



Fill in the gaps

The sound of silence by Simon & Garfunkel

Hello darkness, my old friend
I've come to talk with you again
Because a vision softly creeping
(1)_____ its seeds while I was sleeping
And the vision that was (2)_____ in my brain
Still remains
Within the sound of silence
In restless dreams I walked alone
Narrow streets of cobblestone
Neath the halo of a street lamp
I turned my collar to the cold and damp
(3)_____ my eyes were stabbed
By the flash of a neon light
That split the night
And touched the sound of silence.
And in the naked light I saw
Ten thousand people, maybe more.
People talking without speaking
People hearing without listening
People writing songs

That voices (4)_____ share
And no one dare
Disturb the sound of silence
"Fools" said I
You do not know silence like a cancer grows
Hear my words that I might teach you
Take my arms that I might reach you
But my words like silent raindrops fell
And echoed in the wells of silence
And the people bowed and prayed
To the (5)_____ god they made
And the sign flashed out its warning
In the words that it was forming
And the sign (6)_____
"The words of the prophets
Are (7)_____ on the (8)_____ walls
And (9)_____ halls
And whispered in the sounds of silence"



Answer

1. Left
2. planted
3. When
4. never
5. neon
6. said
7. written
8. subway
9. tenement

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