



## Fill in the gaps

### Crusader by Chris De Burgh

"What do I do next?" said the bishop to the priest,  
"I (1)\_\_\_\_\_ spent my whole life waiting, preparing for the  
feast,  
And now you say Jerusalem has fallen and is lost,  
The king of heathen (2)\_\_\_\_\_ has seized the holy  
cross;"  
Then the priest (3)\_\_\_\_\_ "Oh my bishop, we must put  
them to the sword,  
For God in all His mercy will find a (4)\_\_\_\_\_ reward,  
For the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (6)\_\_\_\_\_ for we are not  
alone,  
They tell me that Jerusalem has fallen to the hand,  
Of some bedevilled eastern Heathen who has  
(7)\_\_\_\_\_ the Holy Land;"  
Then the chamberlain (8)\_\_\_\_\_ "Lord, we must call upon  
our foes  
In Spain and (9)\_\_\_\_\_ and Germany to end our  
bitter wars,  
All Christian men must be as one and gather for the fight,  
You will be (10)\_\_\_\_\_ leader, begin the battle cry,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost"...  
Ooh, high on a hill, in the town of Jerusalem,  
There (11)\_\_\_\_\_ Saladin, the king of the Saracens,  
Whoring and (12)\_\_\_\_\_ and snoring and  
sinking, (13)\_\_\_\_\_ him his army lay,  
Secure in the knowledge 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 seen their cross  
in the west,"  
In a rage Saladin struck him (14)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (15)\_\_\_\_\_ came, the army of Richard the  
Lionheart,



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Marching by day and night, with (16)\_\_\_\_\_

from every part,

And when the Crusaders came over the mountain and they  
saw Jerusalem,

They fell to their knees and prayed 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 (17)\_\_\_\_\_ walls,

The Heathens were flying and screaming and dying,

And the Christian swords were strong,

And Saladin ran (18)\_\_\_\_\_ he heard their

(19)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (20)\_\_\_\_\_ spent my whole life searching, to find the

Golden Rule,

Though centuries have disappeared, the (21)\_\_\_\_\_

still remains,

Of those 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 (22)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 bowmen and engines of war,

They broke through the (23)\_\_\_\_\_ walls,

The Heathens (24)\_\_\_\_\_ flying and screaming and  
dying,

And the Christian swords were strong,

And (25)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (26)\_\_\_\_\_ life searching, to find the

Golden Rule,

Though (27)\_\_\_\_\_ have disappeared, the  
memory still remains,

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

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Jerusalem."



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1. have
2. Saracen
3. said
4. just
5. noblemen
6. whispers
7. seized
8. said
9. France
10. their
11. stood
12. drinking
13. around
14. down
15. they
16. soldiers
17. city
18. when
19. victory
20. have
21. memory
22. since
23. city
24. were
25. Saladin
26. whole
27. centuries