



## Belfast Child by Simple Minds

When my love (1)\_\_\_\_\_ to me  
meet me (2)\_\_\_\_\_ by the gallow tree  
for it's sad news I bring  
about (3)\_\_\_\_\_ old (4)\_\_\_\_\_ and all (5)\_\_\_\_\_  
it's offering  
some say (6)\_\_\_\_\_ abound  
some day (7)\_\_\_\_\_ they're gonna (8)\_\_\_\_\_ the old  
(9)\_\_\_\_\_ down  
one day we'll return here,  
when the belfast (10)\_\_\_\_\_ (11)\_\_\_\_\_ again  
Brothers (12)\_\_\_\_\_ where are you now  
as I look for you right through the crowd  
all my life here I've spent  
with my (13)\_\_\_\_\_ in god the church and the  
government  
but there's (14)\_\_\_\_\_ abound  
some day soon they're gonna (15)\_\_\_\_\_ the old town  
down  
One day we'll return here,  
when the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ child sings again  
when the belfast child sings again  
Some come back billy, won't you come on home

### Fill in the gaps

come (17)\_\_\_\_\_ mary, you've been away so long  
the streets are empty, and your mother's gone  
the girls are crying, it's been oh so long  
and your father's calling, (18)\_\_\_\_\_ on home  
won't you come on home, won't you (19)\_\_\_\_\_ on home  
One (20)\_\_\_\_\_ people, you've (21)\_\_\_\_\_ gone a  
while  
and the war is raging, in the emerald isle  
that's (22)\_\_\_\_\_ and blood man, that's  
(23)\_\_\_\_\_ and blood  
all the girls are crying but all's not lost  
The streets are empty, the streets are cold  
won't you come on home, won't you come on home  
The streets are empty  
life (24)\_\_\_\_\_ on  
One day we'll (25)\_\_\_\_\_ here  
when the belfast child (26)\_\_\_\_\_ again  
when the belfast child (27)\_\_\_\_\_ again



Answer

1. said
2. down
3. this
4. town
5. that
6. troubles
7. soon
8. pull
9. town
10. child
11. sings
12. sisters
13. faith
14. sadness
15. pull
16. belfast
17. back
18. come
19. come
20. back
21. been
22. flesh
23. flesh
24. goes
25. return
26. sings
27. sings

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