



## Fill in the gaps

### It's Not Easy by Lucky Dube

Lord have mercy  
I remember the day I (1)\_\_\_\_\_ mama on the  
telephone  
I told her mama I'm getting married  
I could (2)\_\_\_\_\_ her voice on the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ side  
Of the (4)\_\_\_\_\_ she was smiling  
And she asked me a question  
That I proudly answered  
She said son did you take time  
To know her?  
I said mama, she is the best  
But today it hurts me so to go back to  
Mama and say  
Mama I'm getting divorced  
(Oh) I'm getting divorced  
The choice I made didn't work out the way  
I thought it would  
This (5)\_\_\_\_\_ I made  
It hurts me so mama  
This choice I made didn't (6)\_\_\_\_\_ out the way  
I thought it would  
This choice of mine (oh)  
Mama (7)\_\_\_\_\_ to me  
It's not (8)\_\_\_\_\_ to understand it son  
But I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ you'll make it  
You'll be happy again  
It's not easy to understand it son  
But I hope you'll make it  
You'll be happy again  
I remember in church

When the preacher man (10)\_\_\_\_\_ the scriptures  
You looked so beautiful, so beautiful  
And so innocent  
I did not know (11)\_\_\_\_\_ behind (12)\_\_\_\_\_ beauty  
Lies the true colours (13)\_\_\_\_\_ will destroy me  
In the near future  
This (14)\_\_\_\_\_ I made didn't work out to be  
What I thought it would be  
(Oh) mama (15)\_\_\_\_\_ choice I made  
Didn't work out the way I thought it would  
Now I'm hurting  
I remember when I held you by the hand  
Preacher man read the scriptures  
Putting words in (16)\_\_\_\_\_ mouth  
Maybe what the preacher man said  
Was not something that was (17)\_\_\_\_\_ you  
Now I know (18)\_\_\_\_\_ they (19)\_\_\_\_\_ when they  
say  
Beautiful woman  
Is (20)\_\_\_\_\_ man's plaything  
(Oh) lord, I'm hurting now  
This choice I made didn't work out the way  
I thought it would  
This choice of (21)\_\_\_\_\_ (oh)  
Mama said to me  
It's not (22)\_\_\_\_\_ to (23)\_\_\_\_\_ it son  
But I hope you'll (24)\_\_\_\_\_ it  
(You'll be happy again)



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**Answer**

1. called
2. hear
3. other
4. telephone
5. choice
6. work
7. said
8. easy
9. hope
10. read
11. that
12. that
13. that
14. choice
15. this
16. your
17. within
18. what
19. mean
20. another
21. mine
22. easy
23. understand
24. make