



## Fill in the gaps

### Johnny and Mary by Robert Palmer

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

She (12)\_\_\_\_\_ that he (13)\_\_\_\_\_ acts like he's  
(14)\_\_\_\_\_ discovered  
Scared that he'll be caught  
Without a second thought  
Running around  
Johnny (15)\_\_\_\_\_ he's wasting his breath  
Trying to (16)\_\_\_\_\_ (17)\_\_\_\_\_ to her  
Mary says he's lacking a real sense of proportion  
So she (18)\_\_\_\_\_ her hair  
Knows he tires easily  
Johnny's always (19)\_\_\_\_\_ around  
Trying to (20)\_\_\_\_\_ certainty  
He needs all the world to confirm  
That he ain't lonely  
Mary (21)\_\_\_\_\_ the walls  
Says she should be (22)\_\_\_\_\_ to it  
Johnny's always running around  
Running around



Answer

**Fill in the gaps**

1. always
2. world
3. could
4. truth
5. says
6. than
7. made
8. chance
9. says
10. used
11. hedges
12. says
13. still
14. being
15. feels
16. talk
17. sense
18. combs
19. running
20. find
21. counts
22. used