



## American Pie by Madonna

### Fill in the gaps

A long, long time ago  
I can still remember  
How that music used to make me smile  
And I knew that if I had my chance  
I (1)\_\_\_\_\_ make those people dance  
And maybe they'd be happy for a while  
Did you write the book of love?  
And do you have faith in God above  
If the Bible tells you so?  
Now do you believe in (2)\_\_\_\_\_ 'n' roll  
And can music save your mortal soul?  
And can you teach me how to dance real slow?  
Well, I know that you're in love with him  
Cause I saw you dancin' in the gym  
You both (3)\_\_\_\_\_ off your shoes  
Man, I dig those rhythm and blues  
I was a lonely teenage broncin' buck  
With a pink carnation and a pick-up truck  
But I knew that I was out of luck  
The day the music died  
I started singing  
Bye, bye, Miss American Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys were drinkin' whiskey and rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
I met a girl who sang the blues  
And I asked her for some happy news  
But she just smiled and turned away

When I went down to the sacred store  
Where I'd (4)\_\_\_\_\_ the (5)\_\_\_\_\_  
(6)\_\_\_\_\_ before  
But the man there said the music wouldn't play  
Well now, in the streets the children screamed  
The lovers cried, and the poets dreamed  
But not a word was spoken  
The church bells all were broken  
And the three men I admire the most  
The Father, Son and the Holy Ghost  
They caught the (7)\_\_\_\_\_ train for the coast  
The day the music died  
We started singing  
Bye, bye, Miss American Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys were drinkin' (8)\_\_\_\_\_ and rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
Bye, bye, Miss American Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys (9)\_\_\_\_\_ drinkin' whiskey and rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
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Answer

1. could
2. Rock
3. kicked
4. heard
5. music
6. years
7. last
8. whiskey
9. were