



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a (1)_____ wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of (2)_____ (3)_____ light eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when the cops close the fair,

I cut my (4)_____ baby hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and (5)_____ for you everywhere.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (6)_____ you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat (7)_____ cat

Nursing my sore blunt tongue

Watching the (8)_____ poison rats

curl through the wide fence cracks.

Pissing on (9)_____ photos.

Those (10)_____ lures thrown in the cold

and (11)_____ (12)_____ of (13)_____ (14)_____ stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big (15)_____ looming.



Answer

1. quick
2. your
3. street
4. long
5. called
6. lost
7. house
8. warm
9. magazine
10. fishing
11. clean
12. blood
13. Christ
14. mountain
15. pill

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