



## Fill in the gaps

### Red Right Hand by Nick Cave & Bad Seeds

Take a little walk to the edge of town  
Go across the tracks  
Where the viaduct looms  
Like a (1)\_\_\_\_\_ of doom  
As it shifts and cracks  
Where secrets lie in the (2)\_\_\_\_\_ fires  
In the humming wires  
Hey man, you know  
You're (3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ back  
Past the square, past the bridge  
Past the mills, past the stacks  
On a (5)\_\_\_\_\_ (6)\_\_\_\_\_ comes  
A (7)\_\_\_\_\_ handsome man  
In a dusty black coat with  
A red right hand  
He'll (8)\_\_\_\_\_ you in his arms  
Tell you (9)\_\_\_\_\_ you've (10)\_\_\_\_\_ a  
(11)\_\_\_\_\_ boy  
He'll (12)\_\_\_\_\_ all those dreams  
It took you a lifetime to destroy  
He'll (13)\_\_\_\_\_ deep (14)\_\_\_\_\_ the hole  
Heal (15)\_\_\_\_\_ shrinking soul  
Hey buddy, you know you're  
Never ever turning back  
He's a ghost, he's a god  
He's a man, he's a guru  
They're whispering his name  
Through this (16)\_\_\_\_\_ land  
But (17)\_\_\_\_\_ in his coat

Is a red right hand  
You ain't got no money?  
He'll get you some  
You ain't got no car? He'll get you one  
You ain't got no self-respect  
You (18)\_\_\_\_\_ like an insect  
Well, buddy buddy, don't you worry  
Cause (19)\_\_\_\_\_ he comes  
Through the ghettos and the barrio  
And the bowery and the slum  
A (20)\_\_\_\_\_ is cast wherever he stands  
Stacks of green paper in his red right hand  
You'll see him in your nightmares  
You'll see him in your dreams  
He'll appear out of nowhere  
But he ain't (21)\_\_\_\_\_ he seems  
You'll see him in your head  
On the TV screen  
And hey buddy, I'm telling  
You to turn it off...  
He's a ghost, he's a god  
He's a man, he's a guru  
You're one microscopic cog  
In his (22)\_\_\_\_\_ plan  
Designed and directed by his red (23)\_\_\_\_\_ hand



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**Answer**

1. bird
2. border
3. never
4. coming
5. gathering
6. storm
7. tall
8. wrap
9. that
10. been
11. good
12. rekindle
13. reach
14. into
15. your
16. disappearing
17. hidden
18. feel
19. here
20. shadow
21. what
22. catastrophic
23. right