



## Fill in the gaps

### A Thousand Kisses Deep by Leonard Cohen

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

I blessed our remnant fleet  
And then consented to be wrecked  
A (6)\_\_\_\_\_ kisses deep  
I'm turning tricks, I'm getting fixed  
I'm back on Boogie street  
I guess they won't (7)\_\_\_\_\_ the gifts  
That you were (8)\_\_\_\_\_ to keep  
And quiet is the thought of you  
The file on you complete  
Except what we forgot to do  
A thousand kisses deep  
And sometimes when the night is slow  
The wretched and the meek  
We gather up our hearts and go  
A thousand kisses deep  
The ponies run, the girls are young  
The odds are there 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 life as if it's real  
A (9)\_\_\_\_\_ kisses deep



Answer

1. odds
2. then
3. lose
4. promises
5. ditch
6. thousand
7. exchange
8. meant
9. thousand

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