

Fill in the gaps

It's nine o'clock on a saturday
the (1) crowd shuffles in
there's an old man sitting next to me
makin' (2) 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 de de da
da da de de 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 (3) that he'd rather be
he says bill, i believe this is killing me
as the smile ran away (4) his face
well i'm sure that i could be a movie star
if i could get out of this place
sing us a song, you're the piano man
sing us a song tonight
well, we're all in the (5) for a melody

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 with davy who's still in the navy and probably will be for life and the waitress is practicing politics as the businessmen slowly get stoned yes, they're sharing a drink they call loneliness but it's better than drinking alone it's a pretty good (6)_____ for a saturday, and the manager gives me a smile 'cause he (7)_____ that it's me they've been coming to to forget about life for awhile. and the (8)_____ sounds like a carnival and the (9)_____ smells like a beer and they sit at the bar and put bread in my jar and say "man, what are you doin' here?" 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.



- 1. regular
- 2. love
- 3. someplace
- 4. from
- 5. mood
- 6. crowd
- 7. knows
- 8. piano
- 9. microphone

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