



## Fill in the gaps

### Romulus by Sufjan Stevens

Once when our (1)\_\_\_\_\_ called

She had a (2)\_\_\_\_\_ of last year's cough

We passed around the phone

Sharing a word about Oregon

When my turn came, I was ashamed

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Once when we moved away

She came to Romulus for a day

Her Chevrolet broke down

We prayed it'd never be fixed or found

We touched her hair, we (3)\_\_\_\_\_ her hair

We touched her hair, we touched her hair

When she had her last child

Once when she had some boyfriends, (4)\_\_\_\_\_ wild

She moved (5)\_\_\_\_\_ quite far

Our grandpa bought us a new VCR

We watched it all night

We (6)\_\_\_\_\_ up in (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of it

We watched it all night

We grew up in (8)\_\_\_\_\_ of it

We saw her once last fall

Our grandpa died in a hospital gown

She didn't seem to care

She smoked in her room and colored her hair

I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her

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I was ashamed, I was (9)\_\_\_\_\_ of her



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Answer

1. mother
2. voice
3. touched
4. some
5. away
6. grew
7. spite
8. spite
9. ashamed