



Fill in the gaps

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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 (2)_____ used to flow
But it stills runs through me
With you it had to go
But if you take this back
I'll be (3)_____ to come alive, (4)_____ alive
If you (5)_____ (6)_____ back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the falling leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
(7)_____ you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
You're like the (8)_____ keys
Whilst I'm just a (9)_____ home
Because as I (10)_____ in deep
You're looking at me (11)_____ a statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're just a lighter
With no (12)_____ to light the flames
You know I'd (13)_____ for this
But you wouldn't do the same
Because you're (14)_____ a diary
With a blank and empty page
But the story we wrote
I can't quite erase

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



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Answer

1. just
2. love
3. waiting
4. come
5. turn
6. your
7. Because
8. broken
9. broken
10. breathe
11. like
12. fuel
13. fight
14. just
15. take
16. back
17. falling
18. broken
19. like
20. till
21. living
22. lies
23. Whilst
24. broken
25. leave
26. like
27. used