



## Fill in the gaps

### The World Moves On (Studio) by Jens Lekman

(And this song is called)

(The world moves on)

The thermometer ran out of numbers

When it reached 50 degrees

I just lay down on the floor

With a bag of frozen peas

We saw plumes of smoke rising

In the distance (1)\_\_\_\_\_ our balcony

I poured a glass of wine

Sucked the juice out of a kiwi

Catherine turned on the TV

They showed acres after acres

Of absolutely nothing

And then (2)\_\_\_\_\_ called and said

Are you watching what I'm watching?

I said I'm watching (3)\_\_\_\_\_ you're watching

But what is it I'm watching?

The (4)\_\_\_\_\_ before I had (5)\_\_\_\_\_ bored

And my legs had been restless

It was my birthday

I'd already opened up my presents

At the social club, I met some friends

Who were friends (6)\_\_\_\_\_ this girl

One by one they dropped off

Till it was just me and her

We made out in every bar in town

While the state of Victoria

Burned down to the ground

And the sun rose over the city



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The wind swept through the valley

And you don't get over a broken heart

You just (7)\_\_\_\_\_ to carry it gracefully

The Edinburgh Gardens offered

Some kind of shade

I would pick up some beers

And (8)\_\_\_\_\_ down there late

Watch the possums and listen

To their Growling banter

There was one I liked especially

I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ her Sam as in Samantha

I offered a slice of apple from my hand

She would sniff it, frown

And then lumber back to the trash can

I was going uphill on my Malvern Star

When I was passed by a scooter

You got a (10)\_\_\_\_\_ or a cigarette?

Hey, I'm (11)\_\_\_\_\_ to you, poofster

What I should have (12)\_\_\_\_\_ was nothing

What I said was "get lost"

Next (13)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm upside-down with my bike in the dust

Spitting dirt all the way home

Cursing the very (14)\_\_\_\_\_ that I was chewing on

And the sun (15)\_\_\_\_\_ over the city

The wind swept through the valley

And you don't get over a (16)\_\_\_\_\_ heart

You just learn to carry it gracefully

And that's (17)\_\_\_\_\_ it's like

When you've had your heart broken

The world just shrugs its shoulders



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And gets going

It just moves on in all its (18)\_\_\_\_\_ and glory

Over dinner with a friend

I (19)\_\_\_\_\_ her my story

And as I finally put the book

Back on the shelf

She says

Maybe it's time you take a look at yourself

No one's born an \*\*\*\*\*

It takes a lot of (20)\_\_\_\_\_ work

But God knows I've worked my ass off

To be a jerk

So many hands I've held

While wondering why I felt nothing

And why, when I let go of (21)\_\_\_\_\_ hand

I (22)\_\_\_\_\_ start to feel something

And like a bottle smashed against my head

She'd say

I wish you just would've cheated on me instead

And loving without loving

Is always the worst crime

I know all the signs and signals

'Cause now I've been on both sides

The way you choose your words

The limpness of your hand

I almost died when you introduced me as a friend

How can you call me a friend?

If you don't (23)\_\_\_\_\_ me

Then (24)\_\_\_\_\_ have the dignity to tell me

But I never said any of that



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I (25)\_\_\_\_\_ (26)\_\_\_\_\_ that hand

And looked down at the doormat

The sun rose over the city

The (27)\_\_\_\_\_ swept through the valley

And you don't get over a (28)\_\_\_\_\_ heart

You just learn to carry it gracefully



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### Answer

1. from
2. Stevie
3. what
4. night
5. been
6. with
7. learn
8. head
9. named
10. dollar
11. talking
12. said
13. time
14. ground
15. rose
16. broken
17. what
18. sadness
19. tell
20. hard
21. that
22. always
23. love
24. please
25. just
26. shook
27. wind
28. broken