

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Answer

1. gray
2. hungry
3. understand
4. grow
5. simply
6. runny
7. angry
8. Chicago
9. child

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