Big Girls Don't Cry by Fergie

The smell of your skin lingers on me now

You're probably on your flight back to your home town

I need some (1)_____ of my own protection, baby

To be with myself and center

Clarity, peace, serenity

I (2)_____ you know, I (3)_____ you know

That this has nothing to do (4)_____ you

It's personal, myself and I

We've got some straightenin' out to do

And I'm gonna (5)_____ you like a child misses (6)_____ blanket

But I've got to get a move on (7)_____ my life

It's time to be a big girl now

And big girls don't cry

Don't cry, don't cry, don't cry

The path that I'm walkin', I must go alone

I (8)_____ (9)_____ the baby steps 'til I'm full grown, full grown

Fairy tales don't always have a happy ending, do they?

And I foresee the dark ahead if I stay

I (10)_____ you know, I hope you know

That this has nothing to with you

It's personal, (11)_____ and I

We've got some straightenin' out to do

And I'm gonna miss you (12)_____ a child (13)_____ their blanket

But I've got to get a (14)_____ on (15)_____ my life

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Like the little (16)_____ mate in the (17)_____ yard

We'll play (18)_____ and Uno cards

I'll be your best (19)_____ and you'll be mine Valentine

Yes, you can (20)_____ my hand if you (21)_____ to

'Cause I want to hold yours too

We'll be playmates and lovers

And share our secret worlds

But it's time for me to go home

It's (22)_____ late, dark outside

I need to be with myself, and center

Clarity, peace, serenity

I hope you know, I hope you know

That (23)_____ has nothing to do (24)_____ you

It's personal, myself and I

We've got (25)_____ straightenin' out to do

And I'm gonna miss you like a child misses their blanket

But I've got to get a move on (26)_____ my life

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Answer

1. shelter
2. hope
3. hope
4. with
5. miss
6. their
7. with
8. must
9. take
10. hope
11. myself
12. like
13. misses
14. move
15. with
16. school
17. school
18. jacks
19. friend
20. hold
21. want
22. getting
23. this
24. with
25. some
26. with
27. PUBLISHING