



## Fill in the gaps

### Ride by Lana Del Rey

I was in the winter of my life- and the men I met  
(1)\_\_\_\_\_ the road were my only summer.

At night I (2)\_\_\_\_\_ sleep with vision of myself dancing  
and laughing and crying with them.

Three year (3)\_\_\_\_\_ the line of being on an endless  
world tour and my memories of them were the only things that  
sustained me,

and my only real happy times. I was a singer, not very popular  
one, who once has dreams of becoming a beautiful poet-

but (4)\_\_\_\_\_ an unfortunate series of events saw  
(5)\_\_\_\_\_ dreams dashed and divided like million

(6)\_\_\_\_\_ in the night sky that I wished on over and  
over again-

sparkling and broken.

But I really didn't mind because I knew that it takes getting  
everything you ever wanted and then losing it to know what  
true freedom is.

When the people I used to know found out what I had been  
doing, how I had been living- they asked me why.

But there's no use in talking to people who have a home, they  
have no idea what its like to (7)\_\_\_\_\_ safety in other  
people,

for home to be (8)\_\_\_\_\_ you lied you head. I  
was (9)\_\_\_\_\_ an unusual girl, my mother told me  
(10)\_\_\_\_\_ I had a chameleon soul.

No moral (11)\_\_\_\_\_ pointing me due north, no  
fixed personality. Just an (12)\_\_\_\_\_ indecisiveness  
that was as wide as wavering as the ocean.

And if I said that I didn't plan for it to turn out this way I'd be  
lying- because I was born to be the other woman.

I belonged to no one- who belonged to everyone, who had  
nothing-

who wanted everything with a fire for every experience and an  
(13)\_\_\_\_\_ for freedom that terrified me to

the point (14)\_\_\_\_\_ I couldn't even talk about-  
and pushed me to a nomadic point of madness that both

dazzles and (15)\_\_\_\_\_ me.

I've been out on that open road

You can be my full time, daddy

White and gold

Singing blues has been (16)\_\_\_\_\_ old

You can be my full time, baby

Hot or cold

Don't break me down

I've been travellin' too long

I've (17)\_\_\_\_\_ trying too hard

With one pretty song



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I hear the birds on the summer breeze,

I drive fast

I am alone in the night

Been tryin' hard not to get into trouble, but I

I've got a war in my mind

So, I just ride

Just ride, I just ride, I just ride

Dying young and playing hard

That's the way my father made his life an art

Drink all day and we talk 'til dark

That's the way the road doves do it, ride 'til it's dark

Don't (18)\_\_\_\_\_ me now

Don't say good bye

Don't turn around

Leave me high and dry

I hear the birds on the summer breeze,

I drive fast

I am alone in the night

Been tryin' (19)\_\_\_\_\_ not to get in trouble, but I

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I've got a war in my mind

I just ride

Just ride, I just ride, I just ride

I'm tired of feeling like I'm f-ck-n crazy

I'm (20)\_\_\_\_\_ of driving 'till I see stars in my eyes

I look up to (21)\_\_\_\_\_ myself saying,

Baby, too much I strive, I just ride

I hear the birds on the summer breeze,

I (22)\_\_\_\_\_ fast

I am alone in the night

Been tryin' hard not to get in trouble, but I

I've got a war in my mind

I just ride

Just ride, I just ride, I just ride...

Every night I used to pray that (23)\_\_\_\_\_ find my people- and finally I did- on the open road.

We have nothing to lose, nothing to gain, nothing we desired any more -

except to (24)\_\_\_\_\_ our (25)\_\_\_\_\_ into a (26)\_\_\_\_\_ of art. LIVE FAST. DIE YOUNG. BE WILD. AND HAVE FUN.

I believe in the country (27)\_\_\_\_\_ used to be. I

believe in the person I (28)\_\_\_\_\_ to become,

I believe in the freedom of the open road. And my motto is the same as ever-

\*I believe in the kindness of strangers. And when I'm at war with myself- I Ride. I Just Ride.\*

Who are you? Are you in touch with all your darkest fantasies? Have you created a life for yourself where you're free to (29)\_\_\_\_\_ them? I Have.

I Am Fucking Crazy. But I Am Free.



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### Answer

1. along
2. fell
3. down
4. upon
5. those
6. stars
7. seek
8. wherever
9. always
10. that
11. compass
12. inner
13. obsession
14. that
15. dizzied
16. getting
17. been
18. leave
19. hard
20. tired
21. hear
22. drive
23. I'd
24. make
25. lives
26. work
27. America
28. want
29. experience