



Fill in the gaps

The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The (1)_____ (2)_____ by the house
And the yanks they were within
And the tinker boys they (3)_____ advice
'Hot-wire her with a pin'
When we (4)_____ and (5)_____ as we had
a look
In the room (6)_____ the dead men lay
So big Jim Dwyer made his (7)_____ trip
To the (8)_____ (9)_____ his father's laid
But fifteen minutes later
We had our first taste of whiskey
There was uncles giving lectures
On ancient Irish history
The men all (10)_____ (11)_____
jokes
And the (12)_____ they got frisky
At five o'clock in the evening
Every bastard (13)_____ was piskey
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' (14)_____ to say
Farewell to New York City boys
To Boston and PA
He took them out
With a well-aimed clout
He was (15)_____ heard to say
I'm a (16)_____ born man of the USA
He fought the champ in Pittsburgh
And he slashed him to the ground
He (17)_____ on Tiny Tartanella
And it (18)_____ (19)_____ one round
He (20)_____ had no time for reds
For drink or dice or whores
But he never threw a fight

When the fight was right
So they sent him to the war
Fare (21)_____ well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
With a slainte Joe and (22)_____ go
My love's in Amerikay
The calling of the rosary
Spanish wine from far away
I'm a free born man of the USA, yeah!
This morning on the harbou
When I said (23)_____ to you
I (24)_____ how I swore
That I'd come back to you one day
And as the sunset came to meet
The evening on the hill
I told you I'd (25)_____ love you
I always did and I always will
Fare thee well
Gone away
There's nothin' left to say
Except to say adieu
To your eyes as blue
As the (26)_____ in the bay
To big Jim Dwyer, the man of war
Who was often heard to say
I'm a free born man of the USA
I'm a free born man of the USA
I'm a (27)_____ born man of the USA



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Answer

1. Cadillac
2. stood
3. hissed
4. turned
5. shook
6. where
7. last
8. shores
9. where
10. started
11. telling
12. women
13. there
14. left
15. often
16. free
17. took
18. only
19. went
20. never
21. thee
22. Erin
23. goodbye
24. remember
25. always
26. water
27. free