



## Fill in the gaps

### Rose Of England by Chris De Burgh

Hear my voice and listen well, and a story I (1)\_\_\_\_\_ tell,  
How (2)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (3)\_\_\_\_\_ were in love;  
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,  
Rose of England, have a care, for where the (4)\_\_\_\_\_ is,  
There the blood 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 (5)\_\_\_\_\_ (6)\_\_\_\_\_ all emotions  
That (7)\_\_\_\_\_ love can bring;  
But black of mourning came one day, when her sister passed away,  
And many said on bended knee, she has gone, and you must be our Queen;  
Rose of England, sweet and fair, (8)\_\_\_\_\_ (9)\_\_\_\_\_ the sun,  
Rose of England, (10)\_\_\_\_\_ a care, for (11)\_\_\_\_\_ the (12)\_\_\_\_\_ is,  
There the (13)\_\_\_\_\_ will run;

Oh my heart, oh my heart;  
To the (14)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 foreign prince will (15)\_\_\_\_\_ your hand, for he'll (16)\_\_\_\_\_ peace  
And (17)\_\_\_\_\_ to our land;"  
She said, "Do you (18)\_\_\_\_\_ me that I (19)\_\_\_\_\_ wed the one I love?  
Do you (20)\_\_\_\_\_ me that I am not (21)\_\_\_\_\_ of my heart?"  
And so with heavy weight of life she kissed her lover one (22)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (23)\_\_\_\_\_ run;  
Oh my heart, oh my heart.



Answer

1. will
2. duty
3. they
4. thorn
5. dreams
6. with
7. true
8. shining
9. with
10. have
11. where
12. thorn
13. blood
14. abbey
15. have
16. bring
17. riches
18. tell
19. cannot
20. tell
21. mistress
22. last
23. will

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