



## Fill in the gaps

### He Didn't Have To Be by Brad Paisley

When a single mom (1)\_\_\_\_\_ out on a date with  
Somebody new  
It always (2)\_\_\_\_\_ up feeling more like  
A job interview  
My momma used to wonder  
If she'd ever (3)\_\_\_\_\_ someone  
Who wouldn't (4)\_\_\_\_\_ out (5)\_\_\_\_\_ me and then  
Turn around and run  
I met the man I call my dad  
When I was five years old  
He took my mom out to a movie  
And for (6)\_\_\_\_\_ I got to go  
A few months later, I remember  
Lying (7)\_\_\_\_\_ in bed  
I overheard him pop the question  
And I prayed that she'd say yes  
And then, all of a sudden  
(Oh) it seemed so (8)\_\_\_\_\_ to me  
How we went from something's  
Missing to a family  
Looking back, all I can say about  
All the (9)\_\_\_\_\_ he did for me  
Is I (10)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm at least  
Half the dad that he didn't have to be

I met the (11)\_\_\_\_\_ that's now my wife  
About (12)\_\_\_\_\_ years ago  
We had the perfect marriage but  
We wanted (13)\_\_\_\_\_ more  
Now here I stand (14)\_\_\_\_\_ by our family  
and friends  
Crowded 'round the nursery window  
As they bring the baby in  
And now, all of a sudden  
(Oh) it (15)\_\_\_\_\_ so strange to me  
How we've gone from something's  
Missing to a family  
Looking (16)\_\_\_\_\_ the glass, I think  
About the man that's (17)\_\_\_\_\_ next to me  
And I (18)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm at least (19)\_\_\_\_\_ the dad  
That he didn't (20)\_\_\_\_\_ to be  
And (21)\_\_\_\_\_ back all I can say about  
All the things he did for me  
Is I hope I'm at least  
Half the dad that he didn't have to be  
Because he didn't have to be  
You know he didn't have to be



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### Answer

1. goes
2. winds
3. meet
4. find
5. about
6. once
7. there
8. strange
9. things
10. hope
11. girl
12. three
13. something
14. surrounded
15. seems
16. through
17. standing
18. hope
19. half
20. have
21. looking