



## The Rose by Bette Midler

Some say love	Who won't be taken
It is a river	Who (5)_____ seem to give
That drowns	And the soul
The (1)_____ reed	Afraid of dying
Some say love	That never
It is a razor	Learns to live
That leaves	When the night
Your (2)_____ to bleed	Has (6)_____ too lonely
Some say love	And the road
It is a hunger	Has been too long
An (3)_____ aching need	And you think
I say love	That love is only
It is a flower	For the lucky
And you	And the strong
Its (4)_____ seed	Just remember
It's the heart	In the winter
Afraid of breaking	Far beneath
That never	The (7)_____ snow
Learns to dance	Lies the seed
It's the dream	That with the sun's love
Afraid of waking	In the spring
That never	Becomes the rose
Takes the chance	
It's the one	

**Fill in the gaps**



Answer

1. tender
2. soul
3. endless
4. only
5. cannot
6. been
7. bitter

**Fill in the gaps**