



Fill in the gaps

Crusader by Chris De Burgh

"What do I do next?" said the (1)_____ to the priest,
"I (2)_____ spent my (3)_____ life waiting,
(4)_____ for the feast,
And now you say Jerusalem has fallen and is lost,
The king of heathen (5)_____ has seized the
(6)_____ cross;"

Then the priest said "Oh my bishop, we must put them to the sword,
For God in all His mercy (7)_____ find a just reward,
For the noblemen and sinners, and knights of ready hand,
Who will be the Lord's Crusader, send word through all the land,
Jerusalem is lost,
Jerusalem is lost,
Jerusalem is lost;"

"Tell me what to do", said the king upon his throne,
"but speak to me in whispers for we are not alone,
They (8)_____ me (9)_____ Jerusalem has fallen to the hand,
Of some bedevilled eastern (10)_____ who has seized the Holy Land;"

Then the chamberlain said "Lord, we must call upon our foes
In Spain and France and Germany to end our bitter wars,
All Christian men must be as one and gather for the fight,
You will be their leader, begin the battle cry,
Jerusalem is lost,
Jerusalem is lost,
Jerusalem is lost"...

Ooh, high on a hill, in the (11)_____ of Jerusalem,
There (12)_____ Saladin, the king of the Saracens,
Whoring and drinking and (13)_____ and sinking,
around him his army lay,
Secure in the (14)_____ that he had won the day;
A messenger came, blood on his feet and a wound in his chest,
"The Christians are coming!" he said, "I have (15)_____ their cross in the west,"

In a rage Saladin struck him down with his knife,
And he said "I know that this man lies,
They quarrel too much, the Christians could never unite!
I am invincible, I am the king,
I am invincible, and I will win..."

Closer (16)_____ came, the army of Richard the Lionheart,
Marching by day and night, with (17)_____ from every part,



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And when the Crusaders came (18)_____ the mountain
and they saw Jerusalem,

They fell to their knees and (19)_____ for her
release;

They started the battle at dawn, taking the city by storm,

With horsemen and bowmen and engines of war,

They broke through the city walls,

The Heathens were flying and screaming and dying,

And the Christian swords were strong,

And Saladin ran when he heard their victory song;

"We are invincible, God is the king,

We are invincible, and we will win!"

"What do I do now?" said the wise man to the fool,

"I have spent my whole life searching, to (20)_____ the
Golden Rule,

Though centuries have disappeared, the memory still remains,

Of (21)_____ enemies together, could it be that way
again?"

Then the fool said "Oh you wise men, you really make me
laugh,

With your talk of vast persuasion and searching through the
past,

There is only greed and evil in the men who fight today,

The song of the Crusader has long since gone away,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost...

They started the battle at dawn, taking the city by storm,

With horsemen and (22)_____ and engines of war,

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"What do I do now?" (23)_____ the wise man to the fool,

"I (24)_____ spent my whole life searching, to find the

(25)_____ Rule,

Though (26)_____ have disappeared, the
memory still remains,

Of those enemies together, could it be (27)_____ way
again?"

Then the fool said "Oh you wise men, you really

(28)_____ me laugh,

With (29)_____ talk of vast (30)_____

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Answer

1. bishop
2. have
3. whole
4. preparing
5. Saracen
6. holy
7. will
8. tell
9. that
10. Heathen
11. town
12. stood
13. snoring
14. knowledge
15. seen
16. they
17. soldiers
18. over
19. prayed
20. find
21. those
22. bowmen
23. said
24. have
25. Golden
26. centuries
27. that
28. make
29. your
30. persuasion