

Fill in the gaps

Lord (1) mercy	When the preacher man read the scriptures
I remember the day I called mama on the telephone	You (11) so beautiful, so beautiful
I (2) her mama I'm getting married	And so innocent
I (3) hear her voice on the other side	I did not know that (12) that beauty
Of the (4) she was smiling	Lies the true colours that will destroy me
And she asked me a question	In the near future
That I proudly answered	This choice I made didn't (13) out to be
She said son did you take time	What I thought it would be
To know her?	(Oh) mama (14) choice I made
I (5) mama, she is the best	Didn't work out the way I thought it would
But today it hurts me so to go back to	Now I'm hurting
Mama and say	I remember when I held you by the hand
Mama I'm (6) divorced	Preacher man (15) the scriptures
(Oh) I'm getting divorced	Putting words in (16) mouth
The choice I made didn't work out the way	Maybe (17) the preacher man said
I thought it would	Was not (18) (19) was
This (7) I made	within you
It (8) me so mama	Now I know (20) they mean when they say
This choice I (9) didn't work out the way	Beautiful woman
I thought it would	Is another man's plaything
This choice of mine (oh)	(Oh) lord, I'm hurting now
Mama said to me	This choice I made didn't (21) out the way
It's not easy to (10) it son	I thought it would
But I hope you'll make it	This choice of (22) (oh)
You'll be happy again	Mama (23) to me
It's not easy to understand it son	It's not (24) to understand it son
But I hope you'll make it	But I hope you'll make it
You'll be happy again	(You'll be happy again)
I remember in church	



1. have

- 2. told
- 3. could
- 4. telephone
- 5. said
- 6. getting
- 7. choice
- 8. hurts
- 9. made
- 10. understand
- 11. looked
- 12. behind
- 13. work
- 14. this
- 15. read
- 16. your
- 17. what
- 18. something
- 19. that
- 20. what
- 21. work
- 22. mine
- 23. said
- 24. easy

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