



## Fill in the gaps

### A Whiter Shade Of Pale by Procol Harum

We skipped a light fandango  
Turned cartwheels 'cross the floor  
I was feeling (1)\_\_\_\_\_ of seasick  
(But the) (2)\_\_\_\_\_ called out for more  
The room was humming harder  
As the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ away  
When we (5)\_\_\_\_\_ out for another drink  
The waiter brought a tray  
And so it was that later  
As the (6)\_\_\_\_\_ told his tale  
That her (7)\_\_\_\_\_ at first just ghostly  
Turned a whiter shade of pale  
She said, I'm home on shore leave  
Though in truth we were at sea  
So I (8)\_\_\_\_\_ her by the looking glass  
And would not let her be  
Saying, you must be the mermaid  
Who (9)\_\_\_\_\_ neptune for a ride  
But she smiled at me so sadly  
That my anger straightway died  
And so it was that later

As the (10)\_\_\_\_\_ told his tale  
That her face, at first just ghostly  
Turned a (11)\_\_\_\_\_ shade of pale  
She said (12)\_\_\_\_\_ is no reason  
And the truth is (13)\_\_\_\_\_ to see  
But I wandered through my playing cards  
Would not let her be  
One of sixteen vestal virgins  
Who were leaving for the coast  
At the moment my eyes (14)\_\_\_\_\_ open  
They might just as (15)\_\_\_\_\_ have been closed  
And so it was that later  
As the miller told his tale  
That her face at (16)\_\_\_\_\_ (17)\_\_\_\_\_ ghostly  
Turned a (18)\_\_\_\_\_ (19)\_\_\_\_\_ of pale  
And so it was (20)\_\_\_\_\_ later  
As the (21)\_\_\_\_\_ (22)\_\_\_\_\_ his tale  
That her face at first just ghostly  
Turned a whiter (23)\_\_\_\_\_ of pale



Answer

1. kind
2. crowd
3. ceiling
4. flew
5. called
6. miller
7. face
8. took
9. took
10. miller
11. whiter
12. there
13. plain
14. were
15. well
16. first
17. just
18. whiter
19. shade
20. that
21. miller
22. told
23. shade

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