



## Fill in the gaps

### How Come, How Long by Babyface & Stevie Wonder

There was a (1)\_\_\_\_\_ I used to know  
She was (oh) so beautiful  
But she's not (2)\_\_\_\_\_ anymore  
She had a college degree  
Smart as anyone could be  
Had so much to live for  
But she fell in love  
With the wrong kinda man  
He (3)\_\_\_\_\_ her love and treated her so bad  
There was not enough education in her world  
That (4)\_\_\_\_\_ (5)\_\_\_\_\_ life of this little girl  
How come, how long  
It's not right, it's so wrong  
Do we let it just go on  
Turn our (6)\_\_\_\_\_ and carry on  
Wake up, for it's too late  
Right now, we can't wait  
She won't have a second try  
Open up (7)\_\_\_\_\_ hearts  
As (8)\_\_\_\_\_ as (9)\_\_\_\_\_ eyes  
She tried to give a cry for help  
She even blamed (10)\_\_\_\_\_ on herself  
But no one came to her aid  
Nothing was (11)\_\_\_\_\_ as far as we could tell  
That's what we'd like to tell our self  
But no, it wasn't that way  
So she fell in love  
With the wrong (12)\_\_\_\_\_ man  
And she paid (13)\_\_\_\_\_ her life  
For loving that man  
So we cannot ignore  
We must look for the signs  
And (14)\_\_\_\_\_ next time  
We (15)\_\_\_\_\_ save somebody's life

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It's not right, it's so wrong  
Do we let it just go on  
Turn our (16)\_\_\_\_\_ and carry on  
Wake up, for it's too late  
Right now, we can't wait  
She won't have a second try  
Open up your hearts  
As well as (17)\_\_\_\_\_ eyes  
I on occasion met (18)\_\_\_\_\_ guy  
It's been a feeling deep inside  
Something about him wasn't right  
The way he (19)\_\_\_\_\_ (20)\_\_\_\_\_ a  
man  
By beatin' his (21)\_\_\_\_\_ with his hands  
(Oh) I wish she'd seen the light  
How can (22)\_\_\_\_\_ like that  
Call (23)\_\_\_\_\_ a man (He's not a man)  
In reality he's far more less than that  
And we cannot ignore  
Whenever we see the signs  
'Cause any kinda of abuse  
God knows it's a crime  
How come, how long  
It's not right, it's so wrong  
Do we let it just go on  
Turn our backs and carry on  
Wake up, for it's too late  
Right now, we can't wait  
She won't have a second try  
Open up your hearts  
As well as your eyes



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. girl
2. here
3. abused
4. could
5. save
6. backs
7. your
8. well
9. your
10. things
11. wrong
12. kinda
13. with
14. maybe
15. must
16. backs
17. your
18. that
19. proves
20. himself
21. woman
22. someone
23. himself