



## Fill in the gaps

### The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The (1)\_\_\_\_\_ stood by the house  
And the (2)\_\_\_\_\_ (3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ within  
And the tinker boys they hissed advice  
'Hot-wire her (5)\_\_\_\_\_ a pin'  
When we (6)\_\_\_\_\_ and shook as we had a look  
In the room (7)\_\_\_\_\_ the dead men lay  
So big Jim (8)\_\_\_\_\_ made his (9)\_\_\_\_\_ trip  
To the (10)\_\_\_\_\_ where his father's laid  
But fifteen minutes later  
We had our first taste of whiskey  
There was uncles giving lectures  
On (11)\_\_\_\_\_ Irish history  
The men all started telling jokes  
And the women they got frisky  
At (12)\_\_\_\_\_ o'clock in the evening  
Every bastard there was piskey  
Fare thee well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
Farewell to New (13)\_\_\_\_\_ (14)\_\_\_\_\_ boys  
To (15)\_\_\_\_\_ and PA  
He took them out  
With a well-aimed clout  
He was often heard to say  
I'm a (16)\_\_\_\_\_ born man of the USA  
He fought the champ in Pittsburgh  
And he slashed him to the ground  
He took on Tiny Tartanella  
And it only went one round  
He never had no time for reds  
For (17)\_\_\_\_\_ or dice or whores  
But he never (18)\_\_\_\_\_ a fight

When the fight was right  
So they sent him to the war  
Fare (19)\_\_\_\_\_ well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
With a (20)\_\_\_\_\_ Joe and Erin go  
My love's in Amerikay  
The calling of the rosary  
Spanish wine from far away  
I'm a free born man of the USA, yeah!  
This (21)\_\_\_\_\_ on the harbou  
When I (22)\_\_\_\_\_ (23)\_\_\_\_\_ to you  
I remember how I swore  
That I'd come back to you one day  
And as the sunset came to meet  
The evening on the hill  
I (24)\_\_\_\_\_ you I'd always love you  
I (25)\_\_\_\_\_ did and I always will  
Fare thee well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
Except to say adieu  
To your eyes as blue  
As the (26)\_\_\_\_\_ in the bay  
To big Jim Dwyer, the man of war  
Who was often (27)\_\_\_\_\_ to say  
I'm a (28)\_\_\_\_\_ born man of the USA  
I'm a free (29)\_\_\_\_\_ man of the USA  
I'm a (30)\_\_\_\_\_ born man of the USA



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### Answer

1. Cadillac
2. yanks
3. they
4. were
5. with
6. turned
7. where
8. Dwyer
9. last
10. shores
11. ancient
12. five
13. York
14. City
15. Boston
16. free
17. drink
18. threw
19. thee
20. slainte
21. morning
22. said
23. goodbye
24. told
25. always
26. water
27. heard
28. free
29. born
30. free