



Fill in the gaps

The River (Live) by Bruce Springsteen

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I come from down in the valley
Where mister when you're young
They bring you up to do
Like your daddy done
Me and Mary we met in (1)_____ school
When she was just seventeen
We'd drive out of (2)_____ valley
Down to where the fields were green
We'd go (3)_____ to the river
And into the (4)_____ we'd dive
(Oh oh) (5)_____ to the (6)_____ we'd ride
Then I got Mary pregnant
And man that was all she wrote
And for my (7)_____ birthday
I got a (8)_____ card and a wedding coat
We went down to the courthouse
And the judge put it all to rest
No (9)_____ day smiles
No (10)_____ (11)_____ the aisle
No flowers, no (12)_____ dress
We went (13)_____ to the river
And into the river we'd dive
(Oh oh) down to the river we'd ride
I got a job working construction

For the Johnstown Company
But lately there ain't been no work
On (14)_____ of the economy
Now all them things that seemed so important
Well mister they vanished (15)_____ (16)_____
the air
I just act like I don't remember
Mary (17)_____ (18)_____ she don't care
But I remember us riding in my brother's car
Her body tanned and wet down at the reservoir
At night on them banks I'd lie awake
And pull her close (19)_____ to feel each breath she'd
take
Now the memories come back to (20)_____ me
They (21)_____ me like a curse
Is a dream a lie if it don't (22)_____ true
Or is it something worse
That sends me (23)_____ to the river
Though I know the river is dry
(Oh oh) down to the river tonight
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Down to the river
My baby and I
(Oh oh) down to the river we ride
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Answer

1. high
2. this
3. down
4. river
5. down
6. river
7. nineteenth
8. union
9. wedding
10. walk
11. down
12. wedding
13. down
14. account
15. right
16. into
17. acts
18. like
19. just
20. haunt
21. haunt
22. come
23. down