



Statues by Nina Nesbitt

Fill in the gaps

You're (1)_____ the statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're just the tattoo
Of the words (2)_____ we once spoke
You're the dry river
(3)_____ love used to flow
But it stills runs (4)_____ me
With you it had to go
But if you take this back
I'll be waiting to (5)_____ alive, (6)_____ alive
If you (7)_____ your back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're (8)_____ the falling leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm (9)_____ asleep
You're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
Because as I (10)_____ in deep
You're (11)_____ at me (12)_____ a statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're just a lighter
(13)_____ no fuel to light the flames
You know I'd fight for this
But you wouldn't do the same
Because you're just a diary
With a blank and empty page
But the story we wrote
I can't quite erase

But if you take this back
I'll be waiting to come alive, come alive
If you turn your back I'll be (14)_____ to fly
But you're like the falling leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
(15)_____ you're the one who leaves
Now I'm (16)_____ asleep
You're (17)_____ the broken keys
(18)_____ I'm just a broken home
Because as I breathe in deep
You're (19)_____ at me like a statue
Of the boy I (20)_____ to know
I'll watch you fall to the ground
Because there's just (21)_____ in your eyes now
We had it all till we found
We're just living these (22)_____ now
Because you're like the falling leaves
(23)_____ I'm (24)_____ the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm (25)_____ asleep
Because you're (26)_____ the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
And I breathe in deep
As I (27)_____ you leave like a (28)_____
Of the boy I used to know



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Answer

1. just
2. that
3. Where
4. through
5. come
6. come
7. turn
8. like
9. falling
10. breathe
11. looking
12. like
13. With
14. waiting
15. Because
16. falling
17. like
18. Whilst
19. looking
20. used
21. stone
22. lies
23. Whilst
24. still
25. falling
26. like
27. watch
28. statue