



## Fill in the gaps

### He Didn't Have To Be by Brad Paisley

When a single mom (1)\_\_\_\_\_ out on a (2)\_\_\_\_\_ with Somebody new It (3)\_\_\_\_\_ winds up (4)\_\_\_\_\_ more like A job interview My momma used to wonder If she'd ever (5)\_\_\_\_\_ someone Who wouldn't find out about me and then Turn around and run I met the man I call my dad When I was (6)\_\_\_\_\_ (7)\_\_\_\_\_ old He took my mom out to a movie And for once I got to go A few months later, I remember Lying (8)\_\_\_\_\_ in bed I overheard him pop the question And I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ that she'd say yes And then, all of a sudden (Oh) it (10)\_\_\_\_\_ so (11)\_\_\_\_\_ to me How we went from something's Missing to a family Looking back, all I can say about All the things he did for me Is I (12)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm at least Half the dad that he didn't have to be

I met the (13)\_\_\_\_\_ that's now my wife About (14)\_\_\_\_\_ years ago We had the (15)\_\_\_\_\_ (16)\_\_\_\_\_ but We (17)\_\_\_\_\_ something more Now (18)\_\_\_\_\_ I stand surrounded by our (19)\_\_\_\_\_ and friends Crowded 'round the nursery window As (20)\_\_\_\_\_ (21)\_\_\_\_\_ the baby in And now, all of a sudden (Oh) it seems so strange to me How we've gone from something's Missing to a family Looking through the glass, I think About the man that's standing next to me And I hope I'm at least half the dad That he didn't have to be And looking (22)\_\_\_\_\_ all I can say about All the (23)\_\_\_\_\_ he did for me Is I hope I'm at least Half the dad that he didn't have to be Because he didn't have to be You know he didn't have to be



Answer

1. goes
2. date
3. always
4. feeling
5. meet
6. five
7. years
8. there
9. prayed
10. seemed
11. strange
12. hope
13. girl
14. three
15. perfect
16. marriage
17. wanted
18. here
19. family
20. they
21. bring
22. back
23. things

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