



# FILL IN THE BLANK STORIES- THE SINGING PIRATE

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## BASIC STORY STARTER

A \_\_\_\_\_ pirate wants to sing in a \_\_\_\_\_ band, but needs to find a group to sing with.

## FILL-IN-THE-BLANK STORY

What was that \_\_\_\_\_ sound? He knew he heard something and there it was again. It was music. \_\_\_\_\_ music and he loved it! The pirate stopped \_\_\_\_\_ and just \_\_\_\_\_. Then he started \_\_\_\_\_ his toes. Before he knew it, he was \_\_\_\_\_ his head and his arms too. Now he wanted to sing. He had to sing; he couldn't help himself. When he opened his mouth, out came a \_\_\_\_\_ sound. He was quite possibly the \_\_\_\_\_ singer in the whole world.

Pirate felt \_\_\_\_\_. He finally discovered the joy of singing and nothing was going to stop him from getting out and finding a group to sing with. But how? He was a \_\_\_\_\_ pirate, but he was \_\_\_\_\_. So, pirate set off on a roadtrip to find a band.

First, he put on his travelling clothes. As all \_\_\_\_\_ singing pirates would, he wore a \_\_\_\_\_ hat and \_\_\_\_\_ pants. He \_\_\_\_\_ threw his \_\_\_\_\_ backpack on his back and started \_\_\_\_\_.

Soon, the day became \_\_\_\_\_. The sky was \_\_\_\_\_ and pirate felt \_\_\_\_\_. He took a \_\_\_\_\_ breath, \_\_\_\_\_ his head, and kept \_\_\_\_\_.

Before long, he heard it again-- that sound. \_\_\_\_\_ music. He started \_\_\_\_\_ . He \_\_\_\_\_. And there it was! A musical pirate's oasis, full of other \_\_\_\_\_ pirates \_\_\_\_\_ . He thought, “ \_\_\_\_\_.”

(See sample adjectives, adverbs, verbs on next page.)



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## ADJECTIVE, ADVERB, VERB SUGGESTIONS (OR USE YOUR OWN IDEAS)

### Adjectives

Rocking  
Beautiful  
Loud  
Driving  
Soaring  
Interesting  
Awful

Opera  
Rock  
Country  
Pop

Robust  
Melodic  
Screechy  
Rocking  
Wobbly  
Pathetic

Excited  
Worried  
Thrilled  
Sad  
Lonely  
Hopeful

Freezing  
Steaming  
Dark/Bright  
Deep  
Starry  
Sticky

Dirty  
Leather  
Shiny  
Ripped  
Smelly

### Verbs

Pillaging  
Swabbing  
Swimming  
Marching  
Strolling

Listen  
Pause  
Wiggle  
Tap  
Stomp

### Adverbs

Quickly  
Ploddingly  
Excitedly  
Slowly  
Nervously  
Carelessly