



Fill in the gaps

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Once when our mother called

She had a voice of last year's cough

We (1)_____ around the phone

Sharing a word about Oregon

When my turn came, I was ashamed

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Once when we moved away

She came to (2)_____ for a day

Her Chevrolet broke down

We (3)_____ it'd never be fixed or found

We touched her hair, we (4)_____ her hair

We touched her hair, we touched her hair

When she had her last child

Once (5)_____ she had some boyfriends, some wild

She (6)_____ away quite far

Our grandpa bought us a new VCR

We watched it all night

We (7)_____ up in spite of it

We watched it all night

We grew up in (8)_____ of it

We saw her once last fall

Our grandpa died in a hospital gown

She didn't seem to care

She smoked in her room and colored her hair

I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her

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Answer

1. passed
2. Romulus
3. prayed
4. touched
5. when
6. moved
7. grew
8. spite