



## Speed Of Sound by Coldplay

How long before I get in?  
Before it starts, before I begin  
How long (1)\_\_\_\_\_ you decide?  
Before I know (2)\_\_\_\_\_ it (3)\_\_\_\_\_ like  
Where to? Where do I go?  
If you've never tried then you'll (4)\_\_\_\_\_ know  
How long do I have to climb  
Up on the side of this mountain of mine?  
Look up, I look up at night  
Planets are moving at the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ of light  
Climb up, up in the trees  
Every chance that you get  
Is a Chance you seize  
How (6)\_\_\_\_\_ am I gonna stand  
With my head stuck under the sand?  
I'll stop before I can stop  
Or before I see things the right way up  
All (7)\_\_\_\_\_ (8)\_\_\_\_\_ and all (9)\_\_\_\_\_  
sound  
All those places I got found  
And (10)\_\_\_\_\_ go flying at the speed of sound  
To show you how it all began  
Birds came flying from the underground  
If you (11)\_\_\_\_\_ see it then you'd understand  
Ideas that you'll (12)\_\_\_\_\_ find  
Or the (13)\_\_\_\_\_ could never design

## Fill in the gaps

The buildings (14)\_\_\_\_\_ you put up  
Or Japan and China, all lit up  
The sign (15)\_\_\_\_\_ I couldn't read  
Or a light (16)\_\_\_\_\_ I couldn't see  
Some things you have to believe  
But others are puzzles, (17)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
All that noise and all that sound  
All (18)\_\_\_\_\_ places I got found  
And birds go flying at the speed of sound  
To show you how it all began  
Birds (19)\_\_\_\_\_ flying (20)\_\_\_\_\_ the underground  
If you (21)\_\_\_\_\_ see it then you'd understand  
(Oh) (22)\_\_\_\_\_ you see it then you'll understand  
All those signs I knew what they meant  
Some (23)\_\_\_\_\_ you can't invent  
Some get made and (24)\_\_\_\_\_ get sent  
...  
Birds go flying at the speed of sound  
To show you how it all began  
Birds came (25)\_\_\_\_\_ from the underground  
If you could see it then you'd understand  
(Oh) when you see it then you'll understand



Answer

1. before
2. what
3. feels
4. never
5. speed
6. long
7. that
8. noise
9. that
10. birds
11. could
12. never
13. inventors
14. that
15. that
16. that
17. puzzling
18. those
19. came
20. from
21. could
22. when
23. things
24. some
25. flying

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