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## Fill in the gaps

Heya Tom, it's Bob from the office down the hall

Good to see you buddy, how've you been?

Thing have (1)\_\_\_\_\_ OK for me

Except that I'm a zombie now

I really wish you'd let us in

I (2)\_\_\_\_\_ I (3)\_\_\_\_\_ for all of us when I say I understand

Why you folks (4)\_\_\_\_\_ hesitate to submit to our demand

But here's an FYI

you're all (5)\_\_\_\_\_ die screaming

All we (6)\_\_\_\_\_ to do is eat (7)\_\_\_\_\_ brains

We're not unreasonable

I mean, no one's gonna eat your eyes

All we (8)\_\_\_\_\_ to do is eat your brains

We're at an (9)\_\_\_\_\_ here

Maybe we (10)\_\_\_\_\_ compromise

If you open up the doors

We'll all come inside and eat your brains

I don't want to nitpick, Tom

But is (11)\_\_\_\_\_ (12)\_\_\_\_\_ your plan?

To spend your whole (13)\_\_\_\_\_ locked inside a mall?

Maybe that's OK for now

But someday you'll be out of food and guns

And then you'll (14)\_\_\_\_\_ to (15)\_\_\_\_\_ the call

I'm not surprised to see

You haven't thought it (16)\_\_\_\_\_ enough

You never had the head for all that

Bigger (17)\_\_\_\_\_ stuff

But Tom, that's (18)\_\_\_\_\_ I do

And I plan on eating you slowly

All we want to do is eat your brains

We're not unreasonable

I mean, no one's gonna eat your eyes

All we (19)\_\_\_\_\_ to do is eat (20)\_\_\_\_\_ brains

We're at an impasse here

Maybe we should compromise

If you open up the doors

We'll all (21)\_\_\_\_\_ inside and eat your brains

I'd like to help you Tom

In any way I can

I sure appreciate the way you're working with me

I'm not a monster Tom

Well, technically I am

I guess I am

I've got another meeting Tom

Maybe we could (22)\_\_\_\_\_ it up

I know we'll get to common ground somehow

Meanwhile I'll report back to my colleagues

Who were chewing on the doors

I guess we'll table this for now

I'm (23)\_\_\_\_\_ to see you take constructive criticism well

Thank you for (24)\_\_\_\_\_ time

I know we're all busy as hell

And we'll put this thing to bed

When I bash your head open

All we want to do is eat (25)\_\_\_\_\_ brains

We're not unreasonable

I mean, no one's gonna eat (26)\_\_\_\_\_ eyes

All we want to do is eat your brains

We're at an (27)\_\_\_\_\_ here

Maybe we should compromise

If you open up the doors

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Answer

1. been
2. think
3. speak
4. might
5. gonna
6. want
7. your
8. want
9. impasse
10. should
11. this
12. really
13. life
14. have
15. make
16. through
17. picture
18. what
19. want
20. your
21. come
22. wrap
23. glad
24. your
25. your
26. your
27. impasse

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