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## Fill in the gaps

Heya Tom, it's Bob (1)\_\_\_\_\_ the office down the hall  
Good to see you buddy, how've you been?  
Thing (2)\_\_\_\_\_ been OK for me  
Except (3)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm a zombie now  
I really (4)\_\_\_\_\_ you'd let us in  
I think I speak for all of us when I say I understand  
Why you folks (5)\_\_\_\_\_ hesitate to submit to our demand  
But here's an FYI  
you're all gonna die screaming  
All we want to do is eat (6)\_\_\_\_\_ brains  
We're not unreasonable  
I mean, no one's (7)\_\_\_\_\_ eat your eyes  
All we want to do is eat (8)\_\_\_\_\_ brains  
We're at an impasse here  
Maybe we (9)\_\_\_\_\_ compromise  
If you open up the doors  
We'll all come inside and eat (10)\_\_\_\_\_ brains  
I don't want to nitpick, Tom  
But is this really your plan?  
To spend your whole life (11)\_\_\_\_\_ inside a mall?  
Maybe that's OK for now  
But someday you'll be out of (12)\_\_\_\_\_ and guns  
And then you'll have to (13)\_\_\_\_\_ the call  
I'm not surprised to see  
You haven't thought it through enough  
You never had the head for all that  
Bigger picture stuff  
But Tom, that's what I do  
And I plan on eating you slowly  
All we want to do is eat your brains  
We're not unreasonable  
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We're at an impasse here  
Maybe we should compromise  
If you open up the doors  
We'll all come (14)\_\_\_\_\_ and eat (15)\_\_\_\_\_ brains  
I'd like to help you Tom  
In any way I can  
I (16)\_\_\_\_\_ (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the way  
you're working (18)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
I'm not a monster Tom  
Well, technically I am  
I guess I am  
I've got another meeting Tom  
Maybe we could wrap it up  
I know we'll get to common ground somehow  
Meanwhile I'll report back to my colleagues  
Who were (19)\_\_\_\_\_ on the doors  
I guess we'll table this for now  
I'm (20)\_\_\_\_\_ to see you take constructive criticism well  
Thank you for your time  
I know we're all busy as hell  
And we'll put this thing to bed  
When I bash (21)\_\_\_\_\_ head open  
All we (22)\_\_\_\_\_ to do is eat (23)\_\_\_\_\_ brains  
We're not unreasonable  
I mean, no one's gonna eat your eyes  
All we want to do is eat (24)\_\_\_\_\_ brains  
We're at an impasse here  
Maybe we should compromise  
If you open up the doors  
We'll all come inside and eat (25)\_\_\_\_\_ brains



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Answer

1. from
2. have
3. that
4. wish
5. might
6. your
7. gonna
8. your
9. should
10. your
11. locked
12. food
13. make
14. inside
15. your
16. sure
17. appreciate
18. with
19. chewing
20. glad
21. your
22. want
23. your
24. your
25. your