



Fill in the gaps

The River (Live) by Bruce Springsteen

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

For the Johnstown Company
But lately (11)_____ ain't (12)_____ no work
On account of the economy
Now all (13)_____ (14)_____ that
(15)_____ so important
Well (16)_____ they vanished (17)_____ into the air
I just act (18)_____ I don't remember
Mary (19)_____ 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 (20)_____ I'd lie awake
And pull her close (21)_____ to (22)_____ each
breath she'd take
Now the (23)_____ come (24)_____ to
haunt me
They haunt me like a curse
Is a dream a lie if it don't come true
Or is it something worse
That sends me down to the river
Though I know the (25)_____ is dry
(Oh oh) (26)_____ to the river tonight
...
Down to the river
My baby and I
(Oh oh) down to the river we ride
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Answer

1. come
2. just
3. where
4. river
5. that
6. wedding
7. judge
8. walk
9. down
10. river
11. there
12. been
13. them
14. things
15. seemed
16. mister
17. right
18. like
19. acts
20. banks
21. just
22. feel
23. memories
24. back
25. river
26. down