



## Fill in the gaps

### The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The Cadillac (1)\_\_\_\_\_ by the house  
And the yanks (2)\_\_\_\_\_ (3)\_\_\_\_\_ within  
And the tinker boys they hissed advice  
'Hot-wire her with a pin'  
When we turned and shook as we had a look  
In the room where the dead men lay  
So big Jim Dwyer made his last trip  
To the shores where his father's laid  
But fifteen minutes later  
We had our first (4)\_\_\_\_\_ of whiskey  
There was uncles giving lectures  
On ancient Irish history  
The men all started (5)\_\_\_\_\_ jokes  
And the women they got frisky  
At five o'clock in the evening  
Every (6)\_\_\_\_\_ (7)\_\_\_\_\_ was piskey  
Fare thee well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
Farewell to New York City boys  
To Boston and PA  
He took them out  
With a well-aimed clout  
He was (8)\_\_\_\_\_ heard to say  
I'm a (9)\_\_\_\_\_ born man of the USA  
He (10)\_\_\_\_\_ the champ in Pittsburgh  
And he slashed him to the ground  
He took on Tiny Tartanella  
And it only went one round  
He never had no (11)\_\_\_\_\_ for reds  
For drink or (12)\_\_\_\_\_ or whores  
But he never threw a fight

When the fight was right  
So (13)\_\_\_\_\_ sent him to the war  
Fare thee well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
With a slainte Joe and Erin go  
My love's in Amerikay  
The (14)\_\_\_\_\_ of the rosary  
Spanish (15)\_\_\_\_\_ from far away  
I'm a free born man of the USA, yeah!  
This (16)\_\_\_\_\_ on the harbou  
When I said (17)\_\_\_\_\_ to you  
I remember how I swore  
That I'd come (18)\_\_\_\_\_ to you one day  
And as the (19)\_\_\_\_\_ (20)\_\_\_\_\_ to meet  
The (21)\_\_\_\_\_ on the hill  
I told you I'd always love you  
I always did and I always will  
Fare thee well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
Except to say adieu  
To your (22)\_\_\_\_\_ as blue  
As the water in the bay  
To big Jim Dwyer, the man of war  
Who was often heard to say  
I'm a free born man of the USA  
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I'm a (23)\_\_\_\_\_ (24)\_\_\_\_\_ man of the USA



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. stood
2. they
3. were
4. taste
5. telling
6. bastard
7. there
8. often
9. free
10. fought
11. time
12. dice
13. they
14. calling
15. wine
16. morning
17. goodbye
18. back
19. sunset
20. came
21. evening
22. eyes
23. free
24. born