



Fill in the gaps

The River (Live) by Bruce Springsteen

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I come (1)_____ down in the valley
Where mister when you're young
They bring you up to do
Like your daddy done
Me and Mary we met in (2)_____ school
When she was (3)_____ seventeen
We'd drive out of (4)_____ valley
Down to where the (5)_____ were green
We'd go down to the river
And into the river we'd dive
(Oh oh) down to the river we'd ride
Then I got Mary pregnant
And man (6)_____ was all she wrote
And for my nineteenth birthday
I got a (7)_____ (8)_____ and a wedding coat
We went (9)_____ to the courthouse
And the (10)_____ put it all to rest
No wedding day smiles
No walk (11)_____ the aisle
No flowers, no wedding dress
We (12)_____ down to the river
And into 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 account of the economy
Now all them things that seemed so important
Well mister they vanished right into the air
I just act like I don't remember
Mary (13)_____ like she don't care
But I remember us (14)_____ in my brother's car
Her (15)_____ tanned and wet down at the reservoir
At night on them banks I'd lie awake
And pull her (16)_____ (17)_____ to feel
(18)_____ breath she'd take
Now the memories (19)_____ back to haunt me
They haunt me like a curse
Is a dream a lie if it don't (20)_____ true
Or is it (21)_____ worse
That (22)_____ me down to the river
Though I know the (23)_____ is dry
(Oh oh) down to the river tonight
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Down to the river
My (24)_____ and I
(Oh oh) (25)_____ to the river we ride
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Answer

1. from
2. high
3. just
4. this
5. fields
6. that
7. union
8. card
9. down
10. judge
11. down
12. went
13. acts
14. riding
15. body
16. close
17. just
18. each
19. come
20. come
21. something
22. sends
23. river
24. baby
25. down