



## Fill in the gaps

### It's Not Easy by Lucky Dube

Lord (1)\_\_\_\_\_ mercy  
I remember the day I called (2)\_\_\_\_\_ on the telephone  
I told her (3)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm getting married  
I could hear her (4)\_\_\_\_\_ on the other side  
Of the telephone she was smiling  
And she (5)\_\_\_\_\_ me a question  
That I proudly answered  
She said son did you (6)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (7)\_\_\_\_\_ divorced  
The choice I made didn't (8)\_\_\_\_\_ out the way  
I thought it would  
This choice I made  
It hurts me so mama  
This choice I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ didn't work out the way  
I thought it would  
This choice of mine (oh)  
Mama said to me  
It's not (10)\_\_\_\_\_ to understand it son  
But I hope you'll make it  
You'll be happy again  
It's not easy to understand it son  
But I hope you'll (11)\_\_\_\_\_ it  
You'll be (12)\_\_\_\_\_ again  
I remember in church

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



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**Answer**

1. have
2. mama
3. mama
4. voice
5. asked
6. take
7. getting
8. work
9. made
10. easy
11. make
12. happy
13. that
14. choice
15. thought
16. this
17. held
18. words
19. know
20. what
21. when
22. hurting
23. work
24. thought
25. mine
26. easy
27. understand