



Fill in the gaps

Rose Of England by Chris De Burgh

Hear my voice and listen well, and a story I will tell,
How (1)_____ brought a (2)_____ heart, and
why a love so strong
Must (3)_____ 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 (4)_____ the
sun,
Rose of England, have a care, for where the thorn is,
There the blood will run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart;
Through the summer (5)_____ and nights, stolen kisses
and delights
Would thrill their hearts and fill their dreams with all emotions
That true love can bring;
But black of (6)_____ came one day, when her
sister passed away,
And many said on (7)_____ knee, she has gone,
and you must be our Queen;
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;
To the abbey she did ride, with her lover by her side,
When they heard the church (8)_____ 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 have your hand, for he'll bring peace
And riches to our land;"
She said, "Do you tell me that I cannot wed the one I love?
Do you tell me that I am not mistress of my heart?"
And so (9)_____ heavy 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 (10)_____ a care, for where the thorn
is,
There the blood will run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart.



Answer

1. duty
2. broken
3. fall
4. with
5. days
6. mourning
7. bended
8. bells
9. with
10. have

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