



## Fill in the gaps

### It's Not Easy by Lucky Dube

Lord have mercy  
I remember the day I called mama on the telephone  
I (1)\_\_\_\_\_ her mama I'm (2)\_\_\_\_\_ married  
I could hear her voice on the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ side  
Of the telephone she was smiling  
And she asked me a question  
That I proudly answered  
She said son did you take time  
To know her?  
I said mama, she is the best  
But today it hurts me so to go back to  
Mama and say  
Mama I'm getting divorced  
(Oh) I'm (4)\_\_\_\_\_ divorced  
The choice I made didn't work out the way  
I thought it would  
This (5)\_\_\_\_\_ I made  
It hurts me so mama  
This (6)\_\_\_\_\_ I made didn't (7)\_\_\_\_\_ out the  
way  
I thought it would  
This choice of mine (oh)  
Mama (8)\_\_\_\_\_ to me  
It's not easy to (9)\_\_\_\_\_ it son  
But I hope you'll make it  
You'll be (10)\_\_\_\_\_ again  
It's not easy to understand it son  
But I (11)\_\_\_\_\_ you'll make it  
You'll be happy again  
I remember in church

When the preacher man read the scriptures  
You looked so beautiful, so beautiful  
And so innocent  
I did not (12)\_\_\_\_\_ that behind that beauty  
Lies the true colours that will destroy me  
In the near future  
This choice I made didn't work out to be  
What I (13)\_\_\_\_\_ it (14)\_\_\_\_\_ be  
(Oh) (15)\_\_\_\_\_ this (16)\_\_\_\_\_ I made  
Didn't (17)\_\_\_\_\_ out the way I thought it would  
Now I'm hurting  
I remember when I held you by the hand  
Preacher man (18)\_\_\_\_\_ the scriptures  
Putting (19)\_\_\_\_\_ in (20)\_\_\_\_\_ mouth  
Maybe what the (21)\_\_\_\_\_ man said  
Was not something that was (22)\_\_\_\_\_ you  
Now I know (23)\_\_\_\_\_ they mean when (24)\_\_\_\_\_  
say  
Beautiful woman  
Is another man's plaything  
(Oh) lord, I'm hurting now  
This choice I made didn't (25)\_\_\_\_\_ out the way  
I (26)\_\_\_\_\_ it would  
This choice of (27)\_\_\_\_\_ (oh)  
Mama said to me  
It's not easy to understand it son  
But I (28)\_\_\_\_\_ you'll make it  
(You'll be happy again)



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### Answer

1. told
2. getting
3. other
4. getting
5. choice
6. choice
7. work
8. said
9. understand
10. happy
11. hope
12. know
13. thought
14. would
15. mama
16. choice
17. work
18. read
19. words
20. your
21. preacher
22. within
23. what
24. they
25. work
26. thought
27. mine
28. hope