



Statues by Nina Nesbitt

Fill in the gaps

You're just the statue
Of the boy I (1)_____ to know
You're just the tattoo
Of the (2)_____ (3)_____ we once spoke
You're the dry river
Where love used to flow
But it stills (4)_____ through me
With you it had to go
But if you take this back
I'll be waiting to come alive, come alive
If you turn (5)_____ back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're (6)_____ 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
(7)_____ I'm just a broken home
(8)_____ as I breathe in deep
You're looking at me like a statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're just a lighter
With no fuel to light the flames
You know I'd fight for this
But you wouldn't do the same
(9)_____ you're (10)_____ a diary
(11)_____ a blank and (12)_____ page
But the story we wrote
I can't quite erase

But if you take this back
I'll be waiting to come alive, (13)_____ alive
If you turn your back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the (14)_____ leaves
Whilst I'm (15)_____ the oak tree
Because you're the one who leaves
Now I'm falling asleep
You're (16)_____ the broken keys
(17)_____ I'm (18)_____ a broken home
Because as I breathe in deep
You're looking at me (19)_____ a statue
Of the boy I used to know
I'll watch you fall to the ground
Because there's just stone in your eyes now
We had it all (20)_____ we found
We're just living (21)_____ lies now
(22)_____ you're like the falling leaves
Whilst I'm (23)_____ the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm (24)_____ asleep
Because you're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm (25)_____ a broken home
And I breathe in deep
As I watch you leave like a statue
Of the boy I (26)_____ to know



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Answer

1. used
2. words
3. that
4. runs
5. your
6. like
7. Whilst
8. Because
9. Because
10. just
11. With
12. empty
13. come
14. falling
15. still
16. like
17. Whilst
18. just
19. like
20. till
21. these
22. Because
23. still
24. falling
25. just
26. used