



## Statues by Nina Nesbitt

### Fill in the gaps

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

But if you (13)\_\_\_\_\_ this back  
I'll be waiting to come alive, come alive  
If you (14)\_\_\_\_\_ (15)\_\_\_\_\_ (16)\_\_\_\_\_ I'll be  
waiting to fly  
But you're like the falling leaves  
Whilst I'm still the oak tree  
(17)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 breathe in deep  
You're looking at me like a (18)\_\_\_\_\_  
Of the boy I used to know  
I'll watch you fall to the ground  
Because there's (19)\_\_\_\_\_ stone in (20)\_\_\_\_\_  
eyes now  
We had it all (21)\_\_\_\_\_ we found  
We're just living these lies now  
Because you're (22)\_\_\_\_\_ the (23)\_\_\_\_\_  
leaves  
Whilst I'm still the oak tree  
Because you're the one to leave  
Now I'm (24)\_\_\_\_\_ asleep  
(25)\_\_\_\_\_ you're (26)\_\_\_\_\_ the broken  
keys  
Whilst I'm just a broken home  
And I breathe in deep  
As I watch you leave like a statue  
Of the boy I used to know



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. just
2. words
3. once
4. used
5. back
6. turn
7. your
8. still
9. Because
10. like
11. Whilst
12. With
13. take
14. turn
15. your
16. back
17. Because
18. statue
19. just
20. your
21. till
22. like
23. falling
24. falling
25. Because
26. like