



## Fill in the gaps

### It's Not Easy by Lucky Dube

Lord have mercy  
I remember the day I called (1)\_\_\_\_\_ on the telephone  
I (2)\_\_\_\_\_ her (3)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm (4)\_\_\_\_\_  
married  
I could hear her voice on the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ side  
Of the telephone she was smiling  
And she (6)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (7)\_\_\_\_\_ it hurts me so to go (8)\_\_\_\_\_ to  
Mama and say  
Mama I'm getting divorced  
(Oh) I'm (9)\_\_\_\_\_ divorced  
The choice I (10)\_\_\_\_\_ didn't work out the way  
I (11)\_\_\_\_\_ it would  
This choice I made  
It (12)\_\_\_\_\_ me so mama  
This choice I made didn't work out the way  
I (13)\_\_\_\_\_ it would  
This (14)\_\_\_\_\_ of mine (oh)  
Mama (15)\_\_\_\_\_ to me  
It's not easy to understand it son  
But I hope you'll make it  
You'll be happy again  
It's not easy to understand it son  
But I hope you'll make it  
You'll be happy again  
I remember in church

When the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ man (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the  
scriptures  
You looked so beautiful, so beautiful  
And so innocent  
I did not know that behind that beauty  
Lies the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ colours (19)\_\_\_\_\_ will destroy  
me  
In the near future  
This (20)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (21)\_\_\_\_\_ it would  
Now I'm hurting  
I (22)\_\_\_\_\_ when I held you by the hand  
Preacher man read the scriptures  
Putting words in (23)\_\_\_\_\_ mouth  
Maybe what the preacher man said  
Was not something (24)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (25)\_\_\_\_\_ it would  
This choice of mine (oh)  
Mama (26)\_\_\_\_\_ to me  
It's not (27)\_\_\_\_\_ to understand it son  
But I hope you'll make it  
(You'll be happy again)



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. mama
2. told
3. mama
4. getting
5. other
6. asked
7. today
8. back
9. getting
10. made
11. thought
12. hurts
13. thought
14. choice
15. said
16. preacher
17. read
18. true
19. that
20. choice
21. thought
22. remember
23. your
24. that
25. thought
26. said
27. easy