



## Fill in the gaps

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

I was a (1)\_\_\_\_\_ wet boy,

diving too (2)\_\_\_\_\_ for coins.

All of your street light eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

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

I cut my (5)\_\_\_\_\_ (6)\_\_\_\_\_ hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and called 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 (12)\_\_\_\_\_ (13)\_\_\_\_\_ rats

curl (14)\_\_\_\_\_ the wide (15)\_\_\_\_\_ cracks.

Pissing on (16)\_\_\_\_\_ photos.

Those fishing (17)\_\_\_\_\_ thrown in the cold

and (18)\_\_\_\_\_ (19)\_\_\_\_\_ of (20)\_\_\_\_\_ (21)\_\_\_\_\_ stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (22)\_\_\_\_\_ you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



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### Answer

1. quick
2. deep
3. cops
4. close
5. long
6. baby
7. found
8. lost
9. pill
10. house
11. blunt
12. warm
13. poison
14. through
15. fence
16. magazine
17. lures
18. clean
19. blood
20. Christ
21. mountain
22. lost