



Fill in the gaps

The World Moves On (Studio) by Jens Lekman

(And this song is called)

(The world moves on)

The (1)_____ ran out of numbers

When it reached 50 degrees

I just lay down on the floor

With a bag of frozen peas

We saw plumes of smoke rising

In the distance (2)_____ our balcony

I poured a glass of wine

Sucked the (3)_____ out of a kiwi

Catherine (4)_____ on the TV

They showed acres after acres

Of absolutely nothing

And then Stevie called and said

Are you watching what I'm watching?

I (5)_____ I'm watching what you're watching

But what is it I'm watching?

The (6)_____ (7)_____ I had been bored

And my legs had been restless

It was my birthday

I'd already opened up my presents

At the (8)_____ club, I met some friends

Who were friends (9)_____ this girl

One by one they dropped off

Till it was just me and her

We made out in (10)_____ bar in town

While the (11)_____ of Victoria

Burned (12)_____ to the ground

And the sun rose over the city



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The wind swept through the valley

And you don't get over a broken heart

You just learn to carry it gracefully

The Edinburgh Gardens offered

Some kind of shade

I would pick up some beers

And head down there late

Watch the (13)_____ and listen

To their Growling banter

There was one I (14)_____ especially

I (15)_____ her Sam as in Samantha

I offered a slice of apple (16)_____ my hand

She would sniff it, frown

And then lumber back to the trash can

I was going uphill on my (17)_____ Star

When I was passed by a scooter

You got a dollar or a cigarette?

Hey, I'm talking to you, poofter

What I should (18)_____ said was nothing

What I said was "get lost"

Next time I'm upside-down (19)_____ my bike in the dust

Spitting dirt all the way home

Cursing the very ground that I was chewing on

And the sun rose over the city

The wind swept through the valley

And you don't get over a broken heart

You (20)_____ learn to carry it gracefully

And that's (21)_____ it's like

When you've had your heart broken

The world just shrugs its shoulders



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And gets going

It just moves on in all its sadness and glory

Over dinner with a friend

I tell her my story

And as I finally put the book

Back on the shelf

She says

Maybe it's time you take a look at yourself

No one's born an *****

It (22)_____ a lot of (23)_____ work

But God knows I've worked my ass off

To be a jerk

So many hands I've held

While wondering why I felt nothing

And why, when I let go of that hand

I always start to feel something

And like a bottle (24)_____ against my head

She'd say

I wish you just would've cheated on me instead

And loving without loving

Is always the worst crime

I (25)_____ all the signs and signals

'Cause now I've been on (26)_____ sides

The way you choose your words

The limpness of your hand

I almost died when you introduced me as a friend

How can you call me a friend?

If you don't love me

Then please have the dignity to tell me

But I never said any of that



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I just shook that hand

And looked down at the doormat

The sun rose over the city

The (27)_____ swept through the valley

And you don't get over a broken heart

You just learn to carry it gracefully



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Answer

1. thermometer
2. from
3. juice
4. turned
5. said
6. night
7. before
8. social
9. with
10. every
11. state
12. down
13. possums
14. liked
15. named
16. from
17. Malvern
18. have
19. with
20. just
21. what
22. takes
23. hard
24. smashed
25. know
26. both
27. wind