



Fill in the gaps

The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The Cadillac (1)_____ by the house

And the yanks (2)_____ were within

And the (3)_____ boys they (4)_____

advice

'Hot-wire her with a pin'

When we turned and shook as we had a look

In the room where the dead men lay

So big Jim Dwyer made his last trip

To the shores where his father's laid

But (5)_____ minutes later

We had our first taste of whiskey

There was uncles (6)_____ lectures

On ancient (7)_____ history

The men all started telling jokes

And the women (8)_____ got frisky

At five o'clock in the evening

Every (9)_____ there was piskey

Fare (10)_____ well

Gone away

There's nothin' (11)_____ to say

Farewell to New York City boys

To Boston and PA

He (12)_____ them out

With a well-aimed clout

He was (13)_____ heard to say

I'm a free born man of the USA

He fought the champ in Pittsburgh

And he slashed him to the ground

He took on Tiny Tartanella

And it only went one round

He (14)_____ had no time for reds

For drink or dice or whores

But he never threw a fight

When the (15)_____ was right

So they sent him to the war

Fare (16)_____ well

Gone away

There's nothin' left to say

With a slainte Joe and Erin go

My love's in Amerikay

The calling of the rosary

Spanish wine (17)_____ far away

I'm a free born man of the USA, yeah!

This morning on the harbou

When I said goodbye to you

I remember how I swore

That I'd come back to you one day

And as the sunset came to meet

The (18)_____ on the hill

I (19)_____ you I'd (20)_____ love you

I (21)_____ did and I always will

Fare (22)_____ well

Gone away

There's nothin' (23)_____ to say

Except to say adieu

To your eyes as blue

As the water in the bay

To big Jim Dwyer, the man of war

Who was often (24)_____ to say

I'm a free (25)_____ man of the USA

I'm a (26)_____ born man of the USA

I'm a free (27)_____ man of the USA



Fill in the gaps

Answer

1. stood
2. they
3. tinker
4. hissed
5. fifteen
6. giving
7. Irish
8. they
9. bastard
10. thee
11. left
12. took
13. often
14. never
15. fight
16. thee
17. from
18. evening
19. told
20. always
21. always
22. thee
23. left
24. heard
25. born
26. free
27. born