The River (Live) by Bruce Springsteen

Fill in the gaps

		For the Johnstown Company	
ome from down in the valley nere mister when you're young		But lately there ain't been no work	
		On account of the economy	
They bring you up to do		Now all them things that (6) so important	
_ike (1) daddy done		Well mister they vanished right into the air	
Me and Mary we met in (2) sc	chool	I just act (7) I don't reme	mber
When she was just seventeen		Mary acts like she don't care	
We'd drive out of this valley		But I remember us riding in my brother's car	
Down to where the fields were green		Her body tanned and wet down at the reservoir	
We'd go down to the river		At night on them banks I'd lie awake	
And into the river we'd dive		And pull her close just to feel (8)	breath she'd take
(Oh oh) down to the river we'd ride		Now the memories come back to haunt me	
Then I got (3) pregnant		They haunt me like a curse	
And man that was all she wrote		Is a dream a lie if it don't come true	
And for my (4)	birthday	Or is it something worse	
ot a union card and a wedding coat		That sends me down to the river	
We went down to the courthouse		Though I know the (9)	is dry
And the judge put it all to rest		(Oh oh) down to the (10)	tonight
No wedding day smiles			
No (5) down the aisle		Down to the river	
No flowers, no wedding dress		My baby and I	
went down to the river		(Oh oh) down to the river we ride	
And into the river we'd dive			
(Oh oh) down to the river we'd ride			
got a job working construction			



1. your

- 2. high
- 3. Mary
- 4. nineteenth
- 5. walk
- 6. seemed
- 7. like
- 8. each
- 9. river
- 10. river

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