



Fill in the gaps

Manhattan by Sara Bareilles

You can have Manhattan
I know it's for the best
I'll gather up the avenues
And (1)_____ them on your doorstep
And I'll tip toe away
So you won't have to say
You heard me leave
You can have Manhattan
I know it's what you want
The (2)_____ and the buildings
The weather in the fall
And I'll bow out of place
To save you (3)_____ space
For somebody new
You can have Manhattan
Because I can't (4)_____ you
You can have Manhattan
The one we used to share
The one where we (5)_____ laughing
And drunk on just (6)_____ there
Hang on to the reverie

Could you do that for me?
Because I'm just too sad to
You can have Manhattan
Because I can't have you
And so it goes
One foot after the other
(7)_____ black and (8)_____ begin to color in
And I know that holding us in place
Is simply fear
Of what's already changed
You can have Manhattan
I'll settle for the beach
And sunsets facing westward
With (9)_____ beneath my feet
I'll wish this away
Dismissing the days
When I was one half of two
You can have Manhattan
Because I can't have you



Answer

1. leave
2. bustle
3. some
4. have
5. were
6. being
7. Till
8. white
9. sand

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