



## Fill in the gaps

### Rose Of England by Chris De Burgh

Hear my voice and listen well, and a story I will tell,  
How (1)\_\_\_\_\_ brought a (2)\_\_\_\_\_ heart, and  
why a (3)\_\_\_\_\_ so strong  
Must fall apart;  
She was lovely, she was fine, daughter of a royal line,  
He, no equal, but for them it mattered little for (4)\_\_\_\_\_  
were in love;  
Rose of England, (5)\_\_\_\_\_ and fair, shining with the  
sun,  
Rose of England, have a care, for where the (6)\_\_\_\_\_  
is,  
There the blood will run;  
Oh my heart, oh my heart;  
Through the (7)\_\_\_\_\_ days and nights, stolen  
kisses and delights  
Would thrill their hearts and fill (8)\_\_\_\_\_ dreams  
(9)\_\_\_\_\_ all emotions  
That true love can bring;  
But black of mourning came one day, when her  
(10)\_\_\_\_\_ passed away,  
And (11)\_\_\_\_\_ said on bended knee, she has gone, and  
you must be our Queen;  
Rose of England, (12)\_\_\_\_\_ and fair,  
(13)\_\_\_\_\_ with the sun,  
Rose of England, (14)\_\_\_\_\_ a care, for where the thorn  
is,  
There the blood (15)\_\_\_\_\_ run;

Oh my heart, oh my heart;  
To the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ she did ride, (17)\_\_\_\_\_ her  
lover by her side,  
When they heard the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ bells ring, she was  
Queen  
And one day, he'd be King;  
But men of malice, men of hate, protesting to her chambers  
came,  
"A (19)\_\_\_\_\_ prince will have your hand, for he'll  
bring peace  
And (20)\_\_\_\_\_ to our land;"  
She said, "Do you (21)\_\_\_\_\_ me (22)\_\_\_\_\_ I cannot  
wed the one I love?  
Do you (23)\_\_\_\_\_ me that I am not mistress of my  
heart?"  
And so with heavy weight of life she kissed her lover one last  
time,  
"This land I wed, and no man comes, for if I cannot  
(24)\_\_\_\_\_ you, I'll have none;"  
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,  
Rose of England have a care, for where the thorn is,  
There the blood will run;  
Oh my heart, oh my heart.



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### Answer

1. duty
2. broken
3. love
4. they
5. sweet
6. thorn
7. summer
8. their
9. with
10. sister
11. many
12. sweet
13. shining
14. have
15. will
16. abbey
17. with
18. church
19. foreign
20. riches
21. tell
22. that
23. tell
24. have