



## Fill in the gaps

### The sound of silence by Simon & Garfunkel

Hello darkness, my old friend  
I've come to (1)\_\_\_\_\_ (2)\_\_\_\_\_ you again  
Because a (3)\_\_\_\_\_ softly creeping  
Left its seeds while I was sleeping  
And the vision that was planted in my brain  
Still remains  
(4)\_\_\_\_\_ the sound of (5)\_\_\_\_\_  
In restless dreams I walked alone  
Narrow streets of cobblestone  
Neath the halo of a street (6)\_\_\_\_\_  
I turned my collar to the cold and damp  
When my eyes were stabbed  
By the flash of a (7)\_\_\_\_\_ light  
(8)\_\_\_\_\_ split the (9)\_\_\_\_\_  
And touched the sound of silence.  
And in the naked light I saw  
Ten thousand people, (10)\_\_\_\_\_ more.  
People talking (11)\_\_\_\_\_ speaking  
People hearing (12)\_\_\_\_\_ listening  
People writing songs

That (13)\_\_\_\_\_ (14)\_\_\_\_\_ (15)\_\_\_\_\_  
  
And no one dare  
Disturb the sound of silence  
"Fools" (16)\_\_\_\_\_ I  
You do not (17)\_\_\_\_\_ (18)\_\_\_\_\_  
(19)\_\_\_\_\_ a cancer grows  
Hear my words that I might teach you  
Take my (20)\_\_\_\_\_ that I (21)\_\_\_\_\_  
(22)\_\_\_\_\_ you  
But my words like silent raindrops fell  
And echoed in the wells of silence  
And the people bowed and prayed  
To the neon god they made  
And the sign flashed out its warning  
In the words (23)\_\_\_\_\_ it was (24)\_\_\_\_\_  
And the sign said  
"The words of the prophets  
Are written on the subway (25)\_\_\_\_\_  
And tenement halls  
And (26)\_\_\_\_\_ in the sounds of silence"



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### Answer

1. talk
2. with
3. vision
4. Within
5. silence
6. lamp
7. neon
8. That
9. night
10. maybe
11. without
12. without
13. voices
14. never
15. share
16. said
17. know
18. silence
19. like
20. arms
21. might
22. reach
23. that
24. forming
25. walls
26. whispered