



## Fill in the gaps

### 21st Century Breakdown by Green Day

Born into nixon I was (1)\_\_\_\_\_ in hell

A (2)\_\_\_\_\_ (3)\_\_\_\_\_ where the  
(4)\_\_\_\_\_ dwelled

The last one born, and the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ one to run

My (6)\_\_\_\_\_ was blind from refinery sun

My generation is zero

I never (7)\_\_\_\_\_ it as a (8)\_\_\_\_\_  
(9)\_\_\_\_\_ hero

21st century breakdown

I once was lost but (10)\_\_\_\_\_ was found

I think I am losing what's left of my mind

To the 20th century deadline...

I was (11)\_\_\_\_\_ of poison and blood

Condemnation is what I understood

Videogames to the tower's fall

Homeland security (12)\_\_\_\_\_ kill us all

My generaton is zero

I never made it as a working class hero

21st century breakdown

I once was lost but never was found

I (13)\_\_\_\_\_ I am losing what's left of my mind

To the 20th century deadline...

We are the (14)\_\_\_\_\_ of, the class of 13

Born in the era of humility

We are the desperate in the decline

Raised by the bastards of 1969...

My name is no one

The long lost son

Born on the 4th of July

Raised in an era of heroes and cons

That left me for dead or alive

I am a nation

A (15)\_\_\_\_\_ of pride

My debt to the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ quo

The scars on my hands

And the means to an end

Is all that I have to show

...

I swallowed my pride

And I choked on my faith

I've (17)\_\_\_\_\_ my (18)\_\_\_\_\_ and my soul

I've broken my fingers

And (19)\_\_\_\_\_ through my teeth

The pillar of damage control

I've been to the edge

And I've thrown the bouquet

Of flowers left (20)\_\_\_\_\_ the grave

I sat in the waiting room

Wasting my time

And waiting for (21)\_\_\_\_\_ Day...

I praise liberty

The "Freedom to Obey"

Is the song (22)\_\_\_\_\_ strangles me

Well, don't (23)\_\_\_\_\_ the line

(Oh) dream, America dream

I can't even sleep

From the light's (24)\_\_\_\_\_ dawn

(Oh) scream, America scream

Believe what you see

From heroes and cons



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### Answer

1. raised
2. welfare
3. child
4. teamsters
5. first
6. town
7. made
8. working
9. class
10. never
11. made
12. could
13. think
14. class
15. worker
16. status
17. given
18. heart
19. lied
20. over
21. Judgement
22. that
23. cross
24. early