



## Fill in the gaps

### Because Of You by Kelly Clarkson

I (1)\_\_\_\_\_ not make the same mistakes that you did  
I (2)\_\_\_\_\_ not let myself  
Cause my heart so much misery  
I will not break the way you did,  
You (3)\_\_\_\_\_ so hard  
I've learned the hard way  
To (4)\_\_\_\_\_ let it get that far  
Because of you  
I never stray too far from the sidewalk  
Because of you  
I learned to (5)\_\_\_\_\_ on the (6)\_\_\_\_\_ side so I don't  
get hurt  
Because of you  
I (7)\_\_\_\_\_ it hard to trust not only me, but everyone  
(8)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
Because of you  
I am afraid  
I lose my way  
And it's not too (9)\_\_\_\_\_ before you point it out  
I cannot cry  
Because I (10)\_\_\_\_\_ that's (11)\_\_\_\_\_ in  
your eyes  
I'm forced to fake  
A smile, a laugh (12)\_\_\_\_\_ of my life  
My heart can't possibly break  
When it wasn't even whole to start with  
Because of you  
I never stray too far from the sidewalk  
Because of you  
I (13)\_\_\_\_\_ to (14)\_\_\_\_\_ on the safe side so  
I don't get hurt  
Because of you

I find it hard to trust not only me, but everyone around me  
Because of you  
I am afraid  
I watched you die  
I heard you cry every night in (15)\_\_\_\_\_ sleep  
I was so young  
You (16)\_\_\_\_\_ (17)\_\_\_\_\_ known  
(18)\_\_\_\_\_ (19)\_\_\_\_\_ to lean on me  
You (20)\_\_\_\_\_ thought of anyone else  
You just saw your pain  
And now I cry in the middle of the night  
For the same damn thing  
Because of you  
I (21)\_\_\_\_\_ stray too far (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the sidewalk  
Because of you  
I learned to play on the safe side so I don't get hurt  
Because of you  
I try my hardest just to (23)\_\_\_\_\_ everything  
Because of you  
I don't (24)\_\_\_\_\_ how to let anyone else in  
Because of you  
I'm ashamed of my life (25)\_\_\_\_\_ it's empty  
Because of you  
I am afraid  
Because of you  
Because of you  
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**Answer**

1. will
2. will
3. fell
4. never
5. play
6. safe
7. find
8. around
9. long
10. know
11. weakness
12. everyday
13. learned
14. play
15. your
16. should
17. have
18. better
19. than
20. never
21. never
22. from
23. forget
24. know
25. because