



Fill in the gaps

He Didn't Have To Be by Brad Paisley

When a single mom goes out on a date with
Somebody new
It always winds up feeling more like
A job interview
My momma used to wonder
If she'd ever (1)_____ someone
Who wouldn't find out about me and then
Turn around and run
I met the man I (2)_____ my dad
When I was five years old
He (3)_____ my mom out to a movie
And for once I got to go
A few months later, I remember
Lying there in bed
I overheard him pop the question
And I prayed that she'd say yes
And then, all of a sudden
(Oh) it seemed so strange to me
How we went (4)_____ something's
Missing to a family
Looking back, all I can say about
All the things he did for me
Is I (5)_____ I'm at least
Half the dad that he didn't have to be

I met the girl that's now my wife
About (6)_____ years ago
We had the perfect marriage but
We wanted something more
Now (7)_____ I stand surrounded by our
(8)_____ and friends
Crowded 'round the (9)_____ window
As they bring the baby in
And now, all of a sudden
(Oh) it seems so strange to me
How we've gone from something's
Missing to a family
Looking through the glass, I think
About the man that's standing next to me
And I hope I'm at least half the dad
That he didn't have to be
And looking back all I can say about
All the things he did for me
Is I hope I'm at least
Half the dad that he didn't have to be
Because he didn't have to be
You (10)_____ he didn't have to be



Answer

1. meet
2. call
3. took
4. from
5. hope
6. three
7. here
8. family
9. nursery
10. know

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