



Statues by Nina Nesbitt

Fill in the gaps

You're just the statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're (1)_____ the tattoo
Of the words that we once spoke
You're the dry river
Where love used to flow
But it stills runs (2)_____ me
With you it had to go
But if you take (3)_____ back
I'll be waiting to come alive, come alive
If you turn (4)_____ (5)_____ I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the falling leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
You're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm (6)_____ a (7)_____ home
Because as I breathe in deep
You're (8)_____ at me like a (9)_____
Of the boy I (10)_____ to know
You're just a lighter
(11)_____ no fuel to light the flames
You know I'd (12)_____ for this
But you wouldn't do the same
Because you're just a diary
With a blank and empty page
But the story we wrote
I can't quite erase

But if you take this back
I'll be waiting to come alive, come alive
If you turn (13)_____ back I'll be (14)_____
to fly
But you're like the (15)_____ leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one who leaves
Now I'm (16)_____ asleep
You're (17)_____ the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a (18)_____ home
Because as I (19)_____ in deep
You're looking at me like a statue
Of the boy I used to know
I'll watch you fall to the ground
Because there's just stone in your eyes now
We had it all till we found
We're just living (20)_____ (21)_____ now
(22)_____ you're (23)_____ the falling
leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
Because you're like the broken keys
(24)_____ I'm just a (25)_____ home
And I breathe in deep
As I (26)_____ you leave like a statue
Of the boy I used to know



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Answer

1. just
2. through
3. this
4. your
5. back
6. just
7. broken
8. looking
9. statue
10. used
11. With
12. fight
13. your
14. waiting
15. falling
16. falling
17. like
18. broken
19. breathe
20. these
21. lies
22. Because
23. like
24. Whilst
25. broken
26. watch