



Statues by Nina Nesbitt

Fill in the gaps

You're just the statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're (1)_____ the tattoo
Of the words that we once spoke
You're the dry river
Where love used to flow
But it (2)_____ runs through me
With you it had to go
But if you take this back
I'll be waiting to (3)_____ alive, (4)_____ alive
If you turn your back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're (5)_____ the falling leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm (6)_____ asleep
You're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
Because as I breathe in deep
You're looking at me (7)_____ a statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're just a lighter
With no fuel to (8)_____ the flames
You (9)_____ I'd fight for this
But you wouldn't do the same
(10)_____ you're (11)_____ a diary
With a blank and empty page
But the story we wrote
I can't quite erase

But if you take this back
I'll be (12)_____ to come alive, come alive
If you turn your (13)_____ I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the falling leaves
Whilst I'm (14)_____ the oak tree
Because you're the one who leaves
Now I'm (15)_____ asleep
You're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
(16)_____ as I (17)_____ in deep
You're looking at me like a statue
Of the boy I (18)_____ to know
I'll (19)_____ you fall to the ground
(20)_____ there's just stone in your eyes now
We had it all till we found
We're just living (21)_____ (22)_____ now
Because you're like the (23)_____ leaves
Whilst I'm (24)_____ the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
Because you're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm (25)_____ a broken home
And I breathe in deep
As I watch you leave (26)_____ a statue
Of the boy I (27)_____ to know



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Answer

1. just
2. stills
3. come
4. come
5. like
6. falling
7. like
8. light
9. know
10. Because
11. just
12. waiting
13. back
14. still
15. falling
16. Because
17. breathe
18. used
19. watch
20. Because
21. these
22. lies
23. falling
24. still
25. just
26. like
27. used