



Fill in the gaps

The World Moves On (Studio) by Jens Lekman

(And this song is called)

(The world (1)_____ on)

The (2)_____ ran out of numbers

When it reached 50 degrees

I just lay down on the floor

With a bag of frozen peas

We saw (3)_____ of smoke rising

In the distance from our balcony

I poured a glass of wine

Sucked the juice out of a kiwi

Catherine turned on the TV

They showed acres after acres

Of absolutely nothing

And then Stevie called and said

Are you watching what I'm watching?

I said I'm watching what you're watching

But what is it I'm watching?

The (4)_____ before I had been bored

And my (5)_____ had been restless

It was my birthday

I'd already opened up my presents

At the social club, I met some friends

Who were friends (6)_____ this girl

One by one they dropped off

Till it was just me and her

We (7)_____ out in every bar in town

While the state of Victoria

Burned down to the ground

And the sun rose over the city



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The wind swept through the valley

And you don't get over a broken heart

You just learn to carry it gracefully

The Edinburgh Gardens offered

Some kind of shade

I would (8)_____ up some beers

And head down there late

Watch the possums and listen

To their (9)_____ banter

There was one I liked especially

I named her Sam as in Samantha

I (10)_____ a slice of apple from my hand

She (11)_____ sniff it, frown

And (12)_____ lumber back to the trash can

I was going uphill on my Malvern Star

When I was passed by a scooter

You got a dollar or a cigarette?

Hey, I'm talking to you, poofter

What I should have said was nothing

What I said was "get lost"

Next (13)_____ I'm upside-down with my bike in the dust

Spitting dirt all the way home

Cursing the (14)_____ ground that I was (15)_____ on

And the sun (16)_____ over the city

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And that's what it's like

When you've had your heart broken

The world just shrugs its shoulders



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And gets going

It (17)_____ moves on in all its sadness and glory

Over dinner with a friend

I tell her my story

And as I finally put the book

Back on the shelf

She says

Maybe it's time you take a look at yourself

No one's born an *****

It (18)_____ a lot of hard work

But God knows I've worked my ass off

To be a jerk

So many hands I've held

While wondering why I felt nothing

And why, when I let go of that hand

I always start to (19)_____ something

And like a bottle smashed against my head

She'd say

I wish you just would've (20)_____ on me instead

And loving without loving

Is always the (21)_____ crime

I know all the signs and signals

'Cause now I've been on both sides

The way you choose your words

The limpness of your hand

I almost died when you (22)_____ me as a friend

How can you (23)_____ me a friend?

If you don't love me

Then please have the dignity to tell me

But I (24)_____ said any of that



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I just shook (25)_____ hand

And (26)_____ down at the doormat

The sun rose over the city

The (27)_____ (28)_____ through the valley

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Answer

1. moves
2. thermometer
3. plumes
4. night
5. legs
6. with
7. made
8. pick
9. Growling
10. offered
11. would
12. then
13. time
14. very
15. chewing
16. rose
17. just
18. takes
19. feel
20. cheated
21. worst
22. introduced
23. call
24. never
25. that
26. looked
27. wind
28. swept