



Statues by Nina Nesbitt

Fill in the gaps

You're just the statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're just the tattoo
Of the words that we (1)_____ spoke
You're the dry river
Where love (2)_____ to flow
But it (3)_____ runs through me
With you it had to go
But if you take (4)_____ (5)_____
I'll be (6)_____ to come alive, come alive
If you turn your back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the falling leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
You're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm (7)_____ a (8)_____ home
Because as I breathe in deep
You're (9)_____ at me like a statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're (10)_____ a lighter
With no fuel to (11)_____ the flames
You know I'd (12)_____ for this
But you wouldn't do the same
Because you're just a diary
With a (13)_____ and empty page
But the (14)_____ we wrote
I can't quite erase

But if you take this back
I'll be waiting to come alive, come alive
If you turn your back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the (15)_____ leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one who leaves
Now I'm falling asleep
You're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm (16)_____ a broken home
Because as I (17)_____ in deep
You're (18)_____ at me like a statue
Of the boy I (19)_____ to know
I'll watch you fall to the ground
Because there's (20)_____ stone in (21)_____ eyes now
We had it all till we found
We're (22)_____ living these lies now
Because you're like the (23)_____ leaves
(24)_____ I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
Because you're like the (25)_____ keys
Whilst I'm (26)_____ a broken home
And I breathe in deep
As I (27)_____ you leave like a statue
Of the boy I (28)_____ to know



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Answer

1. once
2. used
3. stills
4. this
5. back
6. waiting
7. just
8. broken
9. looking
10. just
11. light
12. fight
13. blank
14. story
15. falling
16. just
17. breathe
18. looking
19. used
20. just
21. your
22. just
23. falling
24. Whilst
25. broken
26. just
27. watch
28. used