



## Fill in the gaps

### Teddy Picker by Arctic Monkeys

Despair to the point where they provoke

The (1)\_\_\_\_\_ before they have  
(2)\_\_\_\_\_ the joke

The sheer desperation to be seen

Staring at the television screen

Despair up to the point where they provoke

You to tell the fucking punchline (3)\_\_\_\_\_ you have  
told the joke

But sorry, sunshine, it doesn't exist

It wasn't in the top 100 list

And it's the thousandth time (4)\_\_\_\_\_ it's even bolder

Don't be surprised when you get bent over

They told you

But you were gagging for it

She saw it and she grabbed it and it wasn't what it seemed

The (5)\_\_\_\_\_ all dream of (6)\_\_\_\_\_ it,  
whatever that means

Another (7)\_\_\_\_\_ on a theme

A tangle on the (8)\_\_\_\_\_ and the  
magazine

D'you reckon (9)\_\_\_\_\_ they do it for a joke?

D'you reckon that they make them take an oath

That says: We are defenders

Of any poseur or (10)\_\_\_\_\_  
pretender around

When did your (11)\_\_\_\_\_ replace the twist and turn?

Like the fist replace the kiss-on concern

And if you're bothered

I don't want your prayers

Save it for the morning after

And it's the (12)\_\_\_\_\_ time that it's

(13)\_\_\_\_\_ bolder

Don't be (14)\_\_\_\_\_ (15)\_\_\_\_\_ you get

(16)\_\_\_\_\_ over

They told ya

But you (17)\_\_\_\_\_ (18)\_\_\_\_\_ for it

Let's have a game on the Teddy Picker

Not quick (19)\_\_\_\_\_ can i (20)\_\_\_\_\_ it  
quicker?

Already thick, can you get in thicker

Let's have a (21)\_\_\_\_\_ on the Teddy Picker

Not quick enough can i (22)\_\_\_\_\_ it quicker?

Already thick, can you get in thicker

'Cos you meant (23)\_\_\_\_\_ all things are equal

Who'd want to be men of the people

When there's people like you



## Answer

1. punchline
2. told
3. before
4. that
5. kids
6. making
7. variation
8. television
9. that
10. professional
11. list
12. thousandth
13. even
14. surprised
15. when
16. bent
17. were
18. gagging
19. enough
20. have
21. game
22. have
23. that

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