

**No Roots**

No Roots is the debut song by German-Canadian-English singer-songwriter **Alice Merton**. Merton co-wrote the song with producer Nicolas Rebscher. The song was released in Europe in **2016** and has reached top ten in Germany, Austria, France, Luxembourg, Poland, Slovenia and Israel. The song has reached platinum status in Germany and gold status in France.



Alice Merton at the SWR3 New Pop Festival 2017

- ① Listen to the 1st verse and fill in the gaps.
Highlight and write down words that are new for you.



I like digging _____ and hiding things _____ them,

When I'll grow _____ I hope I won't _____ to find them.

'Cause I've got _____ and travel like gypsies in the night.

I _____ a home and wait for _____ to tear it down,

Then pack it up in _____, head for the next town _____.

'Cause I've got memories and travel like gypsies in the _____.

Pre-Chorus: And a thousand times I've seen this _____, a thousand times!

Chorus: I've got no _____, but my _____ was never on the ground. (2x)

I've got no roo-oo-oo-oo-oo-oots. (2x)

- ② These are the lyrics of the 2nd verse. What's the correct order? (1-6)

_____ But I've got memories and travel like gypsies in the night.

_____ Ask me where I come from, I'll say a different land.

_____ I like standing still, but that's just a wishful plan.

_____ It's just the place that changes, the rest is still the same.

_____ But I've got memories and travel like gypsies in the night.

_____ I count gates and numbers, then play the guessing game.

- ③ Write down the lyrics of the Bridge.