



Fill in the gaps

The River (Live) by Bruce Springsteen

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I come from down in the valley
Where mister (1)_____ you're young
They bring you up to do
Like your (2)_____ done
Me and Mary we met in (3)_____ school
When she was just seventeen
We'd drive out of this valley
Down to where the (4)_____ were green
We'd go (5)_____ to the river
And (6)_____ the (7)_____ we'd dive
(Oh oh) down to the river we'd ride
Then I got (8)_____ pregnant
And man that was all she wrote
And for my nineteenth birthday
I got a union card and a wedding coat
We (9)_____ down to the courthouse
And the (10)_____ put it all to rest
No (11)_____ day smiles
No walk down the aisle
No flowers, no (12)_____ dress
We (13)_____ down to the river
And (14)_____ the river we'd dive
(Oh oh) down to the river we'd ride
I got a job working construction

For the Johnstown Company
But lately there ain't been no work
On (15)_____ of the economy
Now all (16)_____ things (17)_____
(18)_____ so important
Well mister they (19)_____ right into the air
I just act like I don't remember
Mary acts like she don't care
But I remember us riding in my brother's car
Her body tanned and wet down at the reservoir
At (20)_____ on them banks I'd lie awake
And pull her close just to feel each breath she'd take
Now the (21)_____ come back to haunt me
They haunt me (22)_____ a curse
Is a dream a lie if it don't come true
Or is it something worse
That sends me down to the river
Though I (23)_____ the (24)_____ is dry
(Oh oh) down to the (25)_____ tonight
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Down to the river
My baby and I
(Oh oh) down to the (26)_____ we ride
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Answer

1. when
2. daddy
3. high
4. fields
5. down
6. into
7. river
8. Mary
9. went
10. judge
11. wedding
12. wedding
13. went
14. into
15. account
16. them
17. that
18. seemed
19. vanished
20. night
21. memories
22. like
23. know
24. river
25. river
26. river