



## Fill in the gaps

### American Pie by Madonna

A long, long time ago  
I can (1)\_\_\_\_\_ remember  
How (2)\_\_\_\_\_ music used to make me smile  
And I (3)\_\_\_\_\_ that if I had my chance  
I could make those (4)\_\_\_\_\_ dance  
And maybe they'd be happy for a while  
Did you (5)\_\_\_\_\_ the book of love?  
And do you have faith in God above  
If the Bible tells you so?  
Now do you (6)\_\_\_\_\_ in Rock 'n' roll  
And can music save your mortal soul?  
And can you teach me how to dance (7)\_\_\_\_\_ slow?  
Well, I know (8)\_\_\_\_\_ you're in love with him  
Cause I saw you dancin' in the gym  
You (9)\_\_\_\_\_ kicked off your shoes  
Man, I dig (10)\_\_\_\_\_ rhythm and blues  
I was a lonely teenage broncin' buck  
With a pink (11)\_\_\_\_\_ and a pick-up truck  
But I (12)\_\_\_\_\_ that I was out of luck  
The day the music died  
I started singing  
Bye, bye, Miss (13)\_\_\_\_\_ Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys (14)\_\_\_\_\_ drinkin'  
(15)\_\_\_\_\_ and rye  
Singing this'll be the day (16)\_\_\_\_\_ I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
I met a (17)\_\_\_\_\_ who sang the blues  
And I asked her for some happy news  
But she just smiled and turned away

When I went down to the sacred store  
Where I'd heard the music years before  
But the man there said the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ wouldn't play  
Well now, in the streets the children screamed  
The lovers cried, and the (19)\_\_\_\_\_ dreamed  
But not a word was spoken  
The church bells all were broken  
And the (20)\_\_\_\_\_ men I admire the most  
The Father, Son and the (21)\_\_\_\_\_ Ghost  
They caught the last (22)\_\_\_\_\_ for the coast  
The day the (23)\_\_\_\_\_ died  
We (24)\_\_\_\_\_ singing  
Bye, bye, Miss (25)\_\_\_\_\_ Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys were drinkin' whiskey and rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
Bye, bye, Miss American Pie  
Drove my Chevy to the levee  
But the levee was dry  
And good old boys were drinkin' whiskey and rye  
Singing this'll be the day that I die  
This'll be the day that I die  
We started singing  
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We (26)\_\_\_\_\_ singing  
We started singing



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### Answer

1. still
2. that
3. knew
4. people
5. write
6. believe
7. real
8. that
9. both
10. those
11. carnation
12. knew
13. American
14. were
15. whiskey
16. that
17. girl
18. music
19. poets
20. three
21. Holy
22. train
23. music
24. started
25. American
26. started