



## Fill in the gaps

### The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The Cadillac stood by the house  
And the yanks they were within  
And the tinker (1)\_\_\_\_\_ they hissed advice  
'Hot-wire her with a pin'  
When we (2)\_\_\_\_\_ and shook as we had a look  
In the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ where the (4)\_\_\_\_\_ men lay  
So big Jim Dwyer made his last trip  
To the shores where his father's laid  
But fifteen minutes later  
We had our first taste of whiskey  
There was uncles (5)\_\_\_\_\_ lectures  
On ancient Irish history  
The men all started telling jokes  
And the (6)\_\_\_\_\_ (7)\_\_\_\_\_ got frisky  
At five o'clock in the evening  
Every bastard there was piskey  
Fare (8)\_\_\_\_\_ well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
Farewell to New York City boys  
To Boston and PA  
He (9)\_\_\_\_\_ (10)\_\_\_\_\_ out  
With a well-aimed clout  
He was often heard to say  
I'm a free born man of the USA  
He fought the champ in Pittsburgh  
And he slashed him to the ground  
He took on Tiny Tartanella  
And it only went one round  
He never had no time for reds  
For drink or dice or whores  
But he never (11)\_\_\_\_\_ a fight

When the fight was right  
So they (12)\_\_\_\_\_ him to the war  
Fare (13)\_\_\_\_\_ well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
With a slainte Joe and Erin go  
My love's in Amerikay  
The calling of the rosary  
Spanish (14)\_\_\_\_\_ (15)\_\_\_\_\_ far away  
I'm a (16)\_\_\_\_\_ born man of the USA, yeah!  
This (17)\_\_\_\_\_ on the harbou  
When I said goodbye to you  
I remember how I swore  
That I'd come back to you one day  
And as the sunset (18)\_\_\_\_\_ to meet  
The (19)\_\_\_\_\_ on the hill  
I (20)\_\_\_\_\_ you I'd always love you  
I always did and I always will  
Fare thee well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
Except to say adieu  
To (21)\_\_\_\_\_ eyes as blue  
As the (22)\_\_\_\_\_ in the bay  
To big Jim Dwyer, the man of war  
Who was often (23)\_\_\_\_\_ to say  
I'm a free (24)\_\_\_\_\_ man of the USA  
I'm a free (25)\_\_\_\_\_ man of the USA  
I'm a (26)\_\_\_\_\_ born man of the USA



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### Answer

1. boys
2. turned
3. room
4. dead
5. giving
6. women
7. they
8. thee
9. took
10. them
11. threw
12. sent
13. thee
14. wine
15. from
16. free
17. morning
18. came
19. evening
20. told
21. your
22. water
23. heard
24. born
25. born
26. free