



## Fill in the gaps

### Mr. Jones by Counting Crows

(Sha la la la la la la..... hmm, uh huh...)  
I was (1)\_\_\_\_\_ at the New Amsterdam  
Staring at this yellow-haired girl  
Mr. (2)\_\_\_\_\_ (3)\_\_\_\_\_ up a conversation  
With a black-haired  
Flamenco dancer  
She dances while his (4)\_\_\_\_\_ plays  
Guitar  
She's suddenly beautiful  
We all (5)\_\_\_\_\_ (6)\_\_\_\_\_ beautiful  
Man I wish I was beautiful  
So come dance this silence down through the mornin'  
(Sha la la la la la la yeah.. uh huh, yeah...)  
Cut up, Maria!  
Show me (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of that Spanish dancin'  
Pass me a bottle, Mr. Jones  
Believe in me  
Help me believe in anything  
'Cause I (8)\_\_\_\_\_ be someone  
Who believes, yeah...  
Mr. Jones and me  
Tell each other fairy tales and we  
Stare at the beautiful women  
"She's looking at you. Ah, no, no, she's looking at me."  
Smiling in the (9)\_\_\_\_\_ lights  
Coming through in stereo  
When (10)\_\_\_\_\_ loves you  
You can (11)\_\_\_\_\_ be lonely  
Well, I'm gonna paint my picture  
Paint myself in blue and red and (12)\_\_\_\_\_ and gray  
All of the beautiful colors are very very meaningful  
Yeah, well, you know gray is my favorite color  
I felt so symbolic yesterday  
If I knew Picasso  
I would buy myself a (13)\_\_\_\_\_ guitar and play  
Mr. Jones and me look into the future  
Yeah, we stare at the beautiful women

"She's (14)\_\_\_\_\_ at you. I don't (15)\_\_\_\_\_  
so. She's looking at me."  
Standing in the spotlight  
I bought myself a (16)\_\_\_\_\_ guitar  
When everybody loves me  
I'll never be lonely  
I'll never be lonely  
Son, I'm never (17)\_\_\_\_\_ be LONELY  
I wanna be a lion  
E-Everybody (18)\_\_\_\_\_ to pass as cats  
We all (19)\_\_\_\_\_ be big big stars, yeah, but  
We've got (20)\_\_\_\_\_ reasons for that  
Believe in me  
'Cause I don't (21)\_\_\_\_\_ in anything  
And I, I wanna be someone  
To believe, to believe, to believe, yeah  
Mr. (22)\_\_\_\_\_ and me  
Stumbling through the barrio  
Yeah we stare at the beautiful women  
"She's perfect for you  
Man, there's got to be somebody for me."  
I (23)\_\_\_\_\_ be Bob Dylan  
Mr. Jones wishes he was someone just a little more funky  
When everybody (24)\_\_\_\_\_ you  
Oh, son, that's just' bout as funky as you can be  
Mr. Jones and me  
Staring at the video  
When I look at the television  
I wanna see me (25)\_\_\_\_\_ right back at me  
We all wanna be big stars  
But we don't know why  
And we don't know how  
But when (26)\_\_\_\_\_ loves me  
I'll be just' (27)\_\_\_\_\_ as happy as I could be  
Mr. (28)\_\_\_\_\_ and me  
We're gonna be big stars



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### Answer

1. down
2. Jones
3. strikes
4. father
5. want
6. something
7. some
8. wanna
9. bright
10. everybody
11. never
12. black
13. gray
14. looking
15. think
16. gray
17. gonna
18. wants
19. wanna
20. different
21. believe
22. Jones
23. wanna
24. loves
25. staring
26. everybody
27. bout
28. Jones