



## Threshold by Anna Waronker

### Fill in the gaps

Inside (1)\_\_\_\_\_ life  
Under it's spell  
I close my eyes  
And live to tell  
The hands we're dealt will (2)\_\_\_\_\_ disappear  
Death she grows near  
People change  
And instantly  
I'm not the same girl  
I (3)\_\_\_\_\_ to be  
I can't (4)\_\_\_\_\_ all the memories  
But I can explain  
If you're listening  
People change  
Not (5)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
Locked up in silence  
A (6)\_\_\_\_\_ hell  
My heart still beats

So I bid farewell  
The loving hand that saved me  
Held too tight  
His darkness weighs on me at night  
People change  
And instantly  
I'm not the (7)\_\_\_\_\_ girl  
I used to be  
I can't erase all the memories  
But I can explain  
If you're listening  
People change  
Not just me  
I never asked or wanted to  
You stepped (8)\_\_\_\_\_ my threshold  
How could you?



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Answer

1. this
2. never
3. used
4. erase
5. just
6. living
7. same
8. across