



Fill in the gaps

The River (Live) by Bruce Springsteen

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I come from (1)_____ in the valley
Where (2)_____ when you're young
They (3)_____ you up to do
Like your daddy done
Me and Mary we met in high school
When she was (4)_____ seventeen
We'd drive out of this valley
Down to (5)_____ the (6)_____ were green
We'd go down to the river
And (7)_____ the river we'd dive
(Oh oh) down to the river we'd ride
Then I got (8)_____ pregnant
And man that was all she wrote
And for my (9)_____ birthday
I got a union card and a wedding coat
We (10)_____ down to the courthouse
And the judge put it all to rest
No wedding day smiles
No (11)_____ down the aisle
No flowers, no (12)_____ dress
We went (13)_____ to the river
And (14)_____ the river we'd dive
(Oh oh) (15)_____ to the (16)_____ we'd ride
I got a job working construction

For the Johnstown Company
But lately (17)_____ ain't been no work
On account of the economy
Now all them things (18)_____ seemed so important
Well mister they (19)_____ right into the air
I (20)_____ act like I don't remember
Mary (21)_____ like she don't care
But I remember us riding in my brother's car
Her body tanned and wet down at the reservoir
At night on them banks I'd lie awake
And pull her close (22)_____ to feel each breath she'd
take
Now the memories come back to haunt me
They haunt me like a curse
Is a dream a lie if it don't come true
Or is it (23)_____ worse
That (24)_____ me down to the river
Though I (25)_____ the (26)_____ is dry
(Oh oh) down to the river tonight
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Down to the river
My baby and I
(Oh oh) (27)_____ to the river we ride
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Answer

1. down
2. mister
3. bring
4. just
5. where
6. fields
7. into
8. Mary
9. nineteenth
10. went
11. walk
12. wedding
13. down
14. into
15. down
16. river
17. there
18. that
19. vanished
20. just
21. acts
22. just
23. something
24. sends
25. know
26. river
27. down