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 here 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 abused her (2)_____ and (3)_____ her so bad

There was not enough education in her world

That could save (4)_____ of (5)_____ little girl

How come, how long

It's not right, it's so wrong

Do we let it just go on

Turn our backs and (6)_____ on

Wake up, for it's too late

Right now, we can't wait

She won't (7)_____ a second try

Open up your hearts

As (8)_____ as your eyes

She tried to give a cry for help

She even (9)_____ things on herself

But no one came to her aid

Nothing was wrong 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 (10)_____ in love

With the wrong kinda man

And she paid with her life

For loving (11)_____ man

So we (12)_____ ignore

We (13)_____ (14)_____ for the signs

And maybe (15)_____ time

We must save somebody's life

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 (16)_____ as your eyes

I on occasion met that guy

It's been a (17)_____ deep inside

Something (18)_____ him wasn't right

The way he proves himself a man

By beatin' his woman with his hands

(Oh) I wish she'd seen the light

How can someone like that

Call (19)_____ a man (He's not a man)

In (20)_____ he's far more (21)_____ (22)_____ that

And we cannot ignore

Whenever we see the signs

'Cause any kinda of abuse

God (23)_____ it's a crime

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Wake up, for it's too late

Right now, we can't wait

She won't (24)_____ a (25)_____ try

Open up your hearts

As (26)_____ as your eyes

Answer

1. girl

2. love

3. treated

4. life

5. this

6. carry

7. have

8. well

9. blamed

10. fell

11. that

12. cannot

13. must

14. look

15. next

16. well

17. feeling

18. about

19. himself

20. reality

21. less

22. than

23. knows

24. have

25. second

26. well