



## Fill in the gaps

### Romulus by Sujjan Stevens

Once (1)\_\_\_\_\_ our mother called

She had a (2)\_\_\_\_\_ of (3)\_\_\_\_\_ year's cough

We (4)\_\_\_\_\_ around the phone

Sharing a word (5)\_\_\_\_\_ Oregon

When my turn came, I was ashamed

When my (6)\_\_\_\_\_ came, I was ashamed

Once when we (7)\_\_\_\_\_ away

She came to Romulus for a day

Her Chevrolet (8)\_\_\_\_\_ down

We prayed it'd never be (9)\_\_\_\_\_ or found

We (10)\_\_\_\_\_ her hair, we touched her hair

We (11)\_\_\_\_\_ her hair, we touched her hair

When she had her last child

Once when she had (12)\_\_\_\_\_ boyfriends, (13)\_\_\_\_\_ wild

She (14)\_\_\_\_\_ away quite far

Our (15)\_\_\_\_\_ bought us a new VCR

We watched it all night

We grew up in spite of it

We watched it all night

We (16)\_\_\_\_\_ up in spite of it

We saw her once (17)\_\_\_\_\_ fall

Our grandpa died in a hospital gown

She didn't (18)\_\_\_\_\_ to care

She smoked in her (19)\_\_\_\_\_ and (20)\_\_\_\_\_ her hair

I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her

I was ashamed, I was (21)\_\_\_\_\_ of her

I was ashamed, I was (22)\_\_\_\_\_ of her

I was ashamed, I was ashamed of her



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. when
2. voice
3. last
4. passed
5. about
6. turn
7. moved
8. broke
9. fixed
10. touched
11. touched
12. some
13. some
14. moved
15. grandpa
16. grew
17. last
18. seem
19. room
20. colored
21. ashamed
22. ashamed