



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

Fill in the gaps

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