



Fill in the gaps

The Monster Ft. Rihanna by Eminem

[Hook - Rihanna:]

I'm friends with the (1)_____ that's under my bed
Get (2)_____ with the voices inside of my head
You're trying to (3)_____ me, stop holding your breath
And you think I'm crazy, yeah, you think I'm crazy

[Verse 1 - Eminem:]

I wanted the fame, but not the cover of Newsweek
Oh, well, guess beggars can't be choosers
Wanted to receive attention for my music
Wanted to be left alone in public. Excuse me
For wanting my cake and eat it too, and wanting it both ways
Fame (4)_____ me a balloon 'cause my ego inflated
When I blew; see, but it was confusing
'Cause all I wanted to do is be the Bruce Lee of loose leaf
Abused ink, used it as a tool when I blew steam (wooh!)
Hit the lottery, oh wee
With what I gave up to get was bittersweet
It was like winning a used me
Ironic 'cause I think I'm getting so huge I (5)_____ a
shrink
I'm beginning to lose sleep: one sheep, two sheep
Going (6)_____ and cooky as Kool Keith
But I'm actually weirder than you think
'Cause I'm

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You're trying to save me, stop holding your breath
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Well, that's nothing
Well, that's nothing

[Verse 2 - Eminem:]

No, I ain't much of a poet but I know somebody once
(7)_____ me
To seize the moment and don't squander it
'Cause you (8)_____ know (9)_____ it all could
be over tomorrow
So I keep conjuring, (10)_____ I
(11)_____ where these thoughts (12)_____
from
(Yeah, ponder it, do you want this?)
It's no wonder you're losing your mind, the way it wanders)
Yo-lo-lo-lo-yee-who
I think you've been wandering off (13)_____ yonder
And stumbled onto Jeff VanVonderen
'Cause I need an interventionist

To (14)_____ between me and this monster
And save me from myself and all this conflict
'Cause the (15)_____ thing that I love's killing me and I
can't (16)_____ it
My OCD is conking me in the head
Keep knocking, nobody's home, I'm sleepwalking
I'm just relaying what the voice in my head's saying
Don't shoot the messenger, I'm (17)_____ friends with
the

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[Verse 3: Eminem]

Call me crazy, but I had (20)_____ vision
One day that I'd walk amongst you a regular civilian
But (21)_____ (22)_____ drums get killed and I'm
coming straight at
MCs, blood get spilled and I
Take it (23)_____ to the days that I get on a Dre track
Give every kid who got played that
Pumped up feeling and shit to say back
To the kids who played 'em
I ain't here to save the fucking children
But if one kid out of a hundred million
Who are (24)_____ through a struggle feels and then
relates that's great
It's payback, Russell (25)_____ falling way back
In the draft, turn nothing into something, still can make that
Straw into gold chump, I will spin Rumpelstiltskin in a haystack
Maybe I need a straight jacket, face facts
I am nuts for real, but I'm okay with that
It's nothing, I'm still friends with the

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Get along (27)_____ the voices inside of my head
You're trying to save me, stop holding your breath
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[x2]

Well, that's nothing
Well, that's (28)_____



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Answer

1. monster
2. along
3. save
4. made
5. need
6. cuckoo
7. told
8. never
9. when
10. sometimes
11. wonder
12. spawn
13. down
14. intervene
15. very
16. conquer
17. just
18. along
19. holding
20. this
21. until
22. then
23. back
24. going
25. Wilson
26. friends
27. with
28. nothing