



## Fill in the gaps

### The Sidewinder Sleeps Tonite by R.E.M.

This (1)\_\_\_\_\_ is the place where I (2)\_\_\_\_\_ be  
staying

There isn't a number, you can (3)\_\_\_\_\_ the pay phone

Let it (4)\_\_\_\_\_ a long, long, long, long time

If I don't pick up, hang up, let it ring some more

If I don't pick up, pick up...

The sidewinder sleeps, sleeps, sleeps in a coil

Call me when you try to wake her up

Call me when you try to (5)\_\_\_\_\_ her

Call me when you try to (6)\_\_\_\_\_ her up

Call me when you try to wake her

Call me (7)\_\_\_\_\_ you try to wake her up

Call me when you try to wake her

There are scratches all around the (8)\_\_\_\_\_ slot

Like a heartbeat, baby trying to wake up

But (9)\_\_\_\_\_ machine can only (10)\_\_\_\_\_  
money

You can't lay a patch by computer design

It's just a lot of stupid, stupid signs

Tell her

Tell her she can kiss my ass

Then laugh and say that you were (11)\_\_\_\_\_ kidding

That way she'll know that it's really, really, really

Really me, me

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Baby, instant soup doesn't really grab me

Today I need something more

(Substa-sub-sub-stancial)

A can of (12)\_\_\_\_\_ or blackeyed peas

Some Nescafe and ice

A candy bar, a falling star

Or a reading of Doctor Seuss

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Call me when you try to (13)\_\_\_\_\_ her up

Call me when you try to wake her

The cat in the hat came back

Wrecked a lot of havoc

On the way, always had a smile

And a reason to pretend

But (14)\_\_\_\_\_ world has (15)\_\_\_\_\_ backgrounds

And (16)\_\_\_\_\_ (17)\_\_\_\_\_ to sleep butto dream

The sidewinder sleeps on his back

Call me when you try to wake her up

Call me when you try to (18)\_\_\_\_\_ her

Call me when you try to wake her up

Call me when you try to wake her

I can always sleep standing up

Call me (19)\_\_\_\_\_ you try to (20)\_\_\_\_\_ her

Call me when you try to wake her up

Call me when you try to wake her

Call me when you try to wake her up

Call me when you try to wake her

I can always (21)\_\_\_\_\_ standing up

Call me when you try to (22)\_\_\_\_\_ her

Call me when you try to wake her up

Call me when you try to wake her

I can always sleep (23)\_\_\_\_\_ up

Call me when you try to wake her

I can always sleep standing up

Call me when you try to wake her

We've got to moogie, moogie, move on (24)\_\_\_\_\_ one



Answer

Fill in the gaps

1. here
2. will
3. call
4. ring
5. wake
6. wake
7. when
8. coin
9. this
10. swallow
11. only
12. beans
13. wake
14. their
15. flat
16. little
17. need
18. wake
19. when
20. wake
21. sleep
22. wake
23. standing
24. this