



## Fill in the gaps

### American Pie by Madonna

A long, (1)\_\_\_\_\_ time ago  
I can still remember  
How that music used to make me smile  
And I knew (2)\_\_\_\_\_ if I had my chance  
I (3)\_\_\_\_\_ make those people dance  
And (4)\_\_\_\_\_ they'd be (5)\_\_\_\_\_ for a while  
Did you write the book of love?  
And do you have faith in God above  
If the Bible tells you so?  
Now do you believe in Rock 'n' roll  
And can (6)\_\_\_\_\_ save (7)\_\_\_\_\_  
(8)\_\_\_\_\_ soul?  
And can you teach me how to dance real slow?  
Well, I know that you're in love with him  
Cause I saw you dancin' in the gym  
You both kicked off (9)\_\_\_\_\_ shoes  
Man, I dig (10)\_\_\_\_\_ rhythm and blues  
I was a lonely teenage broncin' buck  
With a (11)\_\_\_\_\_ (12)\_\_\_\_\_ and a  
pick-up truck  
But I knew that I was out of luck  
The day the music died  
I started singing  
Bye, bye, Miss American Pie  
Drove my (13)\_\_\_\_\_ to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old (14)\_\_\_\_\_ were drinkin' whiskey and rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day (15)\_\_\_\_\_ I die  
I met a girl who sang the blues  
And I (16)\_\_\_\_\_ her for some happy news  
But she just smiled and turned away

When I went down to the (17)\_\_\_\_\_ store  
Where I'd heard the music years before  
But the man there said the music wouldn't play  
Well now, in the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ the children screamed  
The (19)\_\_\_\_\_ cried, and the poets dreamed  
But not a word was spoken  
The (20)\_\_\_\_\_ bells all were broken  
And the three men I admire the most  
The Father, Son and the Holy Ghost  
They (21)\_\_\_\_\_ the last train for the coast  
The day the music died  
We started singing  
Bye, bye, Miss (22)\_\_\_\_\_ Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys were drinkin' whiskey and rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
Bye, bye, Miss American Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys were drinkin' (23)\_\_\_\_\_ and  
rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
We started singing  
We started singing  
We (24)\_\_\_\_\_ singing  
We started (25)\_\_\_\_\_



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### Answer

1. long
2. that
3. could
4. maybe
5. happy
6. music
7. your
8. mortal
9. your
10. those
11. pink
12. carnation
13. Chevy
14. boys
15. that
16. asked
17. sacred
18. streets
19. lovers
20. church
21. caught
22. American
23. whiskey
24. started
25. singing