



## Fill in the gaps

### It's Not Easy by Lucky Dube

Lord (1)\_\_\_\_\_ mercy  
I remember the day I (2)\_\_\_\_\_ (3)\_\_\_\_\_ on the  
telephone  
I told her mama I'm getting married  
I could (4)\_\_\_\_\_ her voice on the other side  
Of the telephone she was smiling  
And she asked me a question  
That I proudly answered  
She said son did you take time  
To know her?  
I said mama, she is the best  
But today it hurts me so to go back to  
Mama and say  
Mama I'm (5)\_\_\_\_\_ divorced  
(Oh) I'm getting divorced  
The choice I made didn't work out the way  
I (6)\_\_\_\_\_ it would  
This choice I made  
It hurts me so mama  
This (7)\_\_\_\_\_ I (8)\_\_\_\_\_ didn't (9)\_\_\_\_\_  
out the way  
I thought it would  
This choice of mine (oh)  
Mama said to me  
It's not easy to understand it son  
But I hope you'll make it  
You'll be (10)\_\_\_\_\_ again  
It's not easy to (11)\_\_\_\_\_ it son  
But I hope you'll make it  
You'll be (12)\_\_\_\_\_ again  
I remember in church

When the preacher man read the scriptures  
You (13)\_\_\_\_\_ so beautiful, so beautiful  
And so innocent  
I did not know that (14)\_\_\_\_\_ (15)\_\_\_\_\_  
beauty  
Lies the true colours that will (16)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
In the near future  
This (17)\_\_\_\_\_ I made didn't (18)\_\_\_\_\_ out to  
be  
What I thought it would be  
(Oh) mama this choice I made  
Didn't (19)\_\_\_\_\_ out the way I thought it would  
Now I'm hurting  
I remember when I held you by the hand  
Preacher man read the scriptures  
Putting (20)\_\_\_\_\_ in your mouth  
Maybe what the preacher man said  
Was not (21)\_\_\_\_\_ that was within you  
Now I know what they mean when they say  
Beautiful woman  
Is (22)\_\_\_\_\_ man's plaything  
(Oh) lord, I'm hurting now  
This (23)\_\_\_\_\_ I (24)\_\_\_\_\_ didn't work out the  
way  
I (25)\_\_\_\_\_ it would  
This (26)\_\_\_\_\_ of mine (oh)  
Mama said to me  
It's not easy to understand it son  
But I hope you'll make it  
(You'll be happy again)



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**Answer**

1. have
2. called
3. mama
4. hear
5. getting
6. thought
7. choice
8. made
9. work
10. happy
11. understand
12. happy
13. looked
14. behind
15. that
16. destroy
17. choice
18. work
19. work
20. words
21. something
22. another
23. choice
24. made
25. thought
26. choice