



## Fill in the gaps

### Belfast Child by Simple Minds

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

come (13)\_\_\_\_\_ mary, you've been (14)\_\_\_\_\_ so  
long  
the streets are empty, and your mother's gone  
the girls are crying, it's been oh so long  
and (15)\_\_\_\_\_ father's calling, come on home  
won't you come on home, won't you come on home  
Ome (16)\_\_\_\_\_ people, you've (17)\_\_\_\_\_ gone a  
while  
and the war is raging, in the emerald isle  
that's flesh and blood man, that's flesh and blood  
all the girls are crying but all's not lost  
The streets are empty, the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ are cold  
won't you come on home, won't you come on home  
The (19)\_\_\_\_\_ are empty  
life goes on  
One day we'll return here  
when the (20)\_\_\_\_\_ child sings again  
when the belfast child (21)\_\_\_\_\_ again



Answer

1. love
2. this
3. town
4. soon
5. through
6. church
7. sadness
8. gonna
9. return
10. belfast
11. sings
12. come
13. back
14. away
15. your
16. back
17. been
18. streets
19. streets
20. belfast
21. sings

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