



## Fill in the gaps

### A Thousand Kisses Deep by Leonard Cohen

The ponies run, the girls are young  
The odds are (1)\_\_\_\_\_ to beat  
You win a while, and then it's done  
Your little winning streak  
And summoned now to deal  
With your invincible defeat  
You live your (2)\_\_\_\_\_ as if it's real  
A (3)\_\_\_\_\_ kisses deep  
I'm (4)\_\_\_\_\_ tricks, I'm getting fixed  
I'm back on Boogie Street  
You lose your grip, and then you slip  
Into the masterpiece  
And maybe I had (5)\_\_\_\_\_ to drive  
And promises to keep  
You ditch it all to (6)\_\_\_\_\_ alive  
A thousand (7)\_\_\_\_\_ deep  
And sometimes (8)\_\_\_\_\_ the night is slow  
The wretched and the meek  
We gather up our hearts and go  
A (9)\_\_\_\_\_ kisses deep  
Confined to sex, we pressed against  
The limits of the sea  
I saw there were no oceans left  
For (10)\_\_\_\_\_ like me  
I made it to the forward deck

I blessed our remnant fleet  
And then consented to be wrecked  
A thousand kisses deep  
I'm turning tricks, I'm getting fixed  
I'm back on Boogie street  
I guess they (11)\_\_\_\_\_ exchange the gifts  
That you (12)\_\_\_\_\_ (13)\_\_\_\_\_ to keep  
And quiet is the thought of you  
The file on you complete  
Except what we forgot to do  
A (14)\_\_\_\_\_ kisses deep  
And (15)\_\_\_\_\_ when the night is slow  
The wretched and the meek  
We (16)\_\_\_\_\_ up our hearts and go  
A thousand (17)\_\_\_\_\_ deep  
The ponies run, the girls are young  
The odds are (18)\_\_\_\_\_ to beat  
You win a while, and then it's done  
Your little winning streak  
And summoned now to deal  
With your invincible defeat  
You (19)\_\_\_\_\_ your life as if it's real  
A thousand kisses deep



Answer

1. there
2. life
3. thousand
4. turning
5. miles
6. stay
7. kisses
8. when
9. thousand
10. scavengers
11. won't
12. were
13. meant
14. thousand
15. sometimes
16. gather
17. kisses
18. there
19. live

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