



## Fill in the gaps

### You Can Call Me AI by Paul Simon

A man walks down the street  
He says, Why am I (1)\_\_\_\_\_ in the middle now?  
Why am I soft in the middle?  
When the (2)\_\_\_\_\_ of my life is so hard!  
I need a photo-opportunity  
I want a (3)\_\_\_\_\_ at redemption  
Don't (4)\_\_\_\_\_ to end up a cartoon  
In a (5)\_\_\_\_\_ graveyard  
Bonedigger, Bonedigger,  
Dogs in the moonlight  
Far away, my well-lit door  
Mr. Beerbelly, Beerbelly  
Get (6)\_\_\_\_\_ (7)\_\_\_\_\_ away from me!  
You know, I don't find this (8)\_\_\_\_\_ amusing anymore  
If you'll be my bodyguard  
I can be your long (9)\_\_\_\_\_ pal  
I can (10)\_\_\_\_\_ you Betty  
And Betty, when you call me  
You can call me AI  
A man walks down the street  
He says, Why am I short of attention?  
Got a short (11)\_\_\_\_\_ span of attention  
And whoa, my nights are so long!  
Where's my wife and family?  
What if I die here?  
Who'll be my role-model?  
Now (12)\_\_\_\_\_ my role-model is  
Gone, gone  
He ducked (13)\_\_\_\_\_ (14)\_\_\_\_\_ the alley  
With (15)\_\_\_\_\_ roly-poly, (16)\_\_\_\_\_ bat-faced  
girl  
All along, along

There (17)\_\_\_\_\_ incidents and accidents  
There were (18)\_\_\_\_\_ and allegations  
If you'll be my bodyguard  
I can be your (19)\_\_\_\_\_ lost pal  
I can call you Betty  
And Betty, when you (20)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
You can call me AI  
Call me AI  
A man (21)\_\_\_\_\_ down the street  
It's a street in a strange world  
Maybe it's the (22)\_\_\_\_\_ World  
Maybe it's his first time around  
He doesn't speak the language  
He holds no currency  
He is a foreign man  
He is surrounded by the sound, sound  
Cattle in the marketplace  
Scatterlings and orphanages  
He looks around, around  
He sees angels in the architecture  
Spinning in infinity  
He says, Amen! and Hallelujah!  
If you'll be my bodyguard  
I can be your long (23)\_\_\_\_\_ pal  
I can call you Betty  
And Betty, when you (24)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
You can call me AI  
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Answer

1. soft
2. rest
3. shot
4. want
5. cartoon
6. these
7. mutts
8. stuff
9. lost
10. call
11. little
12. that
13. back
14. down
15. some
16. little
17. were
18. hints
19. long
20. call
21. walks
22. Third
23. lost
24. call