



Fill in the gaps

Statues by Nina Nesbitt

You're (1)_____ the statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're (2)_____ the tattoo
Of the words that we (3)_____ spoke
You're the dry river
Where love used to flow
But it stills (4)_____ through me
(5)_____ you it had to go
But if you (6)_____ this back
I'll be waiting to come alive, come alive
If you (7)_____ your back I'll be (8)_____ to
fly
But you're like the (9)_____ 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 just a broken home
(10)_____ as I breathe in deep
You're (11)_____ at me like a statue
Of the boy I (12)_____ to know
You're just a lighter
With no (13)_____ to (14)_____ the flames
You know I'd fight for this
But you wouldn't do the same
Because you're just a diary
With a blank and empty page
But the (15)_____ we wrote
I can't quite erase

But if you take (16)_____ back
I'll be waiting to come alive, come alive
If you turn your back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're (17)_____ the falling leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one who leaves
Now I'm (18)_____ asleep
You're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
Because as I breathe in deep
You're looking at me like a statue
Of the boy I used to know
I'll watch you (19)_____ to the ground
Because there's (20)_____ (21)_____ in your
(22)_____ now
We had it all (23)_____ we found
We're just living these lies now
(24)_____ you're like the (25)_____
leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
Because you're (26)_____ the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
And I (27)_____ in deep
As I watch you (28)_____ like a statue
Of the boy I used to know



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Answer

1. just
2. just
3. once
4. runs
5. With
6. take
7. turn
8. waiting
9. falling
10. Because
11. looking
12. used
13. fuel
14. light
15. story
16. this
17. like
18. falling
19. fall
20. just
21. stone
22. eyes
23. till
24. Because
25. falling
26. like
27. breathe
28. leave