Crusader by Chris De Burgh

"What do I do next?" said the bishop to the priest,

"I have spent my whole life waiting, preparing for the feast,

And now you say Jerusalem has fallen and is lost,

The king of heathen Saracen has seized the holy cross;"

Then the priest said "Oh my bishop, we must put

(1)_____ to the sword,

For God in all His mercy (2)_____ find a just reward,

For the (3)_____ and sinners, and knights of

ready hand,

Who (4)_____ be the Lord's Crusader, send word

(5)_____ all the land,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost;"

"Tell me what to do", said the king upon his throne,

"but speak to me in (6)_____ for we are not

alone,

They tell me that Jerusalem has fallen to the hand,

Of some bedevilled eastern Heathen who has seized the Holy

Land;"

Then the chamberlain said "Lord, we (7)_____ call upon

our foes

In (8)_____ and France and Germany to end our bitter

wars,

All Christian men must be as one and gather for the fight,

You will be their leader, begin the battle cry,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost"...

Ooh, high on a hill, in the town of Jerusalem,

There stood Saladin, the king of the Saracens,

Whoring and drinking and snoring and sinking, around him his

army lay,

Secure in the knowledge that he had won the day;

A messenger came, (9)_____ on his feet and a wound

in his chest,

"The Christians are coming!" he said, "I have seen their cross

in the west,"

In a rage Saladin struck him down with his knife,

And he said "I know that (10)_____ man lies,

They quarrel too much, the Christians could (11)_____

unite!

I am invincible, I am the king,

I am invincible, and I (12)_____ win..."

Closer they came, the army of Richard the Lionheart,

Marching by day and night, with soldiers from every part,

And when the Crusaders came over the mountain and they

saw Jerusalem,

They fell to their knees and (13)_____ for her release;

They started the battle at dawn, taking the city by storm,

With horsemen and bowmen and engines of war,

They broke (14)_____ the city walls,

The Heathens were flying and screaming and dying,

And the Christian swords were strong,

And Saladin ran when he heard their victory song;

"We are invincible, God is the king,

We are invincible, and we will win!"

"What do I do now?" said the wise man to the fool,

"I have spent my whole life searching, to (15)_____ the Golden Rule,

Though centuries have disappeared, the memory (16)_____ remains,

Of (17)_____ (18)_____ together,

(19)_____ it be that way again?"

Then the fool said "Oh you wise men, you really make me laugh,

With your talk of (20)_____ persuasion and searching through the past,

There is only greed and (21)_____ in the men who fight today,

The song of the Crusader has (22)_____ since gone away,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost...

They (23)_____ the battle at dawn, taking the city by storm,

With horsemen and bowmen and engines of war,

They broke through the city walls,

The Heathens were flying and (24)_____ and dying,

And the Christian (25)_____ were strong,

And Saladin ran when he heard their victory song;

"We are invincible, God is the king,

We are invincible, and we will win!"

"What do I do now?" said the wise man to the fool,

"I (26)_____ spent my whole (27)_____ searching, to find the Golden Rule,

Though centuries have disappeared, the memory still remains,

Of those enemies together, (28)_____ it be that way again?"

Then the fool said "Oh you wise men, you really make me laugh,

With your talk of vast persuasion and searching through the past,

There is only greed and evil in the men who fight today,

The song of the Crusader has long since gone away,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost,

Jerusalem is lost...

Jerusalem."

Answer

1. them
2. will
3. noblemen
4. will
5. through
6. whispers
7. must
8. Spain
9. blood
10. this
11. never
12. will
13. prayed
14. through
15. find
16. still
17. those
18. enemies
19. could
20. vast
21. evil
22. long
23. started
24. screaming
25. swords
26. have
27. life
28. could