



## Fill in the gaps

### If I Die Young by The Band Perry

If I die (1)\_\_\_\_\_ bury me in satin  
Lay me down on a bed of roses  
Sink me in the river at dawn  
Send me away with the (2)\_\_\_\_\_ of a love song  
(Oh oh oh oh)  
Lord make me a rainbow  
I'll shine down on my mother  
She'll know I'm safe with you  
When she stands under my colors  
(Oh) and  
Life ain't always what you think it (3)\_\_\_\_\_ to be, no  
Ain't even grey, but she buries her baby  
The sharp knife of a (4)\_\_\_\_\_ life, well  
I've had just enough time  
If I die (5)\_\_\_\_\_ bury me in satin  
Lay me (6)\_\_\_\_\_ on a bed of roses  
Sink me in the river at dawn  
Send me away (7)\_\_\_\_\_ the words of a love song  
The sharp knife of a (8)\_\_\_\_\_ life, well  
I've had just enough time  
And I'll be wearing white  
When I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ into your kingdom  
I'm as green as the (10)\_\_\_\_\_ on my little (11)\_\_\_\_\_  
finger  
I've (12)\_\_\_\_\_ known the (13)\_\_\_\_\_ of a  
man  
But it sure felt nice (14)\_\_\_\_\_ he was holding my hand  
There's a boy (15)\_\_\_\_\_ in (16)\_\_\_\_\_ says he'll  
love me forever  
Who would have thought forever (17)\_\_\_\_\_ be  
(18)\_\_\_\_\_ by

The sharp (19)\_\_\_\_\_ of a short life, well  
I've had just enough time  
So put on your best boys and I'll wear my pearls  
What I never did is done  
A penny for my thoughts  
Oh no I'll sell them for a dollar  
They're worth so much more after I'm a goner  
And (20)\_\_\_\_\_ then you'll (21)\_\_\_\_\_ the words I  
(22)\_\_\_\_\_ singing  
Funny when you're (23)\_\_\_\_\_ how people start listening  
If I die young bury me in satin  
Lay me down on a bed of roses  
Sink me in the river at dawn  
Send me (24)\_\_\_\_\_ with the words of a love song  
(Oh oh)  
The (25)\_\_\_\_\_ of a dove  
(Oh oh)  
Go with (26)\_\_\_\_\_ and love  
Gather up your tears, keep 'em in your pocket  
Save them for a time  
When your (27)\_\_\_\_\_ gonna (28)\_\_\_\_\_ 'em  
(oh)  
The sharp knife of a short life, well  
I've had just enough time  
So put on your best boys  
And I'll wear my pearls



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**Answer**

1. young
2. words
3. ought
4. short
5. young
6. down
7. with
8. short
9. come
10. ring
11. cold
12. never
13. loving
14. when
15. here
16. town
17. could
18. severed
19. knife
20. maybe
21. hear
22. been
23. dead
24. away
25. ballad
26. peace
27. really
28. need