



Fill in the gaps

He Didn't Have To Be by Brad Paisley

When a single mom goes out on a (1)_____ with
Somebody new
It (2)_____ winds up feeling more like
A job interview
My momma used to wonder
If she'd (3)_____ meet someone
Who wouldn't find out about me and then
Turn (4)_____ and run
I met the man I (5)_____ my dad
When I was (6)_____ years old
He (7)_____ my mom out to a movie
And for once I got to go
A few months later, I remember
Lying (8)_____ in bed
I overheard him pop the question
And I prayed that she'd say yes
And then, all of a sudden
(Oh) it seemed so strange to me
How we (9)_____ (10)_____ something's
Missing to a family
Looking back, all I can say about
All the (11)_____ he did for me
Is I (12)_____ I'm at least
Half the dad that he didn't have to be

I met the girl that's now my wife
About three years ago
We had the (13)_____ (14)_____
but
We (15)_____ something more
Now (16)_____ I (17)_____ surrounded by our
family and friends
Crowded 'round the nursery window
As (18)_____ (19)_____ the baby in
And now, all of a sudden
(Oh) it (20)_____ so strange to me
How we've gone from something's
Missing to a family
Looking through the glass, I think
About the man that's standing next to me
And I hope I'm at least (21)_____ the dad
That he didn't have to be
And looking back all I can say about
All the things he did for me
Is I (22)_____ I'm at least
Half the dad that he didn't have to be
Because he didn't have to be
You know he didn't have to be



Answer

1. date
2. always
3. ever
4. around
5. call
6. five
7. took
8. there
9. went
10. from
11. things
12. hope
13. perfect
14. marriage
15. wanted
16. here
17. stand
18. they
19. bring
20. seems
21. half
22. hope

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