



Statues by Nina Nesbitt

Fill in the gaps

You're just the statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're just the tattoo
Of the words that we once spoke
You're the dry river
(1)_____ love (2)_____ to flow
But it stills (3)_____ (4)_____ me
With you it had to go
But if you take (5)_____ back
I'll be (6)_____ to come alive, (7)_____
alive
If you (8)_____ your back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the falling leaves
Whilst I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
You're like the (9)_____ keys
Whilst I'm just a (10)_____ home
Because as I (11)_____ in deep
You're looking at me like a statue
Of the boy I used to know
You're just a lighter
(12)_____ no (13)_____ to light the flames
You know I'd fight for this
But you wouldn't do the same
Because you're just a diary
With a blank and empty page
But the (14)_____ we wrote
I can't (15)_____ erase

But if you take (16)_____ back
I'll be waiting to come alive, come alive
If you (17)_____ your back I'll be waiting to fly
But you're like the falling leaves
(18)_____ I'm still the oak tree
(19)_____ you're the one who leaves
Now I'm falling asleep
You're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm just a broken home
Because as I (20)_____ in deep
You're looking at me like a statue
Of the boy I used to know
I'll watch you fall to the ground
Because there's (21)_____ (22)_____ in
(23)_____ eyes now
We had it all till we found
We're just living these lies now
Because you're like the (24)_____ leaves
(25)_____ I'm still the oak tree
Because you're the one to leave
Now I'm falling asleep
Because you're like the broken keys
Whilst I'm (26)_____ a broken home
And I breathe in deep
As I watch you leave like a statue
Of the boy I used to know



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Answer

1. Where
2. used
3. runs
4. through
5. this
6. waiting
7. come
8. turn
9. broken
10. broken
11. breathe
12. With
13. fuel
14. story
15. quite
16. this
17. turn
18. Whilst
19. Because
20. breathe
21. just
22. stone
23. your
24. falling
25. Whilst
26. just