



Fill in the gaps

The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The (1)_____ stood by the house
And the yanks (2)_____ (3)_____ within
And the tinker boys they hissed advice
'Hot-wire her with a pin'
When we (4)_____ and shook as we had a look
In the room where the dead men lay
So big Jim Dwyer made his last trip
To the shores where his father's laid
But (5)_____ minutes later
We had our first (6)_____ of whiskey
There was uncles (7)_____ lectures
On (8)_____ Irish history
The men all started telling jokes
And the women they got frisky
At five o'clock in the evening
Every bastard there was piskey
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
Farewell to New York (9)_____ boys
To (10)_____ and PA
He (11)_____ (12)_____ out
With a well-aimed clout
He was often heard to say
I'm a free born man of the USA
He (13)_____ the champ in Pittsburgh
And he slashed him to the ground
He took on Tiny Tartanella
And it (14)_____ went one round
He never had no time for reds
For (15)_____ or dice or whores
But he never (16)_____ a fight

When the (17)_____ was right
So they sent him to the war
Fare thee 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 wine (18)_____ far away
I'm a free born man of the USA, yeah!
This morning on the harbou
When I said (19)_____ to you
I remember how I swore
That I'd come back to you one day
And as the (20)_____ came to meet
The (21)_____ on the hill
I told you I'd always (22)_____ you
I (23)_____ did and I always will
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
Except to say adieu
To your (24)_____ as blue
As the water in the bay
To big Jim Dwyer, the man of war
Who was often heard to say
I'm a (25)_____ (26)_____ man of the USA
I'm a free born man of the USA
I'm a (27)_____ (28)_____ man of the USA



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Answer

1. Cadillac
2. they
3. were
4. turned
5. fifteen
6. taste
7. giving
8. ancient
9. City
10. Boston
11. took
12. them
13. fought
14. only
15. drink
16. threw
17. fight
18. from
19. goodbye
20. sunset
21. evening
22. love
23. always
24. eyes
25. free
26. born
27. free
28. born