



Fill in the gaps

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Once when our mother called

She had a voice of last year's cough

We passed around the phone

Sharing a word (1)_____ Oregon

When my turn came, I was ashamed

When my (2)_____ came, I was ashamed

Once when we moved away

She came to Romulus for a day

Her (3)_____ broke down

We prayed it'd never be (4)_____ or found

We touched her hair, we (5)_____ her hair

We (6)_____ her hair, we touched her hair

When she had her last child

Once when she had (7)_____ boyfriends, some wild

She (8)_____ away (9)_____ far

Our grandpa (10)_____ us a new VCR

We watched it all night

We (11)_____ up in (12)_____ of it

We (13)_____ it all night

We grew up in spite of it

We saw her (14)_____ (15)_____ fall

Our grandpa (16)_____ in a hospital gown

She didn't (17)_____ to care

She smoked in her room and colored her hair

I was ashamed, I was (18)_____ of her

I was ashamed, I was (19)_____ of her

I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her

I was ashamed, I was (20)_____ of her



Fill in the gaps

Answer

1. about
2. turn
3. Chevrolet
4. fixed
5. touched
6. touched
7. some
8. moved
9. quite
10. bought
11. grew
12. spite
13. watched
14. once
15. last
16. died
17. seem
18. ashamed
19. ashamed
20. ashamed