



Fill in the gaps

Rose Of England by Chris De Burgh

Hear my voice and listen well, and a story I will tell,
How duty brought a broken heart, and why a love so strong
Must fall apart;
She was lovely, she was fine, daughter of a royal line,
He, no equal, but for them it mattered little for they were in
love;
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,
Rose of England, have a care, for where the thorn is,
There the (1)_____ will run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart;
Through the summer days and nights, stolen kisses and
delights
Would thrill their hearts and fill their dreams (2)_____ all
emotions
That true love can bring;
But black of mourning came one day, when her sister
(3)_____ away,
And many said on bended knee, she has gone, and you must
be our Queen;
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining (4)_____ the
sun,
Rose of England, have a care, for (5)_____ the thorn
is,
There the blood will run;

Oh my heart, oh my heart;
To the abbey she did ride, with her lover by her side,
When they heard the church bells ring, she was Queen
And one day, he'd be King;
But men of malice, men of hate, protesting to her chambers
came,
"A (6)_____ (7)_____ will have your
hand, for he'll bring peace
And riches to our land;"
She said, "Do you (8)_____ me that I cannot wed the
one I love?
Do you tell me that I am not mistress of my heart?"
And so with (9)_____ weight of life she kissed her
lover one last time,
"This land I wed, and no man comes, for if I cannot have you,
I'll have none;"
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,
Rose of England have a care, for where the thorn is,
There the blood will run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart.



Answer

1. blood
2. with
3. passed
4. with
5. where
6. foreign
7. prince
8. tell
9. heavy

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