



Fill in the gaps

Rose Of England by Chris De Burgh

Hear my voice and listen well, and a story I (1)_____ tell,
How duty (2)_____ 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 (3)_____ it mattered
(4)_____ for (5)_____ were in love;
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining (6)_____ the
sun,
Rose of England, have a care, for (7)_____ the thorn
is,
There the (8)_____ will run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart;
Through the summer days and nights, stolen kisses and
delights
Would (9)_____ their hearts and fill their dreams
with all emotions
That true love can bring;
But black of (10)_____ 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, shining (11)_____ the
sun,
Rose of England, have a care, for (12)_____ the
(13)_____ 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 (14)_____ the church bells ring, she was
Queen
And one day, he'd be King;
But men of malice, men of hate, protesting to her
(15)_____ came,
"A foreign prince will have your hand, for he'll
(16)_____ peace
And riches to our land;"
She said, "Do you tell me that I (17)_____ wed the
one I love?
Do you tell me that I am not mistress of my heart?"
And so with heavy (18)_____ of (19)_____ she
(20)_____ 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 (21)_____ the
sun,
Rose of England have a care, for where the thorn is,
There the blood (22)_____ run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart.



Answer

1. will
2. brought
3. them
4. little
5. they
6. with
7. where
8. blood
9. thrill
10. mourning
11. with
12. where
13. thorn
14. heard
15. chambers
16. bring
17. cannot
18. weight
19. life
20. kissed
21. with
22. will

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