



## Fill in the gaps

### Johnny and Mary by Robert Palmer

Johnny's always (1) \_\_\_\_\_ around  
Trying to (2) \_\_\_\_\_ certainty  
He needs all the (3) \_\_\_\_\_ to confirm  
That he ain't lonely  
Mary (4) \_\_\_\_\_ the walls  
Knows he (5) \_\_\_\_\_ easily  
Johnny thinks the world would be right  
If it (6) \_\_\_\_\_ buy the (7) \_\_\_\_\_ (8) \_\_\_\_\_  
you  
Mary says he (9) \_\_\_\_\_ his mind  
More (10) \_\_\_\_\_ a woman  
But she made her bed  
Even when the (11) \_\_\_\_\_ was slim  
Johnny says he's willing to learn  
When he decides he's a fool  
Johnny (12) \_\_\_\_\_ he'll (13) \_\_\_\_\_ anywhere  
When he earns time to  
Mary (14) \_\_\_\_\_ her hair  
Says she (15) \_\_\_\_\_ be (16) \_\_\_\_\_ to it  
Mary always hedges her bets  
She never knows what to think

She says that he (17) \_\_\_\_\_ acts (18) \_\_\_\_\_ he's  
being discovered  
Scared that he'll be caught  
Without a (19) \_\_\_\_\_ thought  
Running around  
Johnny (20) \_\_\_\_\_ he's (21) \_\_\_\_\_ his  
breath  
Trying to (22) \_\_\_\_\_ sense to her  
Mary says he's (23) \_\_\_\_\_ a (24) \_\_\_\_\_  
sense of proportion  
So she combs her hair  
Knows he tires easily  
Johnny's always (25) \_\_\_\_\_ around  
Trying to find certainty  
He needs all the world to confirm  
That he ain't lonely  
Mary counts the walls  
Says she should be (26) \_\_\_\_\_ to it  
Johnny's always (27) \_\_\_\_\_ around  
Running around



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### Answer

1. running
2. find
3. world
4. counts
5. tires
6. could
7. truth
8. from
9. changes
10. than
11. chance
12. says
13. live
14. combs
15. should
16. used
17. still
18. like
19. second
20. feels
21. wasting
22. talk
23. lacking
24. real
25. running
26. used
27. running