



## Fill in the gaps

### Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of (1)\_\_\_\_\_ street light eyes

wide on my (2)\_\_\_\_\_ toys.

Then when the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ the fair,

I cut my long (5)\_\_\_\_\_ hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and (6)\_\_\_\_\_ for you everywhere.

Have I (7)\_\_\_\_\_ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (8)\_\_\_\_\_ you,

american mouth

big (9)\_\_\_\_\_ looming.

Now I'm a fat (10)\_\_\_\_\_ cat

Nursing my sore (11)\_\_\_\_\_ tongue

Watching the warm poison rats

curl through the (12)\_\_\_\_\_ (13)\_\_\_\_\_ cracks.

Pissing on (14)\_\_\_\_\_ photos.

Those fishing (15)\_\_\_\_\_ (16)\_\_\_\_\_ in the cold

and (17)\_\_\_\_\_ (18)\_\_\_\_\_ of (19)\_\_\_\_\_ (20)\_\_\_\_\_ stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (21)\_\_\_\_\_ you,

american mouth

big (22)\_\_\_\_\_ looming.



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### Answer

1. your
2. plastic
3. cops
4. close
5. baby
6. called
7. found
8. lost
9. pill
10. house
11. blunt
12. wide
13. fence
14. magazine
15. lures
16. thrown
17. clean
18. blood
19. Christ
20. mountain
21. lost
22. pill