



## Fill in the gaps

### Romulus by Sujjan Stevens

Once when our mother called

She had a voice of last year's cough

We passed around the phone

Sharing a word (1)\_\_\_\_\_ Oregon

When my turn came, I was ashamed

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Once (2)\_\_\_\_\_ we (3)\_\_\_\_\_ away

She came to (4)\_\_\_\_\_ for a day

Her Chevrolet broke down

We (5)\_\_\_\_\_ it'd never be fixed or found

We touched her hair, we touched her hair

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When she had her last child

Once when she had (6)\_\_\_\_\_ boyfriends, (7)\_\_\_\_\_ wild

She moved away quite far

Our grandpa (8)\_\_\_\_\_ us a new VCR

We watched it all night

We grew up in spite of it

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We saw her once last fall

Our grandpa died in a hospital gown

She didn't seem to care

She smoked in her room and colored her hair

I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her

I was ashamed, I was (9)\_\_\_\_\_ of her

I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her

I was ashamed, I was (10)\_\_\_\_\_ of her



Answer

1. about
2. when
3. moved
4. Romulus
5. prayed
6. some
7. some
8. bought
9. ashamed
10. ashamed

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