



## Fill in the gaps

### It's Not Easy by Lucky Dube

Lord have mercy

I (1)\_\_\_\_\_ the day I called mama on the telephone

I told her mama I'm getting married

I could hear her voice on the other side

Of the telephone she was smiling

And she asked me a question

That I proudly answered

She said son did you take time

To know her?

I said mama, she is the best

But today it hurts me so to go (2)\_\_\_\_\_ to

Mama and say

Mama I'm getting divorced

(Oh) I'm getting divorced

The choice I made didn't work out the way

I thought it would

This choice I made

It hurts me so mama

This choice I made didn't work out the way

I thought it would

This (3)\_\_\_\_\_ of mine (oh)

Mama said to me

It's not easy to understand it son

But I hope you'll make it

You'll be happy again

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I remember in church

When the preacher man read the scriptures

You looked so beautiful, so beautiful

And so innocent

I did not know that (4)\_\_\_\_\_ that beauty

Lies the true colours that will destroy me

In the near future

This choice I made didn't work out to be

What I thought it would be

(Oh) mama this choice I made

Didn't work out the way I thought it would

Now I'm hurting

I remember when I held you by the hand

Preacher man (5)\_\_\_\_\_ the scriptures

Putting words in your mouth

Maybe what the preacher man said

Was not something that was within you

Now I know what they mean when they say

Beautiful woman

Is another man's plaything

(Oh) lord, I'm hurting now

This choice I made didn't work out the way

I (6)\_\_\_\_\_ it would

This (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of (8)\_\_\_\_\_ (oh)

Mama said to me

It's not easy to (9)\_\_\_\_\_ it son

But I hope you'll make it

(You'll be happy again)



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. remember
2. back
3. choice
4. behind
5. read
6. thought
7. choice
8. mine
9. understand