

## The Sound of Silence by Simon and Garfunkel

Hello, darkness, my old friend	People (13) without listening
I've come to (1) with you again	People (14) songs that voices never
Because a vision (2) creeping	share
Left its seeds (3) I was sleeping	And no one dare
And the vision	Disturb the sound of silence.
That was planted in my brain	"Fools," (15) I, "you do not know
Still remains	Silence like a cancer grows."
Within the sound of silence	"Hear my (16) (17) I might
In restless (4) I (5) alone	(18) you,
Narrow (6) of cobblestone	Take my arms that I might (19) you."
Beneath the (7) of a street lamp	But my words like (20) raindrops fell,
I turned my (8) to the (9) and	And (21) in the wells of silence.
damp	And the people bowed and prayed
When my (10) were stabbed	To the neon god they made.
By the flash of a neon light	And the sign (22) out its warning
That split the night	In the words that it was forming.
And touched the sound of silence	And the (23) said: "The words of the prophets
And in the (11) light I saw	Are written on the (24) walls
Ten thousand people, maybe more	And (25) halls,
People (12) without speaking	And whisper'd in the (26) of silence.



- 1. talk
- 2. softly
- 3. while
- 4. dreams
- 5. walked
- 6. streets
- 7. halo
- 8. collar
- 9. cold
- 10. eyes
- 11. naked
- 12. talking
- 13. hearing
- 14. writing
- 15. said
- 16. words
- 17. that
- 18. teach
- 19. reach
- 20. silent
- 21. echoed
- 22. flashed
- 23. signs
- 24. subway
- 25. tenement
- 26. sound

Fill in the gaps