



## Fill in the gaps

### A Whiter Shade Of Pale by Procol Harum

We skipped a light fandango  
Turned cartwheels 'cross the floor  
I was feeling kind of seasick  
(But the) crowd called out for more  
The room was humming harder  
As the ceiling flew away  
When we (1)\_\_\_\_\_ out for another drink  
The waiter brought a tray  
And so it was that later  
As the miller told his tale  
That her face at first just ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale  
She said, I'm (2)\_\_\_\_\_ on shore leave  
Though in truth we were at sea  
So I took her by the looking glass  
And would not let her be  
Saying, you must be the mermaid  
Who (3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ for a ride  
But she smiled at me so sadly  
That my (5)\_\_\_\_\_ straightway died  
And so it was that later

As the miller told his tale  
That her face, at first (6)\_\_\_\_\_ ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale  
She said there is no reason  
And the truth is plain to see  
But I wandered through my playing cards  
Would not let her be  
One of sixteen vestal virgins  
Who were leaving for the coast  
At the moment my eyes (7)\_\_\_\_\_ open  
They (8)\_\_\_\_\_ just as well (9)\_\_\_\_\_ been closed  
And so it was that later  
As the miller told his tale  
That her face at first (10)\_\_\_\_\_ ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale  
And so it was that later  
As the miller told his tale  
That her face at first just ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale



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Answer

1. called
2. home
3. took
4. neptune
5. anger
6. just
7. were
8. might
9. have
10. just