



Fill in the gaps

He Didn't Have To Be by Brad Paisley

When a single mom (1)_____ out on a date with
Somebody new
It (2)_____ winds up feeling more like
A job interview
My momma used to wonder
If she'd ever (3)_____ someone
Who wouldn't find out about me and then
Turn around and run
I met the man I (4)_____ my dad
When I was (5)_____ (6)_____ old
He took my mom out to a movie
And for (7)_____ I got to go
A few (8)_____ later, I remember
Lying there in bed
I overheard him pop the question
And I prayed that she'd say yes
And then, all of a sudden
(Oh) it seemed so strange to me
How we (9)_____ from something's
Missing to a family
Looking back, all I can say about
All the things he did for me
Is I (10)_____ I'm at least
Half the dad (11)_____ he didn't have to be

I met the (12)_____ that's now my wife
About (13)_____ years ago
We had the perfect marriage but
We wanted something more
Now (14)_____ I stand surrounded by our
(15)_____ and friends
Crowded 'round the nursery window
As they bring the baby in
And now, all of a sudden
(Oh) it (16)_____ so (17)_____ to me
How we've gone (18)_____ something's
Missing to a family
Looking through the glass, I think
About the man that's standing next to me
And I (19)_____ I'm at least (20)_____ the dad
That he didn't (21)_____ to be
And looking back all I can say about
All the things he did for me
Is I hope I'm at least
Half the dad that he didn't have to be
Because he didn't have to be
You know he didn't have to be



Answer

1. goes
2. always
3. meet
4. call
5. five
6. years
7. once
8. months
9. went
10. hope
11. that
12. girl
13. three
14. here
15. family
16. seems
17. strange
18. from
19. hope
20. half
21. have

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