



## Fill in the gaps

### American Pie by Madonna

A long, long (1)\_\_\_\_\_ ago  
I can still remember  
How that (2)\_\_\_\_\_ used to make me smile  
And I (3)\_\_\_\_\_ that if I had my chance  
I could make (4)\_\_\_\_\_ people dance  
And maybe they'd be happy for a while  
Did you (5)\_\_\_\_\_ the book of love?  
And do you have faith in God above  
If the Bible tells you so?  
Now do you believe in Rock 'n' roll  
And can music save your mortal soul?  
And can you teach me how to (6)\_\_\_\_\_ real slow?  
Well, I (7)\_\_\_\_\_ that you're in love with him  
Cause I saw you dancin' in the gym  
You both (8)\_\_\_\_\_ off your shoes  
Man, I dig those (9)\_\_\_\_\_ and blues  
I was a (10)\_\_\_\_\_ teenage broncin' buck  
With a pink carnation and a pick-up truck  
But I knew that I was out of luck  
The day the music died  
I (11)\_\_\_\_\_ singing  
Bye, bye, Miss American Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys (12)\_\_\_\_\_ drinkin' whiskey and rye  
Singing this'll be the day (13)\_\_\_\_\_ I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
I met a (14)\_\_\_\_\_ who sang the blues  
And I (15)\_\_\_\_\_ her for some happy news  
But she (16)\_\_\_\_\_ (17)\_\_\_\_\_ and turned away

When I (18)\_\_\_\_\_ down to the sacred store  
Where I'd heard the music (19)\_\_\_\_\_ before  
But the man there said the music wouldn't play  
Well now, in the streets the (20)\_\_\_\_\_ screamed  
The (21)\_\_\_\_\_ cried, and the poets dreamed  
But not a word was spoken  
The church bells all were broken  
And the three men I (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the most  
The Father, Son and the (23)\_\_\_\_\_ Ghost  
They (24)\_\_\_\_\_ the last train for the coast  
The day the (25)\_\_\_\_\_ died  
We started singing  
Bye, bye, Miss American Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys were drinkin' whiskey and rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
Bye, bye, Miss American Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the (26)\_\_\_\_\_ was dry  
And good old boys were drinkin' whiskey and rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
We started singing  
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We (27)\_\_\_\_\_ singing



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. time
2. music
3. knew
4. those
5. write
6. dance
7. know
8. kicked
9. rhythm
10. lonely
11. started
12. were
13. that
14. girl
15. asked
16. just
17. smiled
18. went
19. years
20. children
21. lovers
22. admire
23. Holy
24. caught
25. music
26. levee
27. started