



## Rumour by Charlie Howl

When she (1)\_\_\_\_\_ thirteen she went astray  
With her brother's dealer, so they say  
She had a baby yesterday  
Perhaps it's just a rumour  
(2)\_\_\_\_\_ kept her (3)\_\_\_\_\_ growing up  
Told her Jesus was enough  
She's really into dirty stuff  
Perhaps it's just a rumour  
And if you asked her she'd say:  
I'm just trying to (4)\_\_\_\_\_ out  
How to be (5)\_\_\_\_\_ myself  
I'm just trying to work out  
These cards I've been dealt  
See that (6)\_\_\_\_\_ she's looking (7)\_\_\_\_\_  
She (8)\_\_\_\_\_ to be quite over weight  
She may not be entirely straight  
(9)\_\_\_\_\_ is just a rumour  
(10)\_\_\_\_\_ did as she was told  
(11)\_\_\_\_\_ she's on the dole  
Spends it all on alcohol  
Perhaps it's (12)\_\_\_\_\_ a rumour  
I'm just trying to work out  
How to be like myself  
I'm (13)\_\_\_\_\_ (14)\_\_\_\_\_ to work out  
These cards I've been dealt  
Because she did it, she did it  
My bed is forbidden  
He's fitting she isn't  
She keeps her face hidden  
She told them: good riddance

## Fill in the gaps

Her sister got with him  
She (15)\_\_\_\_\_ she didn't  
And now they're all singing  
I'm just trying to work out  
How to be (16)\_\_\_\_\_ myself  
I'm just trying to work out  
These cards I've (17)\_\_\_\_\_ dealt  
I'm just trying to work out  
How to be like myself  
I'm just trying to (18)\_\_\_\_\_ out  
These cards I've (19)\_\_\_\_\_ dealt  
Because she did it, she did it  
My bed is forbidden  
He's fitting she isn't  
She keeps her face hidden  
She (20)\_\_\_\_\_ them good (21)\_\_\_\_\_  
Her sister got (22)\_\_\_\_\_ him  
She wishes she didn't  
And now they're all singing  
I'm just trying to work out  
How to be like myself  
I'm just trying to work out  
These cards I've (23)\_\_\_\_\_ dealt  
I'm just trying to work out  
How to be like myself  
I'm (24)\_\_\_\_\_ trying to work out  
These cards I've (25)\_\_\_\_\_ dealt



Answer

1. turned
2. They
3. prisoner
4. work
5. like
6. girl
7. great
8. used
9. Perhaps
10. Always
11. Apparently
12. just
13. just
14. trying
15. wishes
16. like
17. been
18. work
19. been
20. told
21. riddance
22. with
23. been
24. just
25. been

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