



## Man Down by Rihanna

### Fill in the gaps

I didn't mean to end his life  
I (1)\_\_\_\_\_ it wasn't right  
I didn't mean to end his life  
I know it wasn't right  
I (2)\_\_\_\_\_ even sleep at night  
Can't get it off my mind  
I need to get out of sight  
Before I end up behind bars  
What started out as a simple altercation  
Turned into a (3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ situation  
Me just thinking on the time that I'm facing  
Makes me wanna cry  
Cause I didn't mean to hurt him  
Coulda (5)\_\_\_\_\_ somebodies son  
And I took his heart when  
I pulled up that gun  
Rum bum bum rum bum bum rum bum bum bum  
Man Down  
Rum bum bum rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum  
Man Down  
Oh (6)\_\_\_\_\_ mama mama  
I just shot a man down  
In central station  
In (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of a big ol crowd  
Oh Why Oh Why  
Oh mama mama mama  
I just (8)\_\_\_\_\_ a man down  
In central station  
It's a 22  
I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ her peggy sue  
When she fits right down in my shoes  
What do you (10)\_\_\_\_\_ me to do  
If you're playing me for a fool  
I (11)\_\_\_\_\_ lose my cool  
And (12)\_\_\_\_\_ for my fire arm  
I didn't mean to lay him down  
But it's too late to turn (13)\_\_\_\_\_ now  
Don't know (14)\_\_\_\_\_ I was thinking  
Now he's no (15)\_\_\_\_\_ living  
So I'ma bout to leave town  
Cause I didn't mean to (16)\_\_\_\_\_ him  
Coulda been somebodies son  
And I took his heart when

I (17)\_\_\_\_\_ up that gun  
Rum bum bum rum bum bum bum bum bum bum  
Man Down  
Rum bum bum rum bum bum bum rum bum bum bum  
Man Down  
Oh mama (18)\_\_\_\_\_ mama  
I (19)\_\_\_\_\_ shot a man down  
In central station  
In front of a big ol crowd  
Oh Why Oh Why  
Oh mama mama mama  
I just shot a man down  
In central station  
Look I never thought I'd do it  
Never thought I'd do it  
Never thought I'd do it  
Oh gosh  
What ever happened to me  
Ever happened to me  
Ever happened to me  
Why did I pull the trigger  
Pull the trigger pull the (20)\_\_\_\_\_ BOOM  
And end a ni\*\*a end a ni\*\*a's life so soon  
When I pull the (21)\_\_\_\_\_ pull the trigger pull it  
on you  
Somebody (22)\_\_\_\_\_ me what I'ma (23)\_\_\_\_\_  
(24)\_\_\_\_\_ do  
Rum bum bum rum bum bum bum rum bum bum  
They say one man down  
Rum bum bum rum bum bum (25)\_\_\_\_\_ rum bum  
bum bum  
And I ran downtown  
Cause now I'ma criminal criminal criminal  
Oh lord oh mercy now I am a criminal  
Man Down  
Tell the (26)\_\_\_\_\_ please give me minimal  
Run out of town on the Grand (27)\_\_\_\_\_ seminal  
Oh mama mama mama  
I just shot a man down  
In central station  
In front of a big ol crowd  
Oh Why Oh Why  
Oh mama mama mama  
I (28)\_\_\_\_\_ shot a man down  
In central station



## Fill in the gaps

### Answer

1. know
2. cant
3. real
4. sticky
5. been
6. mama
7. front
8. shot
9. Call
10. expect
11. will
12. reach
13. back
14. what
15. longer
16. hurt
17. pulled
18. mama
19. just
20. trigger
21. trigger
22. tell
23. what
24. imma
25. bumm
26. judge
27. seminal
28. just