



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 broken heart, and why a love so
strong
Must fall apart;
She was lovely, she was fine, daughter of a royal line,
He, no equal, but for (2)_____ it (3)_____
little for they were in love;
Rose of England, sweet and fair, (4)_____ with
the sun,
Rose of England, have a care, for (5)_____ the thorn
is,
There the (6)_____ will run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart;
Through the summer (7)_____ and nights, stolen
(8)_____ and delights
Would thrill their hearts and fill (9)_____ dreams with
all emotions
That true love can bring;
But (10)_____ of mourning came one day, when her
sister (11)_____ away,
And many said on bended knee, she has gone, and you must
be our Queen;
Rose of England, (12)_____ and fair, shining with the
sun,
Rose of England, have a care, for (13)_____ the thorn
is,
There the (14)_____ (15)_____ run;

Oh my heart, oh my heart;
To the abbey she did ride, with her lover by her side,
When they heard the (16)_____ 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 foreign prince will have your hand, for he'll bring peace
And riches to our land;"
She said, "Do you tell me (17)_____ I cannot wed the
one I love?
Do you (18)_____ me that I am not mistress of my
heart?"
And so (19)_____ heavy weight of (20)_____ she
kissed her lover one last time,
"This land I wed, and no man comes, for if I
(21)_____ have you, I'll have none;"
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining (22)_____ the
sun,
Rose of England have a care, for where the (23)_____
is,
There the blood will run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart.



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Answer

1. duty
2. them
3. mattered
4. shining
5. where
6. blood
7. days
8. kisses
9. their
10. black
11. passed
12. sweet
13. where
14. blood
15. will
16. church
17. that
18. tell
19. with
20. life
21. cannot
22. with
23. thorn