



## Fill in the gaps

### Simple song by The Shins

<em>Welcome back home everyone,  
as you know, I am now dead,  
and this (1)\_\_\_\_\_ shows my last (2)\_\_\_\_\_ and  
testament.  
Between my three children,  
I couldn't decide which of you  
to keep the house to,  
as (3)\_\_\_\_\_ of you grew up here (4)\_\_\_\_\_ me.  
So I didn't choose any of you,  
because, as you know, each of you hates my guts.</em>  
Well this is just a simple song  
To see what you've done  
I told you about all those fears  
And away they did run  
You sure must be strong  
<em>Instead, I've (5)\_\_\_\_\_ the deed somewhere in  
the house,  
and the (6)\_\_\_\_\_ of you to find it gets everything,  
ready? get steady, go!</em>  
You feel (7)\_\_\_\_\_ an ocean  
(8)\_\_\_\_\_ warmed by the sun  
When I was (9)\_\_\_\_\_ nine years old  
I swear that I dreamt  
Your face on a football field  
And a kiss that I kept  
Under my vest  
(10)\_\_\_\_\_ from everything, the heart in my chest  
I know that things can really get (11)\_\_\_\_\_  
(12)\_\_\_\_\_ you go in love  
Don't go (13)\_\_\_\_\_ you gotta be tough  
Complete like a stone  
Could be there's (14)\_\_\_\_\_ else in our lives  
So critical as this (15)\_\_\_\_\_ hole  
My life in an action boat, marooned on a cliff  
You brought me a great big flood  
And you gave me a lift

God what a gift  
You tell me with (16)\_\_\_\_\_ tongue  
And your breath goes in the lungs  
And the flow that filled the rift  
I know (17)\_\_\_\_\_ (18)\_\_\_\_\_ can really get  
rough  
When you go in love  
Don't go thinking you gotta be tough  
Complete like a stone  
Could be there's (19)\_\_\_\_\_ else in our lives  
So critical as this (20)\_\_\_\_\_ hole.  
<em>This isn't actually a deed to the house, I was kidding.  
Let's be honest,  
this place is full of awful memories for all of us,  
so I've already sold the estate and I am having the house  
demolished. But best of luck to all of you.</em> <em>Love,  
Dad</em>,  
Well this isn't be a simple song  
to say what you've done  
I told you about all those fears  
And away they did run  
You sure must be strong  
<em>P.S. The wrecking crew arrives at 2:00 p.m.</em>  
And you feel like an ocean  
Being warmed by the sun  
Remember (21)\_\_\_\_\_ a mile to your house  
That glow in the dark  
I made a fumbling (22)\_\_\_\_\_ for your (23)\_\_\_\_\_  
And the (24)\_\_\_\_\_ of the spark  
You wore a charm in a chain  
That I stole special for you  
Love's such a delicate thing that we do  
We've nothing to prove  
Which I never knew



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### Answer

1. video
2. will
3. each
4. with
5. hidden
6. first
7. like
8. Being
9. just
10. Apart
11. rough
12. When
13. thinking
14. nothing
15. little
16. your
17. that
18. things
19. nothing
20. little
21. walking
22. play
23. heart
24. extra