



Fill in the gaps

The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The Cadillac stood by the house
And the (1)_____ they were within
And the tinker boys they hissed advice
'Hot-wire her with a pin'
When we turned and shook as we had a look
In the room where the dead men lay
So big Jim Dwyer made his last trip
To the shores where his father's laid
But (2)_____ minutes later
We had our first (3)_____ of whiskey
There was uncles (4)_____ lectures
On (5)_____ Irish history
The men all started (6)_____ jokes
And the women (7)_____ got frisky
At (8)_____ o'clock in the evening
Every (9)_____ there was piskey
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
Farewell to New York (10)_____ boys
To (11)_____ and PA
He took them out
With a well-aimed clout
He was (12)_____ heard to say
I'm a free born man of the USA
He fought the (13)_____ in Pittsburgh
And he (14)_____ him to the ground
He took on Tiny Tartanella
And it only went one round
He never had no time for reds
For (15)_____ or dice or whores
But he never threw a fight

When the fight was right
So they (16)_____ him to the war
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' (17)_____ to say
With a slainte Joe and Erin go
My love's in Amerikay
The (18)_____ of the rosary
Spanish wine (19)_____ far away
I'm a (20)_____ born man of the USA, yeah!
This morning on the harbou
When I (21)_____ goodbye to you
I (22)_____ how I swore
That I'd come back to you one day
And as the sunset came to meet
The (23)_____ on the hill
I told you I'd always (24)_____ you
I always did and I always will
Fare (25)_____ well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
Except to say adieu
To your (26)_____ as blue
As the water in the bay
To big Jim Dwyer, the man of war
Who was often heard to say
I'm a free (27)_____ man of the USA
I'm a free born man of the USA
I'm a free born man of the USA



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Answer

1. yanks
2. fifteen
3. taste
4. giving
5. ancient
6. telling
7. they
8. five
9. bastard
10. City
11. Boston
12. often
13. champ
14. slashed
15. drink
16. sent
17. left
18. calling
19. from
20. free
21. said
22. remember
23. evening
24. love
25. thee
26. eyes
27. born