



## American Pie by Madonna

A long, long time ago  
I can (1)\_\_\_\_\_ remember  
How (2)\_\_\_\_\_ music used to make me smile  
And I knew that if I had my chance  
I could make those people dance  
And (3)\_\_\_\_\_ they'd be happy for a while  
Did you write the book of love?  
And do you have faith in God above  
If the Bible tells you so?  
Now do you believe in Rock 'n' roll  
And can (4)\_\_\_\_\_ save your mortal soul?  
And can you teach me how to dance real slow?  
Well, I know that you're in (5)\_\_\_\_\_ with him  
Cause I saw you dancin' in the gym  
You both (6)\_\_\_\_\_ off your shoes  
Man, I dig those (7)\_\_\_\_\_ and blues  
I was a (8)\_\_\_\_\_ teenage broncin' buck  
With a pink carnation and a pick-up truck  
But I knew that I was out of luck  
The day the music died  
I started singing  
Bye, bye, Miss American Pie  
Drove my (9)\_\_\_\_\_ to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys were drinkin' whiskey and rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
I met a (10)\_\_\_\_\_ who (11)\_\_\_\_\_ the blues  
And I asked her for some happy news  
But she just smiled and turned away

## Fill in the gaps

When I went down to the sacred store  
Where I'd heard the music (12)\_\_\_\_\_ before  
But the man there (13)\_\_\_\_\_ the music wouldn't play  
Well now, in the streets the children screamed  
The (14)\_\_\_\_\_ cried, and the poets dreamed  
But not a word was spoken  
The church bells all (15)\_\_\_\_\_ broken  
And the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ men I (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the most  
The Father, Son and the Holy Ghost  
They caught the last train for the coast  
The day the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ died  
We started singing  
Bye, bye, (19)\_\_\_\_\_ American Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old (20)\_\_\_\_\_ (21)\_\_\_\_\_ drinkin'  
(22)\_\_\_\_\_ and rye  
Singing this'll be the day (23)\_\_\_\_\_ I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
Bye, bye, Miss (24)\_\_\_\_\_ Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys were drinkin' (25)\_\_\_\_\_ and rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
We started singing  
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Answer

1. still
2. that
3. maybe
4. music
5. love
6. kicked
7. rhythm
8. lonely
9. Chevy
10. girl
11. sang
12. years
13. said
14. lovers
15. were
16. three
17. admire
18. music
19. Miss
20. boys
21. were
22. whiskey
23. that
24. American
25. whiskey

**Fill in the gaps**