



Fill in the gaps

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Once when our (1)_____ called
She had a voice of last year's cough
We passed around the phone
Sharing a word about Oregon
When my turn came, I was ashamed
When my (2)_____ came, I was ashamed
Once when we moved away
She came to Romulus for a day
Her (3)_____ broke down
We prayed it'd (4)_____ be fixed or found
We touched her hair, we touched her hair
We touched her hair, we (5)_____ her hair
When she had her last child
Once when she had some boyfriends, some wild
She moved (6)_____ quite far
Our grandpa bought us a new VCR
We (7)_____ it all night
We grew up in spite of it
We watched it all night
We grew up in (8)_____ of it
We saw her (9)_____ (10)_____ fall
Our grandpa died in a hospital gown
She didn't seem to care
She smoked in her room and colored her hair
I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her
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Answer

1. mother
2. turn
3. Chevrolet
4. never
5. touched
6. away
7. watched
8. spite
9. once
10. last