



## Statues by Nina Nesbitt

### Fill in the gaps

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

But if you (14)\_\_\_\_\_ this back  
I'll be waiting to come alive, come alive  
If you (15)\_\_\_\_\_ your (16)\_\_\_\_\_ I'll be waiting to fly  
But you're like the falling leaves  
Whilst I'm (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the oak tree  
Because you're the one who leaves  
Now I'm falling asleep  
You're (18)\_\_\_\_\_ the (19)\_\_\_\_\_ keys  
Whilst I'm just a broken home  
Because as I breathe in deep  
You're looking at me (20)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (21)\_\_\_\_\_ we found  
We're just living (22)\_\_\_\_\_ lies now  
Because you're like the (23)\_\_\_\_\_ 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  
Whilst I'm just a (24)\_\_\_\_\_ home  
And I breathe in deep  
As I (25)\_\_\_\_\_ you leave like a (26)\_\_\_\_\_  
Of the boy I used to know



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### Answer

1. just
2. take
3. falling
4. Whilst
5. still
6. like
7. just
8. broken
9. like
10. used
11. know
12. just
13. With
14. take
15. turn
16. back
17. still
18. like
19. broken
20. like
21. till
22. these
23. falling
24. broken
25. watch
26. statue