



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, have a care, for where the (1) _____
is,
There the blood will run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart;
Through the summer (2) _____ and nights, stolen kisses
and delights
Would thrill their hearts and fill (3) _____ dreams with
all emotions
That true love can bring;
But black of mourning came one day, when her sister
(4) _____ away,
And many (5) _____ on bended knee, she has gone, and
you must be our Queen;
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining (6) _____ 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 (7) _____ heard the church bells ring, she was
Queen
And one day, he'd be King;
But men of malice, men of hate, protesting to her chambers
came,
"A (8) _____ prince will have your hand, for he'll
bring peace
And riches to our land;"
She said, "Do you tell me that I (9) _____ wed the
one I love?
Do you tell me that I am not mistress of my heart?"
And so with heavy weight of life she kissed 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 have a care, for where the thorn is,
There the blood will run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart.



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Answer

1. thorn
2. days
3. their
4. passed
5. said
6. with
7. they
8. foreign
9. cannot