

Sixto Rodriguez "Cause"

Cause I lost my job two weeks before _____
And I talked to Jesus at the sewer
And the Pope said it was none of his God-damned _____
While the rain drank champagne

My Estonian Archangel came and got me _____
Cause the sweetest kiss I ever got is the one I've never _____

Oh but they'll take their bonus pay to Molly McDonald,
Neon ladies, beauty is that which obeys, is bought or borrowed

Cause my heart's become a crooked hotel full of _____
But it's I who pays the rent for these fingered-face out-of-tuners
and I make 16 solid half hour friendships every _____

Cause your queen of hearts who is half a _____
And likes to laugh alone is always threatening you with _____

Oh but they play those token games on Willy Thompson
And give a medal to replace the son of Mrs. Annie Johnson

Cause they told me everybody's got to _____
And I explained that I had overpaid them
So overdued I went to the company store
and the clerk there said that they had just been _____
So I set sail in a teardrop and escaped beneath the doorsill

Cause the smell of her perfume echoes in my _____
Cause I see my people trying to drown the sun
In weekends of whiskey sours
Cause how many times can you wake up in this comic book and _____?

