How Come, How Long by Babyface & Stevie Wonder

There was a girl I used to know

She was (oh) so beautiful

But she's not here anymore

She had a (1)_____ degree

Smart as anyone could be

Had so much to live for

But she fell in love

With the wrong kinda man

He abused her love and treated her so bad

There was not enough education in her world

That (2)_____ save (3)_____ of (4)_____

little girl

How come, how long

It's not right, it's so wrong

Do we let it just go on

Turn our backs and carry on

Wake up, for it's too late

Right now, we can't wait

She won't have a second try

Open up your hearts

As well as your eyes

She tried to give a cry for help

She even blamed (5)_____ on herself

But no one came to her aid

Nothing was wrong as far as we (6)_____ tell

That's what we'd (7)_____ to tell our self

But no, it wasn't that way

So she (8)_____ in love

With the wrong (9)_____ man

And she paid with her life

For loving (10)_____ man

So we cannot ignore

We must look for the signs

And maybe next time

We must save somebody's life

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I on (12)_____ met (13)_____ guy

It's been a (14)_____ (15)_____ inside

Something about him wasn't right

The way he proves (16)_____ a man

By beatin' his woman with his hands

(Oh) I (17)_____ she'd seen the light

How can someone like that

Call (18)_____ a man (He's not a man)

In (19)_____ he's far more less than that

And we (20)_____ ignore

Whenever we see the signs

'Cause any kinda of abuse

God knows it's a crime

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As well as (22)_____ eyes

Answer

1. college
2. could
3. life
4. this
5. things
6. could
7. like
8. fell
9. kinda
10. that
11. just
12. occasion
13. that
14. feeling
15. deep
16. himself
17. wish
18. himself
19. reality
20. cannot
21. have
22. your