



## Fill in the gaps

### Manhattan by Sara Bareilles

You can have Manhattan  
I know it's for the best  
I'll (1)\_\_\_\_\_ up the avenues  
And (2)\_\_\_\_\_ (3)\_\_\_\_\_ on your doorstep  
And I'll tip toe away  
So you won't (4)\_\_\_\_\_ to say  
You (5)\_\_\_\_\_ me leave  
You can have Manhattan  
I know it's what you want  
The bustle and the buildings  
The (6)\_\_\_\_\_ in the fall  
And I'll bow out of place  
To save you (7)\_\_\_\_\_ space  
For somebody new  
You can have Manhattan  
Because I can't have you  
You can (8)\_\_\_\_\_ Manhattan  
The one we used to share  
The one where we were laughing  
And (9)\_\_\_\_\_ on just (10)\_\_\_\_\_ there  
Hang on to the reverie

(11)\_\_\_\_\_ you do that for me?  
Because I'm just too sad to  
You can have Manhattan  
Because I can't (12)\_\_\_\_\_ you  
And so it goes  
One foot after the other  
(13)\_\_\_\_\_ (14)\_\_\_\_\_ and (15)\_\_\_\_\_  
begin to color in  
And I (16)\_\_\_\_\_ that holding us in place  
Is (17)\_\_\_\_\_ fear  
Of what's already changed  
You can (18)\_\_\_\_\_ Manhattan  
I'll settle for the beach  
And (19)\_\_\_\_\_ facing (20)\_\_\_\_\_  
(21)\_\_\_\_\_ (22)\_\_\_\_\_ beneath my feet  
I'll wish this away  
(23)\_\_\_\_\_ the days  
When I was one half of two  
You can have Manhattan  
Because I can't have you



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**Answer**

1. gather
2. leave
3. them
4. have
5. heard
6. weather
7. some
8. have
9. drunk
10. being
11. Could
12. have
13. Till
14. black
15. white
16. know
17. simply
18. have
19. sunsets
20. westward
21. With
22. sand
23. Dismissing