



## Fill in the gaps

### The Monster Ft. Rihanna by Eminem

[Hook - Rihanna:]

I'm friends (1)\_\_\_\_\_ the monster that's under my bed  
Get (2)\_\_\_\_\_ with the voices inside of my head  
You're trying to save me, stop holding your breath  
And you think I'm crazy, yeah, you think I'm crazy

[Verse 1 - Eminem:]

I wanted the fame, but not the cover of Newsweek  
Oh, well, guess beggars can't be choosey  
Wanted to receive attention for my music  
Wanted to be left alone in public. Excuse me  
For wanting my cake and eat it too, and wanting it both ways  
Fame made me a balloon 'cause my ego inflated  
When I blew; see, but it was confusing  
'Cause all I wanted to do is be the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ Lee of  
loose leaf

Abused ink, used it as a tool when I blew steam (wooh!)  
Hit the lottery, oh wee

With what I gave up to get was bittersweet  
It was like winning a used me  
Ironic 'cause I think I'm getting so huge I (4)\_\_\_\_\_ a  
shrink  
I'm (5)\_\_\_\_\_ to lose (6)\_\_\_\_\_ one  
sheep, two sheep  
Going cuckoo and (7)\_\_\_\_\_ as Kool Keith  
But I'm (8)\_\_\_\_\_ weirder than you think  
'Cause I'm

[Hook - Rihanna:]

I'm friends with the monster that's under my bed  
Get along (9)\_\_\_\_\_ the voices inside of my head  
You're trying to save me, (10)\_\_\_\_\_ holding your breath  
And you (11)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm crazy, yeah, you think I'm crazy  
Well, that's nothing  
Well, that's nothing

[Verse 2 - Eminem:]  
No, I ain't much of a poet but I know somebody (12)\_\_\_\_\_  
(13)\_\_\_\_\_ me

To seize the moment and don't squander it  
'Cause you never know when it all could be over tomorrow  
So I keep conjuring, sometimes I wonder where  
(14)\_\_\_\_\_ thoughts spawn from  
(Yeah, ponder it, do you want this?  
It's no (15)\_\_\_\_\_ you're losing your mind, the way it  
wanders)  
Yo-lo-lo-lo-yee-whoo  
I (16)\_\_\_\_\_ you've (17)\_\_\_\_\_ wandering off down  
yonder  
And stumbled onto Jeff VanVonderen



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To intervene between me and this monster  
And save me from myself and all this conflict  
'Cause the very thing that I love's killing me and I can't  
(19)\_\_\_\_\_ it  
My OCD is conking me in the head  
Keep knocking, nobody's home, I'm sleepwalking  
I'm (20)\_\_\_\_\_ relaying what the voice in my head's  
saying  
Don't shoot the messenger, I'm just friends with the  
[Hook - Rihanna:]  
I'm friends (21)\_\_\_\_\_ the monster that's under my bed  
Get along (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the voices inside of my head  
You're trying to save me, stop holding your breath  
And you think I'm crazy, yeah, you think I'm crazy  
Well, that's nothing  
Well, that's nothing  
[Verse 3: Eminem]  
Call me crazy, but I had this vision  
One day that I'd (23)\_\_\_\_\_ amongst you a  
(24)\_\_\_\_\_ civilian  
But until then drums get killed and I'm coming straight at  
MCs, blood get spilled and I  
Take it back to the days that I get on a Dre track  
Give every kid who got played that  
Pumped up feeling and shit to say back  
To the kids who (25)\_\_\_\_\_ 'em  
I ain't here to save the (26)\_\_\_\_\_ children  
But if one kid out of a hundred million  
Who are going through a struggle feels and then relates that's  
great  
It's payback, Russell Wilson falling way back  
In the draft, turn nothing into something, still can  
(27)\_\_\_\_\_ that  
Straw into (28)\_\_\_\_\_ chump, I will spin Rumpelstiltskin in  
a haystack  
Maybe I need a straight jacket, (29)\_\_\_\_\_ facts  
I am nuts for real, but I'm okay with that  
It's nothing, I'm still friends with the  
[Hook - Rihanna:]  
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Get along with the voices inside of my head  
You're trying to save me, stop holding your breath  
And you think I'm crazy, yeah, you think I'm crazy  
[x2]  
Well, that's nothing  
Well, that's nothing



Answer

1. with
2. along
3. Bruce
4. need
5. beginning
6. sleep:
7. cooky
8. actually
9. with
10. stop
11. think
12. once
13. told
14. these
15. wonder
16. think
17. been
18. need
19. conquer
20. just
21. with
22. with
23. walk
24. regular
25. played
26. fucking
27. make
28. gold
29. face

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