



## Fill in the gaps

### A Whiter Shade Of Pale by Procol Harum

We skipped a (1)\_\_\_\_\_ fandango  
Turned cartwheels 'cross the floor  
I was feeling (2)\_\_\_\_\_ of seasick  
(But the) crowd called out for more  
The room was humming harder  
As the ceiling (3)\_\_\_\_\_ away  
When we called out for another drink  
The waiter (4)\_\_\_\_\_ a tray  
And so it was that later  
As the miller (5)\_\_\_\_\_ his tale  
That her face at (6)\_\_\_\_\_ just ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale  
She said, I'm home on (7)\_\_\_\_\_ leave  
Though in (8)\_\_\_\_\_ we were at sea  
So I took her by the (9)\_\_\_\_\_ glass  
And would not let her be  
Saying, you must be the mermaid  
Who (10)\_\_\_\_\_ neptune for a ride  
But she smiled at me so sadly  
That my (11)\_\_\_\_\_ straightway died  
And so it was (12)\_\_\_\_\_ later

As the (13)\_\_\_\_\_ (14)\_\_\_\_\_ his tale  
That her face, at first (15)\_\_\_\_\_ ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale  
She (16)\_\_\_\_\_ there is no reason  
And the truth is (17)\_\_\_\_\_ to see  
But I wandered (18)\_\_\_\_\_ my playing cards  
Would not let her be  
One of sixteen (19)\_\_\_\_\_ virgins  
Who were leaving for the coast  
At the moment my (20)\_\_\_\_\_ were open  
They might just as well have (21)\_\_\_\_\_ closed  
And so it was (22)\_\_\_\_\_ later  
As the miller (23)\_\_\_\_\_ his tale  
That her face at first just ghostly  
Turned a (24)\_\_\_\_\_ shade of pale  
And so it was that later  
As the miller told his tale  
That her face at first just ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale



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**Answer**

1. light
2. kind
3. flew
4. brought
5. told
6. first
7. shore
8. truth
9. looking
10. took
11. anger
12. that
13. miller
14. told
15. just
16. said
17. plain
18. through
19. vestal
20. eyes
21. been
22. that
23. told
24. whiter