



Fill in the gaps

The Sound of Silence by Simon and Garfunkel

Hello, darkness, my old friend
I've come to talk with you again
Because a vision softly creeping
Left its seeds (1)_____ I was sleeping
And the vision
That was planted in my brain
Still remains
Within the (2)_____ of silence
In restless dreams I walked alone
Narrow (3)_____ of cobblestone
Beneath the halo of a street lamp
I turned my collar to the (4)_____ and damp
When my eyes (5)_____ stabbed
By the flash of a (6)_____ light
That split the night
And touched the (7)_____ of silence
And in the naked light I saw
Ten (8)_____ people, (9)_____ more
People (10)_____ without speaking

People hearing without listening
People writing (11)_____ (12)_____
(13)_____ never share...
And no one dare
Disturb the sound of silence.
"Fools," (14)_____ I, "you do not know
Silence like a cancer grows."
"Hear my words that I (15)_____ (16)_____
you,
Take my (17)_____ (18)_____ I might
(19)_____ you."
But my words (20)_____ (21)_____ raindrops
fell,
And echoed in the (22)_____ of silence.
And the people bowed and prayed
To the neon god (23)_____ made.
And the sign (24)_____ out its warning
In the words that it was forming.
And the signs (25)_____ "The (26)_____ of the
prophets
Are written on the subway walls
And tenement halls,
And whisper'd in the sound of silence.



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Answer

1. while
2. sound
3. streets
4. cold
5. were
6. neon
7. sound
8. thousand
9. maybe
10. talking
11. songs
12. that
13. voices
14. said
15. might
16. teach
17. arms
18. that
19. reach
20. like
21. silent
22. wells
23. they
24. flashed
25. said:
26. words