

It's nine o'clock on a saturday the regular crowd shuffles in there's an old man sitting next to me makin' (1)\_\_\_\_\_ to his tonic and gin he say, son can you play me a memory i'm not really sure how it goes but it's sad and it's sweet and i knew it complete when i wore a younger man's clothes da da da de de da da da de de da da da sing us a song, you're the piano man sing us a song tonight well, we're all in the mood for a melody and you've got us feelin' alright now john at the bar is a friend of mine he gets me my drinks for free and he's quick with a joke or to light up your smoke but there's someplace that he'd rather be he says bill, i believe this is killing me as the smile ran away from his face well i'm sure that i could be a movie star get out of this place sing us a song, you're the piano man sing us a song tonight

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## Fill in the gaps

and you've got us feelin' alright
now paul is a real estate novelist
who never had time for a wife
and he's talking (3) davy who's still in the navy
and probably will be for life
and the waitress is (4) politics
as the (5) slowly get stoned
yes, they're sharing a drink they call loneliness
but it's better (6) drinking alone
it's a pretty good crowd for a saturday,
and the manager (7) me a smile
'cause he knows that it's me they've been coming to see
to forget about life for awhile.
and the piano sounds like a carnival
and the microphone smells like a beer
and they sit at the bar and put $(8)$ in my jar
and say "man, (9) are you doin' here?"
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and you've got us feelin' alright.



- 1. love
- 2. could
- 3. with
- 4. practicing
- 5. businessmen
- 6. than
- 7. gives
- 8. bread
- 9. what

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