



## Fill in the gaps

### The Modern Rome Burning by Anti-Flag

How did we get (1)\_\_\_\_\_ this mess?  
The question is a hypothetical  
The (2)\_\_\_\_\_ are  
Written on the face of the oppressed  
Sent to (3)\_\_\_\_\_ at just 19  
Forevermore to be unseen  
His mother (4)\_\_\_\_\_ tears in her eyes  
Crying to God  
She (5)\_\_\_\_\_ out, "Why?"  
She'll find her answers  
On the face of the oppressed  
I bow my head in respect  
Of the dead  
Because they're all bogged down  
And there ain't no (6)\_\_\_\_\_ S.O.S  
That's going to save our (7)\_\_\_\_\_ ship  
Because they're all bogged down  
No there ain't no (8)\_\_\_\_\_ S.O.S  
That's (9)\_\_\_\_\_ save our (10)\_\_\_\_\_  
(11)\_\_\_\_\_ (our ship)  
How did we get into (12)\_\_\_\_\_ mess?  
The (13)\_\_\_\_\_ is a (14)\_\_\_\_\_  
literal  
The (15)\_\_\_\_\_ are written on the face of the  
oppressed  
We all the know the answers why  
They sold a lot of girls aside  
You can roll (16)\_\_\_\_\_ and die  
Or you can rain down hell tonight  
You'll find your answer  
On the (17)\_\_\_\_\_ of the oppressed  
I bow my (18)\_\_\_\_\_ in respect

Of the dead  
Because they're all bogged down  
And there ain't no fucking S.O.S.  
That's going to save our sinking ship  
Because they're all bogged down  
And there ain't no fucking S.O.S.  
That's going to save our sinking ship (our ship)  
In the ash of your city (19)\_\_\_\_\_ burning down  
In the ash of your city lights burning to the ground  
This nation's burning, burning down  
This nation's burning to the ground  
This is the modern Rome burning  
Let it burn  
This is the modern Rome burning  
Let it burn  
This is the (20)\_\_\_\_\_ (21)\_\_\_\_\_ burning  
Let it burn, (let it burn)  
This is New (22)\_\_\_\_\_ burning  
This is (23)\_\_\_\_\_ burning  
This is Omaha burning  
This is Washington burning  
This is Pittsburgh burning  
This is Birmingham burning  
This is the modern Rome burning  
Let it burn, (let it burn)  
Burn, burn...



Answer

1. into
2. answers
3. death
4. with
5. calls
6. fucking
7. sinking
8. fucking
9. gonna
10. sinking
11. ship
12. this
13. question
14. bonafide
15. answers
16. over
17. face
18. head
19. lights
20. modern
21. Rome
22. York
23. Boston

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