



## Fill in the gaps

### The River (Live) by Bruce Springsteen

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I come (1)\_\_\_\_\_ down in the valley  
Where (2)\_\_\_\_\_ when you're young  
They bring you up to do  
Like your (3)\_\_\_\_\_ done  
Me and (4)\_\_\_\_\_ we met in high school  
When she was just seventeen  
We'd drive out of this valley  
Down to where the fields were green  
We'd go down to the river  
And (5)\_\_\_\_\_ the river we'd dive  
(Oh oh) down to the river we'd ride  
Then I got Mary pregnant  
And man that was all she wrote  
And for my (6)\_\_\_\_\_ birthday  
I got a union card and a wedding coat  
We (7)\_\_\_\_\_ (8)\_\_\_\_\_ to the courthouse  
And the (9)\_\_\_\_\_ put it all to rest  
No wedding day smiles  
No walk down the aisle  
No flowers, no wedding dress  
We went down to the river  
And into the river we'd dive  
(Oh oh) down to the river we'd ride  
I got a job (10)\_\_\_\_\_ construction

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But (11)\_\_\_\_\_ there ain't (12)\_\_\_\_\_ no work  
On account of the economy  
Now all them things that seemed so important  
Well mister they (13)\_\_\_\_\_ right into the air  
I (14)\_\_\_\_\_ act like I don't remember  
Mary acts (15)\_\_\_\_\_ she don't care  
But I (16)\_\_\_\_\_ us riding in my brother's car  
Her (17)\_\_\_\_\_ (18)\_\_\_\_\_ and wet down at the  
reservoir  
At (19)\_\_\_\_\_ on them banks I'd lie awake  
And (20)\_\_\_\_\_ her close just to feel each  
(21)\_\_\_\_\_ she'd take  
Now the memories come (22)\_\_\_\_\_ to haunt me  
They haunt me like a curse  
Is a dream a lie if it don't come true  
Or is it something worse  
That sends me down to the river  
Though I (23)\_\_\_\_\_ the river is dry  
(Oh oh) (24)\_\_\_\_\_ to the (25)\_\_\_\_\_ tonight  
...  
Down to the river  
My baby and I  
(Oh oh) (26)\_\_\_\_\_ to the river we ride  
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### Answer

1. from
2. mister
3. daddy
4. Mary
5. into
6. nineteenth
7. went
8. down
9. judge
10. working
11. lately
12. been
13. vanished
14. just
15. like
16. remember
17. body
18. tanned
19. night
20. pull
21. breath
22. back
23. know
24. down
25. river
26. down