



## Fill in the gaps

### Cats in the cradle by Ugly Kid Joe

My child arrived just the other day  
Come to the world in the (1)\_\_\_\_\_ way  
But there were planes to catch  
And (2)\_\_\_\_\_ to pay  
He (3)\_\_\_\_\_ to walk while I was away  
He was (4)\_\_\_\_\_ for a minute  
And as he grew  
He'd say I'm (5)\_\_\_\_\_ be like you Dad  
You know I'm gonna be like you  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the silver spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' (6)\_\_\_\_\_ son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You know we'll have  
A good time then  
Well my son (7)\_\_\_\_\_ ten  
Just the other day  
He said thanks for the (8)\_\_\_\_\_ Dad  
Come on let's play  
Can you teach me to throw  
I said not today - I got a lot to do  
He said that's o.k.  
And he (9)\_\_\_\_\_ away and he  
Smiled and he said  
You know I'm gonna be like him yeah  
You know I'm gonna be like him  
And the (10)\_\_\_\_\_ in the cradle  
And the (11)\_\_\_\_\_ spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' (12)\_\_\_\_\_ son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You know we'll have  
A good (13)\_\_\_\_\_ then  
Well he (14)\_\_\_\_\_ (15)\_\_\_\_\_ college  
Just the other day  
So (16)\_\_\_\_\_ like a man I (17)\_\_\_\_\_ had to say  
I'm proud of you (18)\_\_\_\_\_ you  
Sit for a while  
He shook his head  
And he said with a smile  
What I'd really like Dad

Is to borrow the car keys  
See you later can I have them please  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the silver spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' home son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You (19)\_\_\_\_\_ we'll have  
A good time then  
I've long since retired  
My son's moved away  
I called him up just the (20)\_\_\_\_\_ day  
I'd (21)\_\_\_\_\_ to see you if you don't mind  
He said  
I'd love to Dad  
If I could (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the time  
You see my new job's hassle  
And the kids have the flu  
But it's sure nice talking to you Dad  
It's been sure nice talking to you  
And as I hung up the phone  
I (23)\_\_\_\_\_ to me  
He'd grown up just (24)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
My boy was just like me  
And the (25)\_\_\_\_\_ in the cradle  
And the silver spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' home son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You know we'll have  
A good time then  
And the cats in the cradle  
And the silver spoon  
Little boy blue and the  
Man on the moon  
When you comin' (26)\_\_\_\_\_ son  
I don't know when  
We'll get together then  
You know we'll have  
A good time then



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. usual
2. bills
3. learned
4. talking
5. gonna
6. home
7. turned
8. ball
9. walked
10. cats
11. silver
12. home
13. time
14. came
15. from
16. much
17. just
18. could
19. know
20. other
21. like
22. find
23. occurred
24. like
25. cats
26. home