



## Fill in the gaps

### Rose Of England by Chris De Burgh

Hear my voice and listen well, and a story I will tell,  
How duty brought a broken heart, and why a love so strong  
Must fall apart;  
She was lovely, she was fine, daughter of a royal line,  
He, no equal, but for them it mattered little for they were in  
love;  
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,  
Rose of England, (1)\_\_\_\_\_ a care, for where the thorn is,  
There the blood (2)\_\_\_\_\_ run;  
Oh my heart, oh my heart;  
Through the summer days and nights, stolen kisses and  
delights  
Would thrill their hearts and fill their dreams with all emotions  
That true love can bring;  
But black of mourning came one day, when her sister passed  
away,  
And many said on bended knee, she has gone, and you must  
be our Queen;  
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,  
Rose of England, have a care, for where the thorn is,  
There the blood will run;

Oh my heart, oh my heart;  
To the abbey she did ride, with her lover by her side,  
When they heard the church (3)\_\_\_\_\_ ring, she was  
Queen  
And one day, he'd be King;  
But men of malice, men of hate, protesting to her chambers  
came,  
"A (4)\_\_\_\_\_ prince will have your hand, for he'll  
bring peace  
And riches to our land;"  
She said, "Do you (5)\_\_\_\_\_ me that I cannot wed the  
one I love?  
Do you tell me that I am not (6)\_\_\_\_\_ of my  
heart?"  
And so with heavy (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of life she  
(8)\_\_\_\_\_ her lover one last time,  
"This land I wed, and no man comes, for if I cannot have you,  
I'll have none;"  
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,  
Rose of England (9)\_\_\_\_\_ a care, for where the thorn is,  
There the blood will run;  
Oh my heart, oh my heart.



Answer

1. have
2. will
3. bells
4. foreign
5. tell
6. mistress
7. weight
8. kissed
9. have

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