



## Fill in the gaps

### Cats in the cradle by Ugly Kid Joe

My (1)\_\_\_\_\_ arrived just the other day  
Come to the world in the usual way  
But there were planes to catch  
And bills to pay  
He learned to walk while I was away  
He was (2)\_\_\_\_\_ for a minute  
And as he grew  
He'd say I'm gonna be like you Dad  
You know I'm gonna be like you  
And the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ in the cradle  
And the silver spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' home son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You know we'll have  
A (4)\_\_\_\_\_ time then  
Well my son (5)\_\_\_\_\_ ten  
Just the (6)\_\_\_\_\_ day  
He said (7)\_\_\_\_\_ for the ball Dad  
Come on let's play  
Can you (8)\_\_\_\_\_ me to throw  
I said not today - I got a lot to do  
He said that's o.k.  
And he walked away and he  
Smiled and he said  
You know I'm gonna be (9)\_\_\_\_\_ him yeah  
You (10)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm gonna be like him  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the (11)\_\_\_\_\_ spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' home son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You know we'll have  
A good time then  
Well he (12)\_\_\_\_\_ (13)\_\_\_\_\_ college  
Just the other day  
So much like a man I (14)\_\_\_\_\_ had to say  
I'm proud of you (15)\_\_\_\_\_ you  
Sit for a while  
He shook his head  
And he said with a smile  
What I'd really like Dad

Is to borrow the car keys  
See you later can I have (16)\_\_\_\_\_ please  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the silver spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' (17)\_\_\_\_\_ son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You (18)\_\_\_\_\_ we'll have  
A (19)\_\_\_\_\_ (20)\_\_\_\_\_ then  
I've long since retired  
My son's (21)\_\_\_\_\_ away  
I called him up just the other day  
I'd like to see you if you don't mind  
He said  
I'd (22)\_\_\_\_\_ to Dad  
If I (23)\_\_\_\_\_ find the time  
You see my new job's hassle  
And the kids have the flu  
But it's sure nice talking to you Dad  
It's (24)\_\_\_\_\_ sure nice talking to you  
And as I hung up the phone  
I occured to me  
He'd grown up just like me  
My boy was just like me  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the (25)\_\_\_\_\_ spoon  
Little boy (26)\_\_\_\_\_ and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' home son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You (27)\_\_\_\_\_ we'll have  
A good time then  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the silver spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' home son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You know we'll have  
A (28)\_\_\_\_\_ time then



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### Answer

1. child
2. talking
3. cats
4. good
5. turned
6. other
7. thanks
8. teach
9. like
10. know
11. silver
12. came
13. from
14. just
15. could
16. them
17. home
18. know
19. good
20. time
21. moved
22. love
23. could
24. been
25. silver
26. blue
27. know
28. good