



## Fill in the gaps

### Rose Of England by Chris De Burgh

Hear my (1)\_\_\_\_\_ and listen well, and a story I will tell,  
How duty (2)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (3)\_\_\_\_\_ it mattered little for  
(4)\_\_\_\_\_ were in love;  
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,  
Rose of England, have a care, for (5)\_\_\_\_\_ the thorn  
is,  
There the blood will run;  
Oh my heart, oh my heart;  
Through the (6)\_\_\_\_\_ days and nights, stolen  
kisses and delights  
Would thrill their hearts and (7)\_\_\_\_\_ their dreams with  
all emotions  
That true love can bring;  
But black of mourning came one day, when her sister passed  
away,  
And many (8)\_\_\_\_\_ on bended knee, she has gone, and  
you (9)\_\_\_\_\_ be our Queen;  
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,  
Rose of England, have a care, for where the (10)\_\_\_\_\_  
is,  
There the blood (11)\_\_\_\_\_ run;

Oh my heart, oh my heart;  
To the abbey she did ride, (12)\_\_\_\_\_ her lover by her  
side,  
When (13)\_\_\_\_\_ heard the church bells ring, she was  
Queen  
And one day, he'd be King;  
But men of malice, men of hate, (14)\_\_\_\_\_  
to her chambers came,  
"A foreign prince will have your hand, for he'll bring peace  
And riches to our land;"  
She said, "Do you tell me that I cannot wed the one I love?  
Do you tell me that I am not (15)\_\_\_\_\_ of my  
heart?"  
And so with heavy weight of life she (16)\_\_\_\_\_ her  
(17)\_\_\_\_\_ one (18)\_\_\_\_\_ time,  
"This land I wed, and no man comes, for if I cannot  
(19)\_\_\_\_\_ you, I'll (20)\_\_\_\_\_ none;"  
Rose of England, (21)\_\_\_\_\_ and fair, shining with the  
sun,  
Rose of England have a care, for (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the thorn  
is,  
There the blood (23)\_\_\_\_\_ run;  
Oh my heart, oh my heart.



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### Answer

1. voice
2. brought
3. them
4. they
5. where
6. summer
7. fill
8. said
9. must
10. thorn
11. will
12. with
13. they
14. protesting
15. mistress
16. kissed
17. lover
18. last
19. have
20. have
21. sweet
22. where
23. will