



## Fill in the gaps

### Crusader by Chris De Burgh

"What do I do next?" said the bishop to the priest,  
"I have spent my whole life waiting, preparing for the feast,  
And now you say Jerusalem has fallen and is lost,  
The king of heathen (1)\_\_\_\_\_ has seized the holy  
cross;"

Then the priest said "Oh my bishop, we (2)\_\_\_\_\_ put  
them to the sword,  
For God in all His mercy will (3)\_\_\_\_\_ a just reward,  
For the noblemen and sinners, and knights of ready hand,  
Who will be the Lord's Crusader, send (4)\_\_\_\_\_ through  
all the land,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost;"

"Tell me what to do", said the king upon his throne,  
"but (5)\_\_\_\_\_ to me in whispers for we are not alone,  
They tell me that Jerusalem has fallen to the hand,  
Of some bedevilled eastern Heathen who has seized the Holy  
Land;"

Then the chamberlain said "Lord, we must call upon our foes  
In Spain and France and Germany to end our bitter wars,  
All (6)\_\_\_\_\_ men must be as one and  
(7)\_\_\_\_\_ for the fight,  
You (8)\_\_\_\_\_ be their leader, begin the battle cry,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost"...

Ooh, (9)\_\_\_\_\_ on a hill, in the town of Jerusalem,  
There stood Saladin, the king of the Saracens,  
Whoring and drinking and snoring and sinking, around him his  
army lay,  
Secure in the knowledge (10)\_\_\_\_\_ he had won the day;  
A (11)\_\_\_\_\_ came, blood on his feet and a  
wound in his chest,  
"The Christians are coming!" he said, "I have seen their cross  
in the west,"

In a rage Saladin struck him down with his knife,  
And he said "I know that this man lies,  
They quarrel too much, the (12)\_\_\_\_\_  
could never unite!

I am invincible, I am the king,  
I am invincible, and I will win..."

Closer they came, the army of Richard the Lionheart,  
Marching by day and night, with (13)\_\_\_\_\_  
from every part,

And when the Crusaders came over the mountain and they  
saw Jerusalem,



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They fell to their knees and prayed for her release;

They (14)\_\_\_\_\_ the battle at dawn, taking the city  
by storm,  
With (15)\_\_\_\_\_ and (16)\_\_\_\_\_ and  
engines of war,

They broke through the city walls,  
The Heathens were flying and screaming and dying,  
And the (17)\_\_\_\_\_ swords were strong,  
And Saladin ran when he heard their victory song;  
"We are invincible, God is the king,  
We are invincible, and we will win!"  
"What do I do now?" said the wise man to the fool,  
"I have spent my whole life searching, to find the Golden Rule,  
Though centuries have disappeared, the memory still remains,  
Of (18)\_\_\_\_\_ enemies together, could it be that way  
again?"  
Then the fool (19)\_\_\_\_\_ "Oh you wise men, you really  
make me laugh,  
With your talk of vast persuasion and searching through the  
past,  
There is only (20)\_\_\_\_\_ and evil in the men who fight  
today,  
The song of the Crusader has long since gone away,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
Jerusalem is lost...  
They started the battle at dawn, taking the city by storm,  
With (21)\_\_\_\_\_ and bowmen and  
(22)\_\_\_\_\_ of war,  
They broke through the city walls,  
The Heathens were flying and screaming and dying,  
And the Christian swords were strong,  
And Saladin ran when he heard their victory song;  
"We are invincible, God is the king,  
We are invincible, and we will win!"  
"What do I do now?" said the wise man to the fool,  
"I have spent my (23)\_\_\_\_\_ life searching, to find the  
Golden Rule,  
Though centuries have disappeared, the (24)\_\_\_\_\_  
still remains,  
Of those (25)\_\_\_\_\_ together, could it be that way  
again?"  
Then the fool said "Oh you wise men, you really make me  
laugh,  
With your (26)\_\_\_\_\_ of vast  
(27)\_\_\_\_\_ and searching through the past,  
There is only greed and evil in the men who fight today,  
The song of the Crusader has long (28)\_\_\_\_\_ gone  
away,  
Jerusalem is lost,  
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Jerusalem."



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### Answer

1. Saracen
2. must
3. find
4. word
5. speak
6. Christian
7. gather
8. will
9. high
10. that
11. messenger
12. Christians
13. soldiers
14. started
15. horsemen
16. bowmen
17. Christian
18. those
19. said
20. greed
21. horsemen
22. engines
23. whole
24. memory
25. enemies
26. talk
27. persuasion
28. since