



## Fill in the gaps

### Hands Clean by Alanis Morissette

If it weren't for your maturity  
None of this would have happened  
If you weren't so wise beyond your years  
I would've been able to (1)\_\_\_\_\_ myself  
If it weren't for my attention  
You wouldn't have been successful, and if  
If it weren't for me, you would never  
Have amounted to very much  
This could be messy, but  
But you don't seem to mind, and  
Don't go telling everybody, and  
And over-look this supposed crime  
We'll fast forward to a few (2)\_\_\_\_\_ later, and  
And no one (3)\_\_\_\_\_ except the both of us  
And I have (4)\_\_\_\_\_ your request for silence  
And you've washed (5)\_\_\_\_\_ hands clean of this  
You're essentially an employee  
And I like you having to (6)\_\_\_\_\_ on me  
You're a kind of protégé and one day you'll say  
You (7)\_\_\_\_\_ all you know from me, and  
And I (8)\_\_\_\_\_ you depend on me  
Like a young thing would to a guardian  
I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ you sexualize me  
Like a young thing (10)\_\_\_\_\_ and I think I  
(11)\_\_\_\_\_ it  
This could get messy, but  
You don't seem to mind  
Dude, don't go telling everybody, and  
Over-look this supposed crime  
We'll fast forward to a few years later, and  
No one knows except the both of us  
I've more than honored your request for silence

And you've washed (12)\_\_\_\_\_ hands clean of this  
What (13)\_\_\_\_\_ of our history's re-invented and under  
rug swept  
What part of your (14)\_\_\_\_\_ is selective and tends  
to forget  
What with this distance it seems so obvious  
Just make sure you don't tell on me  
Especially to members of your family  
We (15)\_\_\_\_\_ keep this to ourselves  
And not tell any (16)\_\_\_\_\_ of our inner posse  
I wish I could (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the world  
'Cause you're such a pretty thing  
When you're (18)\_\_\_\_\_ up properly  
I (19)\_\_\_\_\_ wanna marry you one day  
If you'd (20)\_\_\_\_\_ that weight and you keep your firm  
body  
This could be messy  
I don't (21)\_\_\_\_\_ to mind  
Don't go telling everybody, and  
Over-look this (22)\_\_\_\_\_ crime  
We'll fast forward to a few years later, and  
No one (23)\_\_\_\_\_ except the both of us  
And I have honored your request for silence  
And you've washed your hands (24)\_\_\_\_\_ of this  
This could get messy, but  
I don't seem to mind  
Don't go telling everybody, and  
Over-look this supposed crime  
We'll fast forward to a few (25)\_\_\_\_\_ later, and  
No one knows except the both of us  
And I have honored (26)\_\_\_\_\_ request for silence  
And you've washed your hands clean of this



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### Answer

1. control
2. years
3. knows
4. honored
5. your
6. depend
7. learned
8. know
9. know
10. would
11. like
12. your
13. part
14. memory
15. best
16. members
17. tell
18. done
19. might
20. watch
21. seem
22. supposed
23. knows
24. clean
25. years
26. your