



Fill in the gaps

The River (Live) by Bruce Springsteen

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

1. mister
2. bring
3. your
4. high
5. where
6. down
7. down
8. river
9. went
10. wedding
11. things
12. like
13. like
14. down
15. night
16. them
17. pull
18. just
19. each
20. breath
21. memories
22. haunt
23. come
24. sends
25. down