



Fill in the gaps

Romulus by Sujjan Stevens

Once when our (1)_____ called
She had a voice of last year's cough
We passed around the phone
Sharing a (2)_____ about Oregon
When my turn came, I was ashamed
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Once (3)_____ we moved away
She (4)_____ to (5)_____ for a day
Her Chevrolet (6)_____ down
We prayed it'd never be (7)_____ or found
We touched her hair, we touched her hair
We touched her hair, we (8)_____ her hair
When she had her (9)_____ child
Once when she had (10)_____ boyfriends, (11)_____ wild
She (12)_____ (13)_____ quite far
Our (14)_____ bought us a new VCR
We (15)_____ it all night
We (16)_____ up in (17)_____ of it
We watched it all night
We (18)_____ up in (19)_____ of it
We saw her once last fall
Our grandpa died in a hospital gown
She didn't (20)_____ to care
She (21)_____ in her room and colored her hair
I was ashamed, I was (22)_____ of her
I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her
I was ashamed, I was (23)_____ of her
I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her



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Answer

1. mother
2. word
3. when
4. came
5. Romulus
6. broke
7. fixed
8. touched
9. last
10. some
11. some
12. moved
13. away
14. grandpa
15. watched
16. grew
17. spite
18. grew
19. spite
20. seem
21. smoked
22. ashamed
23. ashamed