



## Fill in the gaps

### The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The Cadillac stood by the house  
And the yanks (1)\_\_\_\_\_ were 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 (2)\_\_\_\_\_ his father's laid  
But (3)\_\_\_\_\_ minutes later  
We had our first (4)\_\_\_\_\_ of whiskey  
There was (5)\_\_\_\_\_ giving lectures  
On ancient Irish history  
The men all started telling jokes  
And the women they got frisky  
At five o'clock in the evening  
Every bastard (6)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 often heard to say  
I'm a free (7)\_\_\_\_\_ man of the USA  
He fought the champ in Pittsburgh  
And he slashed him to the ground  
He took on Tiny Tartanella  
And it only went one round  
He (8)\_\_\_\_\_ had no time for reds  
For drink or dice or whores  
But he never threw a fight

When the fight was right  
So they 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 calling of the rosary  
Spanish wine from far away  
I'm a free born man of the USA, yeah!  
This morning on the harbou  
When I said goodbye to you  
I remember how I swore  
That I'd come back to you one day  
And as the sunset came to meet  
The evening 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 (9)\_\_\_\_\_ eyes as blue  
As the (10)\_\_\_\_\_ 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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Answer

1. they
2. where
3. fifteen
4. taste
5. uncles
6. there
7. born
8. never
9. your
10. water