



## Fill in the gaps

### Outlaw Pete by Bruce Springsteen

He was born a little baby on the  
(1)\_\_\_\_\_ Trail  
At six months old he'd done three months in jail  
He robbed a bank in his (2)\_\_\_\_\_ and his  
(3)\_\_\_\_\_ bare baby feet  
All he said was "Folks, my name is Outlaw Pete."  
I'm (4)\_\_\_\_\_ Pete!  
I'm Outlaw Pete!  
Can you hear me?  
At twenty-five a mustang pony he did steal  
And they (5)\_\_\_\_\_ around and 'round on heaven's wheel  
Father Jesus, I'm an (6)\_\_\_\_\_ killer and a thief  
And I slow down (7)\_\_\_\_\_ to sow my grief  
I'm (8)\_\_\_\_\_ Pete!  
I'm (9)\_\_\_\_\_ Pete!  
Can you hear me?  
They cut his trail of (10)\_\_\_\_\_ across the countryside  
And where he went, women wept and men died  
One night he woke from a vision of his own death  
Saddled his pony and rode her deep (11)\_\_\_\_\_ the West  
Married a (12)\_\_\_\_\_ girl and settled down on the  
res  
And as the snow (13)\_\_\_\_\_ he held  
That beautiful daughter to his chest  
I'm Outlaw Pete!  
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Can you hear me?  
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Out of the East on an Irish stallion came Bounty Hunter Dan  
His heart quickened and burned by the need to get his man  
He found Pete peacefully fishing by the river  
Pulled his gun and got the drop

He said, "Pete, you (14)\_\_\_\_\_ you've changed, but  
you have not."  
He (15)\_\_\_\_\_ his pistol, pulled the trigger  
And shouted "let it start"  
Pete drew a knife from his boot, threw it,  
And pierced Dan (16)\_\_\_\_\_ the heart  
Dan smiled as he laid in his own (17)\_\_\_\_\_ dying in  
the sun  
And whispered in Pete's ear,  
"We cannot undo these things we've done."  
You're Outlaw Pete!  
You're Outlaw Pete!  
Can you hear me?  
Can you hear me?  
Can you hear me?  
For forty days and (18)\_\_\_\_\_ Pete (19)\_\_\_\_\_  
and did not stop  
Till he sat (20)\_\_\_\_\_ (21)\_\_\_\_\_ an icy mountain top  
He (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the hawk on a desert updraft slip  
and slide  
Moved to the edge and dug his spurs deep into his pony side  
Some say (23)\_\_\_\_\_ and his pony  
(24)\_\_\_\_\_ over the edge  
Some say (25)\_\_\_\_\_ remain frozen (26)\_\_\_\_\_ upon  
that icy ledge  
The (27)\_\_\_\_\_ Navajo girl (28)\_\_\_\_\_ in the  
river, skin so fair  
And braids a piece of Pete's buckskin chaps into her hair  
Outlaw Pete!  
Outlaw Pete!  
Can you hear me?  
Can you hear me?  
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**Answer**

1. Appalachian
2. diapers
3. little
4. Outlaw
5. rode
6. outlaw
7. only
8. Outlaw
9. Outlaw
10. tears
11. into
12. Navajo
13. fell
14. think
15. cocked
16. through
17. blood
18. nights
19. rode
20. high
21. upon
22. watched
23. Pete
24. vanished
25. they
26. high
27. young
28. washes