



Fill in the gaps

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Once (1)_____ our mother called

She had a voice of last year's cough

We (2)_____ (3)_____ the phone

Sharing a word about Oregon

When my turn came, I was ashamed

When my turn came, I was ashamed

Once when we moved away

She came to Romulus for a day

Her Chevrolet broke down

We prayed it'd never be fixed or found

We touched her hair, we touched her hair

We touched her hair, we (4)_____ her hair

When she had her (5)_____ child

Once (6)_____ she had (7)_____ boyfriends, some wild

She (8)_____ away quite far

Our grandpa bought us a new VCR

We watched it all night

We grew up in spite of it

We (9)_____ it all night

We grew up in spite of it

We saw her once last fall

Our grandpa died in a hospital gown

She didn't seem to care

She smoked in her room and colored her hair

I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her

I was ashamed, I was (10)_____ of her

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Answer

1. when
2. passed
3. around
4. touched
5. last
6. when
7. some
8. moved
9. watched
10. ashamed