



Statues by Nina Nesbitt

Fill in the gaps

You're just the statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're (1)_____ the tattoo
Of the (2)_____ that we once spoke
You're the dry river
(3)_____ love used to flow
But it stills runs through me
(4)_____ you it had to go
But if you (5)_____ this back
I'll be waiting to come alive, (6)_____ alive
If you turn your (7)_____ I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the (8)_____ leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
You're (9)_____ the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
Because as I breathe in deep
You're looking at me like a statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're (10)_____ a lighter
With no fuel to light the flames
You know I'd fight for this
But you wouldn't do the same
Because you're just a diary
With a (11)_____ and empty page
But the story we wrote
I can't quite erase

But if you take this back
I'll be waiting to come alive, come alive
If you (12)_____ your (13)_____ I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the falling leaves
Whilst I'm (14)_____ the oak tree
Because you're the one who leaves
Now I'm (15)_____ asleep
You're (16)_____ the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
Because as I breathe in deep
You're looking at me like a (17)_____
Of the boy I used to know
I'll watch you fall to the ground
Because there's (18)_____ stone in (19)_____
eyes now
We had it all till we found
We're just living (20)_____ lies now
Because you're (21)_____ the falling leaves
(22)_____ I'm (23)_____ the oak tree
(24)_____ you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
(25)_____ you're like the broken keys
(26)_____ I'm just a broken home
And I breathe in deep
As I (27)_____ you leave like a statue
Of the boy I (28)_____ to know



Answer

1. just
2. words
3. Where
4. With
5. take
6. come
7. back
8. falling
9. like
10. just
11. blank
12. turn
13. back
14. still
15. falling
16. like
17. statue
18. just
19. your
20. these
21. like
22. Whilst
23. still
24. Because
25. Because
26. Whilst
27. watch
28. used

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