



Fill in the gaps

Rose Of England by Chris De Burgh

Hear my voice and (1)_____ well, and a story I will tell,
How duty brought a broken heart, and why a love so strong
Must fall apart;
She was lovely, she was fine, daughter of a royal line,
He, no equal, but for them it mattered little for they were in love;
Rose of England, (2)_____ and fair, shining with the sun,
Rose of England, have a care, for where the thorn is,
There the blood will run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart;
Through the summer days and nights, stolen kisses and delights
Would thrill their hearts and fill their dreams with all emotions
That true love can bring;
But black of mourning came one day, when her sister passed away,
And many said on bended knee, she has gone, and you must be our Queen;
Rose of England, sweet and fair, shining with the sun,
Rose of England, have a care, for where the thorn is,
There the blood will run;

Oh my heart, oh my heart;
To the abbey she did ride, with her (3)_____ by her side,
When they heard the church bells ring, she was Queen
And one day, he'd be King;
But men of malice, men of hate, (4)_____ to her chambers came,
"A (5)_____ prince will (6)_____ your hand, for he'll bring peace
And (7)_____ to our land;"
She said, "Do you tell me that I cannot wed the one I love?
Do you tell me that I am not mistress of my heart?"
And so with heavy weight of life she kissed her lover one last time,
"This land I wed, and no man comes, for if I cannot have you, I'll have none;"
Rose of England, sweet and fair, (8)_____ with the sun,
Rose of England (9)_____ a care, for where the thorn is,
There the blood will run;
Oh my heart, oh my heart.



Answer

1. listen
2. sweet
3. lover
4. protesting
5. foreign
6. have
7. riches
8. shining
9. have

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