



## Fill in the gaps

### If I Die Young by The Band Perry

If I die young bury me in satin  
Lay me down on a bed of roses  
Sink me in the (1)\_\_\_\_\_ at dawn  
Send me away with the words of a love song  
(Oh oh oh oh)  
Lord (2)\_\_\_\_\_ me a rainbow  
I'll shine down on my mother  
She'll (3)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm (4)\_\_\_\_\_ with you  
When she stands under my colors  
(Oh) and  
Life ain't always (5)\_\_\_\_\_ you (6)\_\_\_\_\_ it  
(7)\_\_\_\_\_ to be, no  
Ain't (8)\_\_\_\_\_ grey, but she buries her baby  
The (9)\_\_\_\_\_ knife of a (10)\_\_\_\_\_ life, well  
I've had (11)\_\_\_\_\_ enough time  
If I die young (12)\_\_\_\_\_ me in satin  
Lay me down on a bed of roses  
Sink me in the river at dawn  
Send me away (13)\_\_\_\_\_ the words of a love song  
The sharp knife of a short life, well  
I've had (14)\_\_\_\_\_ enough time  
And I'll be (15)\_\_\_\_\_ white  
When I come (16)\_\_\_\_\_ your kingdom  
I'm as green as the ring on my little cold finger  
I've never (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the loving of a man  
But it sure felt (18)\_\_\_\_\_ (19)\_\_\_\_\_ he was holding  
my hand  
There's a boy here in town says he'll love me forever  
Who would (20)\_\_\_\_\_ thought (21)\_\_\_\_\_  
could be (22)\_\_\_\_\_ by

The sharp knife of a short life, well  
I've had just enough time  
So put on your best boys and I'll wear my pearls  
What I never did is done  
A penny for my thoughts  
Oh no I'll sell them for a dollar  
They're worth so (23)\_\_\_\_\_ more after I'm a goner  
And maybe then you'll hear the words I been singing  
Funny when you're dead how people (24)\_\_\_\_\_  
listening  
If I die young (25)\_\_\_\_\_ me in satin  
Lay me down on a bed of roses  
Sink me in the river at dawn  
Send me away with the words of a love song  
(Oh oh)  
The ballad of a dove  
(Oh oh)  
Go with peace and love  
Gather up your tears, keep 'em in your pocket  
Save them for a time  
When your really gonna need 'em (oh)  
The sharp knife of a short life, well  
I've had just enough time  
So put on your best boys  
And I'll (26)\_\_\_\_\_ my pearls



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### Answer

1. river
2. make
3. know
4. safe
5. what
6. think
7. ought
8. even
9. sharp
10. short
11. just
12. bury
13. with
14. just
15. wearing
16. into
17. known
18. nice
19. when
20. have
21. forever
22. severed
23. much
24. start
25. bury
26. wear