Behind The Wall by Tracy Chapman

Fill in the gaps

Last night I (1)____ __ the screaming Loud voices behind the wall Another sleepless night for me It won't do no good to call The police Always come late If (2)____ come at all Last night I heard the screaming Loud voices (3)_____ the wall Another sleepless (4)_____ for me It won't do no good to call The police Always come late If they come at all And when they arrive they say they can't interfere With domestic affairs

Between a man and his wife

And as they walk out the door
The tears (5) up in her eyes
Last night I heard the screaming
Then a silence that chilled my soul
Prayed that I was dreaming
When I saw the ambulance in the road
And the policeman said
'I'm here to (6) the peace
Will the crowd disperse
I think we all could use some sleep'
Last night I heard the screaming
Loud voices behind the wall
Another (7) night for me
It won't do no (8) to call
The police
Always come late
If they (9) at all



- 1. heard
- 2. they
- 3. behind
- 4. night
- 5. well
- 6. keep
- 7. sleepless
- 8. good
- 9. come

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