



## Fill in the gaps

### Romulus by Sufjan Stevens

Once when our mother called

She had a voice of last year's cough

We passed around the phone

Sharing a word about Oregon

When my turn came, I was ashamed

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Once (1)\_\_\_\_\_ we (2)\_\_\_\_\_ away

She came to Romulus for a day

Her Chevrolet (3)\_\_\_\_\_ down

We prayed it'd never be fixed or found

We (4)\_\_\_\_\_ her hair, we touched her hair

We (5)\_\_\_\_\_ her hair, we touched her hair

When she had her last child

Once when she had some boyfriends, some wild

She moved away quite far

Our grandpa bought us a new VCR

We watched it all night

We (6)\_\_\_\_\_ up in (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of it

We watched it all night

We grew up in spite 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 (8)\_\_\_\_\_ her hair

I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her

I was ashamed, I was (9)\_\_\_\_\_ of her

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Answer

1. when
2. moved
3. broke
4. touched
5. touched
6. grew
7. spite
8. colored
9. ashamed