

### Fill in the gaps

# He Didn't Have To Be by Brad Paisley

When a single mom goes out on a date with	I met the (10) that's now my wife
Somebody new	About (11) (12) ago
It always winds up (1) (2) like	We had the perfect marriage but
A job interview	We wanted (13) more
My momma (3) to wonder	Now here I (14) surrounded by our family and
If she'd ever meet someone	friends
Who wouldn't (4) out about me and then	Crowded 'round the nursery window
Turn around and run	As (15) bring the (16) in
I met the man I (5) my dad	And now, all of a sudden
When I was (6) years old	(Oh) it seems so (17) to me
He took my mom out to a movie	How we've (18) from something's
And for once I got to go	Missing to a family
A few months later, I remember	Looking (19) the glass, I think
Lying there in bed	About the man that's standing next to me
I overheard him pop the question	And I (20) I'm at least half the dad
And I (7) (8) she'd say yes	That he didn't have to be
And then, all of a sudden	And looking (21) all I can say about
(Oh) it seemed so strange to me	All the things he did for me
How we went from something's	Is I (22) I'm at least
Missing to a family	Half the dad that he didn't have to be
Looking back, all I can say about	Because he didn't have to be
All the things he did for me	You know he didn't (23) to be
Is I hope I'm at least	
Half the dad that he didn't (9) to be	

### 1. feeling

- 2. more
- 3. used
- 4. find
- 5. call 6. five
- 7. prayed
- 8. that
- 9. have
- 10. girl
- 11. three
- 12. years
- 13. something
- 14. stand
- 15. they
- 16. baby
- 17. strange
- 18. gone
- 19. through
- 20. hope
- 21. back
- 22. hope
- 23. have

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