



## Fill in the gaps

### Crusader by Chris De Burgh

"What do I do next?" said the bishop to the priest,  
"I have (1)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 must 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 through 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 (2)\_\_\_\_\_ for we are not  
alone,  
They tell me that Jerusalem has fallen to the hand,  
Of some (3)\_\_\_\_\_ eastern Heathen who  
has seized the Holy Land;"  
Then the chamberlain said "Lord, we (4)\_\_\_\_\_ call upon  
our foes  
In Spain and France and Germany to end our bitter wars,  
All Christian men must be as one and gather for the fight,  
You will be their leader, begin the battle cry,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost"...  
Ooh, high on a hill, in the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ of Jerusalem,  
There stood Saladin, the king of the Saracens,  
Whoring and drinking and snoring and sinking, around him his  
army lay,  
Secure in the knowledge that he had won the day;  
A (6)\_\_\_\_\_ came, (7)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 down (8)\_\_\_\_\_ his knife,  
And he said "I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ that this man lies,  
They (10)\_\_\_\_\_ too much, the  
(11)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 from  
(12)\_\_\_\_\_ part,  
And when the Crusaders came over the mountain and they



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saw Jerusalem,  
They fell to their 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 (13)\_\_\_\_\_ flying and screaming and  
dying,  
And the Christian (14)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 whole life searching, to find the Golden Rule,  
Though centuries have disappeared, the memory still remains,  
Of those enemies together, (15)\_\_\_\_\_ it be that way  
again?"  
Then the fool said "Oh you wise men, you really make me  
laugh,  
With your (16)\_\_\_\_\_ of vast persuasion and  
(17)\_\_\_\_\_ through the past,  
There is only greed and evil in the men who fight today,  
The song of the Crusader has (18)\_\_\_\_\_ since gone  
away,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost...  
They started the battle at dawn, taking the (19)\_\_\_\_\_ by  
storm,  
With horsemen and bowmen and engines of war,  
They broke through the city walls,  
The Heathens (20)\_\_\_\_\_ flying and  
(21)\_\_\_\_\_ and dying,  
And the Christian swords were strong,  
And Saladin ran (22)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 whole life searching, to find the Golden Rule,  
Though centuries have disappeared, the memory still remains,  
Of (23)\_\_\_\_\_ enemies together, could it be that way  
again?"  
Then the (24)\_\_\_\_\_ said "Oh you wise men, you really  
make me laugh,  
With your talk of vast persuasion and searching  
(25)\_\_\_\_\_ the past,  
There is only greed and evil in the men who (26)\_\_\_\_\_  
today,  
The song of the Crusader has long since (27)\_\_\_\_\_  
away,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
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Jerusalem is lost...  
Jerusalem."



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1. spent
2. whispers
3. bedevilled
4. must
5. town
6. messenger
7. blood
8. with
9. know
10. quarrel
11. Christians
12. every
13. were
14. swords
15. could
16. talk
17. searching
18. long
19. city
20. were
21. screaming
22. when
23. those
24. fool
25. through
26. fight
27. gone