



## Fill in the gaps

### The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The (1)\_\_\_\_\_ (2)\_\_\_\_\_ by the house  
And the yanks they were within  
And the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ boys they hissed advice  
'Hot-wire her with a pin'  
When we (4)\_\_\_\_\_ and shook as we had a look  
In the room where the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ men lay  
So big Jim Dwyer made his (6)\_\_\_\_\_ trip  
To the (7)\_\_\_\_\_ where his father's laid  
But (8)\_\_\_\_\_ minutes later  
We had our (9)\_\_\_\_\_ (10)\_\_\_\_\_ of whiskey  
There was uncles giving lectures  
On ancient Irish history  
The men all started telling jokes  
And the women they got frisky  
At five o'clock in the evening  
Every bastard there was piskey  
Fare thee well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
Farewell to New York (11)\_\_\_\_\_ boys  
To Boston and PA  
He took them out  
With a well-aimed clout  
He was (12)\_\_\_\_\_ (13)\_\_\_\_\_ to say  
I'm a free (14)\_\_\_\_\_ man of the USA  
He fought the champ in Pittsburgh  
And he (15)\_\_\_\_\_ him to the ground  
He took on Tiny Tartanella  
And it (16)\_\_\_\_\_ went one round  
He never had no (17)\_\_\_\_\_ for reds  
For drink or dice or whores  
But he never threw a fight

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

1. Cadillac
2. stood
3. tinker
4. turned
5. dead
6. last
7. shores
8. fifteen
9. first
10. taste
11. City
12. often
13. heard
14. born
15. slashed
16. only
17. time
18. they
19. born
20. said
21. remember
22. come
23. thee
24. water
25. free
26. born