



## Fill in the gaps

### If I Die Young by The Band Perry

If I die young bury me in satin  
Lay me down on a bed of roses  
Sink me in the river at dawn  
Send me away with the words of a love song  
(Oh oh oh oh)  
Lord make me a rainbow  
I'll shine down on my mother  
She'll know I'm safe with you  
When she stands (1)\_\_\_\_\_ my colors  
(Oh) and  
Life ain't always what you think it ought to be, no  
Ain't even grey, but she buries her baby  
The sharp (2)\_\_\_\_\_ of a short life, well  
I've had just enough time  
If I die (3)\_\_\_\_\_ bury me in satin  
Lay me down on a bed of roses  
Sink me in the river at dawn  
Send me away (4)\_\_\_\_\_ the words of a love song  
The sharp knife of a short life, well  
I've had (5)\_\_\_\_\_ enough time  
And I'll be wearing white  
When I (6)\_\_\_\_\_ into your kingdom  
I'm as green as the ring on my little cold finger  
I've never known the loving of a man  
But it sure felt nice when he was holding my hand  
There's a boy here in town says he'll (7)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
forever  
Who (8)\_\_\_\_\_ have thought forever could be severed  
by

The sharp knife of a short life, well  
I've had just enough time  
So put on your best boys and I'll wear my pearls  
What I never did is done  
A penny for my thoughts  
Oh no I'll sell them for a dollar  
They're worth so much more after I'm a goner  
And maybe then you'll hear the words I been singing  
Funny when you're dead how people start listening  
If I die young bury me in satin  
Lay me down on a bed of roses  
Sink me in the river at dawn  
Send me away with the words of a love song  
(Oh oh)  
The ballad of a dove  
(Oh oh)  
Go with peace and love  
Gather up your tears, keep 'em in your pocket  
Save them for a time  
When your (9)\_\_\_\_\_ gonna need 'em (oh)  
The sharp knife of a short life, well  
I've had just enough time  
So put on your best boys  
And I'll wear my pearls



Answer

1. under
2. knife
3. young
4. with
5. just
6. come
7. love
8. would
9. really

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