



Statues by Nina Nesbitt

Fill in the gaps

You're just the statue
Of the boy I (1)_____ to know
You're just the tattoo
Of the (2)_____ that we once spoke
You're the dry river
Where love used to flow
But it stills (3)_____ through me
(4)_____ you it had to go
But if you take this back
I'll be (5)_____ to (6)_____ alive, come
alive
If you (7)_____ your back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the (8)_____ leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
(9)_____ you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
You're (10)_____ the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
Because as I breathe in deep
You're looking at me (11)_____ a (12)_____
Of the boy I (13)_____ to know
You're just a lighter
With no (14)_____ to light the flames
You know I'd (15)_____ for this
But you wouldn't do the same
Because you're (16)_____ a diary
With a blank and empty page
But the story we wrote
I can't (17)_____ erase

But if you (18)_____ this back
I'll be waiting to (19)_____ alive, come alive
If you turn your back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the falling leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one who leaves
Now I'm falling asleep
You're like the broken keys
(20)_____ I'm just a broken home
Because as I breathe in deep
You're looking at me like a statue
Of the boy I (21)_____ to know
I'll watch you fall to the ground
(22)_____ there's just stone in your eyes now
We had it all till we found
We're just living (23)_____ (24)_____ now
Because you're like the falling leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
(25)_____ you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
Because you're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
And I (26)_____ in (27)_____
As I watch you leave (28)_____ a statue
Of the boy I used to know



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Answer

1. used
2. words
3. runs
4. With
5. waiting
6. come
7. turn
8. falling
9. Because
10. like
11. like
12. statue
13. used
14. fuel
15. fight
16. just
17. quite
18. take
19. come
20. Whilst
21. used
22. Because
23. these
24. lies
25. Because
26. breathe
27. deep
28. like