



## Waterfalls by TLC

### Fill in the gaps

A lonely mother (1)\_\_\_\_\_ out of the window  
Staring at a son (2)\_\_\_\_\_ she just can't touch  
If at any time he's in a jam, she'll be by his side  
But he doesn't realize he hurts her so much  
But all the praying just ain't helping at all  
'Cause he can't seem to keep (3)\_\_\_\_\_ out of  
trouble  
So, he goes out and he makes his money  
The best way he knows how  
Another body laying cold in the gutter, listen to me  
Don't go chasing waterfalls  
Please (4)\_\_\_\_\_ to the rivers and the (5)\_\_\_\_\_  
(6)\_\_\_\_\_ you used to  
I know that you're (7)\_\_\_\_\_ have it (8)\_\_\_\_\_ way  
or nothing at all  
But I think you're moving too fast  
Little precious has a natural obsession  
For temptation, but he just can't see  
She (9)\_\_\_\_\_ him loving that his body can't handle  
But all he can say is, baby, it's good to me  
One day he goes and takes a glimpse in the mirror  
But he doesn't recognize his own face  
His health is fading and he doesn't (10)\_\_\_\_\_ why  
Three letters took him to his (11)\_\_\_\_\_ resting place  
You all don't hear me  
Don't go chasing waterfalls  
Please stick to the (12)\_\_\_\_\_ and the lakes  
(13)\_\_\_\_\_ you used to  
I know that you're gonna have it your way or nothing at all  
But I think you're moving too fast  
Come on  
I've seen a rainbow yesterday  
But too (14)\_\_\_\_\_ (15)\_\_\_\_\_ have come and  
gone

Leaving a (16)\_\_\_\_\_ of not on God given ray  
Is it because my (17)\_\_\_\_\_ is ten shades of grey  
I pray all ten (18)\_\_\_\_\_ away  
Seldom praise Him for the (19)\_\_\_\_\_ days  
And like His promise is true, only my faith can undo  
The many chances I blew to (20)\_\_\_\_\_ my life to anew  
Clear blue and unconditional skies  
Have dried the tears from my eyes, no more lonely cries  
My only (21)\_\_\_\_\_ (22)\_\_\_\_\_ is for the  
folk who can't cope  
With such an enduring pain  
That it keeps them in the pouring rain  
Who's to (23)\_\_\_\_\_ for tooting (24)\_\_\_\_\_ in  
your own vein  
What a shame, you shoot and aim for (25)\_\_\_\_\_  
else's brain  
You claim the insane  
And name this day in time for falling prey to crime  
I say the system got you victim to your own mind  
Dreams are hopeless aspirations in hopes of  
(26)\_\_\_\_\_ true  
Believe in yourself  
The rest is up (to me and you)  
Don't go chasing waterfalls  
Please (27)\_\_\_\_\_ to the rivers and the lakes that you  
used to  
I know (28)\_\_\_\_\_ you're gonna have it your way or  
nothing at all  
But I think you're moving too fast  
Oh, you're moving too fast  
Don't go chasing waterfalls  
Please stick to the rivers and the lakes that you used to  
I know that you're gonna have it your way or  
(29)\_\_\_\_\_ at all



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. gazing
2. that
3. himself
4. stick
5. lakes
6. that
7. gonna
8. your
9. gives
10. know
11. final
12. rivers
13. that
14. many
15. storms
16. trace
17. life
18. fade
19. sunny
20. bring
21. bleeding
22. hope
23. blame
24. caine
25. someone
26. coming
27. stick
28. that
29. nothing