



## Fill in the gaps

### Simple song by The Shins

<em>Welcome back (1)\_\_\_\_\_ everyone,  
as you know, I am now dead,  
and this video shows my last will and testament.  
Between my three children,  
I couldn't decide which of you  
to keep the (2)\_\_\_\_\_ to,  
as each of you (3)\_\_\_\_\_ up (4)\_\_\_\_\_ with me.  
So I didn't choose any of you,  
because, as you know, each of you hates my guts.</em>  
Well this is just a simple song  
To see what you've done  
I told you about all those fears  
And (5)\_\_\_\_\_ they did run  
You sure must be strong  
<em>Instead, I've hidden the deed somewhere in the house,  
and the first of you to find it gets everything,  
ready? get steady, go!</em>  
You feel (6)\_\_\_\_\_ an ocean  
Being warmed by the sun  
When I was just (7)\_\_\_\_\_ years old  
I swear that I dreamt  
Your face on a football field  
And a kiss that I kept  
Under my vest  
Apart from everything, the heart in my chest  
I know that things can really get rough  
(8)\_\_\_\_\_ you go in love  
Don't go thinking you gotta be tough  
Complete (9)\_\_\_\_\_ a stone  
(10)\_\_\_\_\_ be there's (11)\_\_\_\_\_ else in  
our lives  
So critical as this little hole  
My life in an (12)\_\_\_\_\_ boat, marooned on a cliff  
You brought me a great big flood  
And you gave me a lift

God what a gift  
You tell me with your tongue  
And your breath goes in the lungs  
And the flow that (13)\_\_\_\_\_ the rift  
I know that things can really get rough  
When you go in love  
Don't go thinking you gotta be tough  
(14)\_\_\_\_\_ like a stone  
Could be there's nothing else in our lives  
So critical as this little hole.  
<em>This isn't actually a deed to the house, I was kidding.  
Let's be honest,  
this place is full of (15)\_\_\_\_\_ memories for all of us,  
so I've already sold the estate and I am having the house  
demolished. But best of (16)\_\_\_\_\_ to all of you.</em>  
<em>Love, Dad</em>,  
Well this isn't be a simple song  
to say (17)\_\_\_\_\_ you've done  
I told you (18)\_\_\_\_\_ all those fears  
And away they did run  
You sure (19)\_\_\_\_\_ be strong  
<em>P.S. The wrecking (20)\_\_\_\_\_ arrives at 2:00  
p.m.</em>  
And you feel like an ocean  
Being warmed by the sun  
(21)\_\_\_\_\_ (22)\_\_\_\_\_ a mile to  
(23)\_\_\_\_\_ house  
That glow in the dark  
I (24)\_\_\_\_\_ a (25)\_\_\_\_\_ play for  
(26)\_\_\_\_\_ heart  
And the extra of the spark  
You wore a charm in a chain  
That I stole special for you  
Love's (27)\_\_\_\_\_ a delicate (28)\_\_\_\_\_ that we  
do  
We've nothing to prove  
Which I (29)\_\_\_\_\_ knew



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### Answer

1. home
2. house
3. grew
4. here
5. away
6. like
7. nine
8. When
9. like
10. Could
11. nothing
12. action
13. filled
14. Complete
15. awful
16. luck
17. what
18. about
19. must
20. crew
21. Remember
22. walking
23. your
24. made
25. fumbling
26. your
27. such
28. thing
29. never