



Statues by Nina Nesbitt

Fill in the gaps

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

But if you take this back
I'll be (16)_____ to (17)_____ 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 (18)_____ keys
(19)_____ I'm just a broken home
Because as I breathe in deep
You're (20)_____ at me like a statue
Of the boy I used to know
I'll (21)_____ you fall to the ground
Because there's just stone in your eyes now
We had it all till we found
We're just (22)_____ (23)_____ lies now
Because you're like the falling leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm (24)_____ asleep
Because you're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
And I breathe in deep
As I watch you leave (25)_____ a statue
Of the boy I used to know



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Answer

1. just
2. that
3. once
4. love
5. back
6. come
7. back
8. Whilst
9. falling
10. Whilst
11. broken
12. Because
13. With
14. fuel
15. just
16. waiting
17. come
18. broken
19. Whilst
20. looking
21. watch
22. living
23. these
24. falling
25. like