



## Brick by Ben Folds Five

6 am day after christmas  
I throw some clothes on in the dark  
The smell of cold  
Car seat is freezing  
The world is sleeping I am numb  
Up the stairs to her apartment  
She is balled up on the couch  
Her mom and dad went down to Charlotte  
They're not home to find us out  
And we drive  
Now (1)\_\_\_\_\_ I have found someone  
I'm (2)\_\_\_\_\_ more alone  
Than I (3)\_\_\_\_\_ have before  
She's a (4)\_\_\_\_\_ and I'm drowning slowly  
Off the coast and I'm headed nowhere  
She's a brick and I'm drowning slowly  
They (5)\_\_\_\_\_ her name at 7:30  
I pace around the parking lot  
Then I walk down to buy her flowers  
And sell (6)\_\_\_\_\_ gifts that I got  
Can't you see

### Fill in the gaps

It's not me you're dying for  
Now she's feeling more alone  
Than she ever has before  
She's a brick and I'm (7)\_\_\_\_\_ slowly  
Off the coast and I'm headed nowhere  
She's a brick and I'm (8)\_\_\_\_\_ slowly  
As weeks went by  
It showed (9)\_\_\_\_\_ she was not fine  
They told me, "son, it's time to tell the truth"  
She broke down, and I broke down  
Cause I was tired of lying  
Driving back to her apartment  
For the moment we're alone  
She's alone  
I'm alone  
Now I know it  
She's a brick and I'm drowning slowly  
Off the coast and I'm headed nowhere  
She's a brick and I'm drowning slowly



## Fill in the gaps

Answer

1. that
2. feeling
3. ever
4. brick
5. call
6. some
7. drowning
8. drowning
9. that