



## Fill in the gaps

### Can't Hold Us Down by Christina Aguilera

featuring Lil' Kim

So- What am I not s'posed to (1)\_\_\_\_\_ an opinion  
Should I keep quiet just because I'm a woman  
Call me a bitch (2)\_\_\_\_\_ I speak what's on my mind  
Guess it's easier for you to (3)\_\_\_\_\_ if I sat and  
smiled

When a (4)\_\_\_\_\_ fires back  
Suddenly big talker don't know how to act  
So he does what every little boy would do  
Makin' up a few false rumors or two  
That for sure is not a man to me, slanderin' (5)\_\_\_\_\_  
for popularity  
It's sad you only get your fame through controversy  
But now it's (6)\_\_\_\_\_ for me to come and give you more  
to say

#### CHORUS

This is for my girls all around the world  
Who have come (7)\_\_\_\_\_ a man who don't respect  
your worth  
Thinkin' all women should be seen not heard  
So what do we do girls, shout out loud  
Lettin' 'em (8)\_\_\_\_\_ we're gonna (9)\_\_\_\_\_ our  
ground  
So lift you hands higher and wave 'em proud  
Take a deep breath and say it loud  
Never can, never will  
Can't hold us down  
Nobody can (10)\_\_\_\_\_ us down.  
Never can never will.

So- (11)\_\_\_\_\_ am I not supposed to say what I'm saying  
Are you (12)\_\_\_\_\_ with the message I'm  
bringin'

Call me whatever 'cause your (13)\_\_\_\_\_ don't mean a  
thing  
Guess you ain't even a man enough to handle what I sing  
If you look (14)\_\_\_\_\_ in history it's a common double  
standard of society

The guy gets all the glory the (15)\_\_\_\_\_ he can score  
While the girl can do the same and yet you (16)\_\_\_\_\_  
her a whore

I don't (17)\_\_\_\_\_ why it's OK,  
The guy gets all the glory and the girl (18)\_\_\_\_\_ named  
All my ladies come together and make a change  
And start a new beginning for us, everybody sang  
CHORUS-repeat

Lil' Kim:

Check it- Here's something I just can't understand  
If the guy (19)\_\_\_\_\_ three (20)\_\_\_\_\_ then he's  
the man

He can either (21)\_\_\_\_\_ us some head, sex her off

If the girl can do the same, then she's a whore

But the table's about to turn

I'll bet my fame on it

Cats take my ideas and put their name on it

It's aiight though, you can't hold me down

I got to keep on movin'

To all my girls with a man who be tryin' to mack

Do it right (22)\_\_\_\_\_ to him and let that be that

You (23)\_\_\_\_\_ to let him (24)\_\_\_\_\_ that his name is  
wack

And Lil' Kim and Christina (25)\_\_\_\_\_ got your  
back

You're just a (26)\_\_\_\_\_ boy

Think you're so cute, so coy

You must talk so big to (27)\_\_\_\_\_ up for smaller things

You're just a little boy

All you do is annoy

You (28)\_\_\_\_\_ talk so big to make up for smaller things

CHORUS-repeat 2X

Can't hold us down!

(repeat and fade out)



## Fill in the gaps

### Answer

1. have
2. cause
3. swallow
4. female
5. names
6. time
7. across
8. know
9. stand
10. hold
11. What
12. offended
13. words
14. back
15. more
16. call
17. understand
18. gets
19. have
20. girls
21. give
22. back
23. need
24. know
25. Aguilera
26. little
27. make
28. must