



## Fill in the gaps

### Because Of You by Kelly Clarkson

I will not make the same mistakes that you did  
I will not let myself  
Cause my heart so much misery  
I will not break the way you did,  
You fell so hard  
I've learned the hard way  
To never let it get that far  
Because of you  
I never (1)\_\_\_\_\_ too far from the sidewalk  
Because of you  
I learned to play on the safe (2)\_\_\_\_\_ so I don't get hurt  
Because of you  
I find it hard to trust not only me, but everyone around me  
Because of you  
I am afraid  
I lose my way  
And it's not too long before you (3)\_\_\_\_\_ it out  
I (4)\_\_\_\_\_ cry  
Because I know that's weakness in your eyes  
I'm forced to fake  
A smile, a laugh (5)\_\_\_\_\_ of my life  
My heart can't possibly break  
When it wasn't even whole to start with  
Because of you  
I never stray too far from the sidewalk  
Because of you  
I learned to play on the safe side so I don't get hurt  
Because of you

I find it (6)\_\_\_\_\_ to trust not only me, but everyone  
around me  
Because of you  
I am afraid  
I watched you die  
I (7)\_\_\_\_\_ you cry every night in your sleep  
I was so young  
You should have known better than to lean on me  
You (8)\_\_\_\_\_ thought of anyone else  
You just saw your pain  
And now I cry in the middle of the night  
For the same damn thing  
Because of you  
I never stray too far from the sidewalk  
Because of you  
I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ to play on the safe side so I don't get  
hurt  
Because of you  
I try my hardest just to forget everything  
Because of you  
I don't know how to let (10)\_\_\_\_\_ else in  
Because of you  
I'm ashamed of my life because it's empty  
Because of you  
I am afraid  
Because of you  
Because of you  
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Answer

1. stray
2. side
3. point
4. cannot
5. everyday
6. hard
7. heard
8. never
9. learned
10. anyone

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