



## Fill in the gaps

### The Body Of An American by The Pogues

The (1)\_\_\_\_\_ (2)\_\_\_\_\_ by the house  
And the yanks they (3)\_\_\_\_\_ within  
And the tinker boys they hissed advice  
'Hot-wire her with a pin'  
When we turned and shook as we had a look  
In the (4)\_\_\_\_\_ where the dead men lay  
So big Jim Dwyer made his last trip  
To the shores (5)\_\_\_\_\_ his father's laid  
But fifteen minutes later  
We had our first taste of whiskey  
There was uncles (6)\_\_\_\_\_ lectures  
On ancient Irish history  
The men all started telling jokes  
And the women they got frisky  
At (7)\_\_\_\_\_ o'clock in the evening  
Every bastard there was piskey  
Fare thee well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
Farewell to New (8)\_\_\_\_\_ City boys  
To Boston and PA  
He took them out  
With a well-aimed clout  
He was often heard to say  
I'm a free born man of the USA  
He fought the champ in Pittsburgh  
And he slashed him to the ground  
He took on Tiny Tartanella  
And it (9)\_\_\_\_\_ went one round  
He never had no time for reds  
For drink or dice or whores  
But he never threw a fight

When the fight was right  
So (10)\_\_\_\_\_ sent him to the war  
Fare (11)\_\_\_\_\_ well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
With a slainte Joe and Erin go  
My love's in Amerikay  
The calling of the rosary  
Spanish wine from far away  
I'm a free born man of the USA, yeah!  
This morning on the harbou  
When I (12)\_\_\_\_\_ (13)\_\_\_\_\_ to you  
I remember how I swore  
That I'd come (14)\_\_\_\_\_ to you one day  
And as the (15)\_\_\_\_\_ came to meet  
The (16)\_\_\_\_\_ on the hill  
I told you I'd always (17)\_\_\_\_\_ you  
I always did and I always will  
Fare thee well  
Gone away  
There's nothin' left to say  
Except to say adieu  
To (18)\_\_\_\_\_ eyes as blue  
As the (19)\_\_\_\_\_ in the bay  
To big Jim Dwyer, the man of war  
Who was often (20)\_\_\_\_\_ to say  
I'm a free (21)\_\_\_\_\_ man of the USA  
I'm a free (22)\_\_\_\_\_ man of the USA  
I'm a free born man of the USA



Answer

1. Cadillac
2. stood
3. were
4. room
5. where
6. giving
7. five
8. York
9. only
10. they
11. thee
12. said
13. goodbye
14. back
15. sunset
16. evening
17. love
18. your
19. water
20. heard
21. born
22. born

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