



## Piano Man by Billy Joel

It's (1)\_\_\_\_\_ o'clock on a saturday  
the regular crowd shuffles in  
there's an old man (2)\_\_\_\_\_ next to me  
makin' love 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 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  
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 someplace that he'd rather be  
he says bill, i believe this is killing me  
as the smile ran away from 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 mood for a melody

### Fill in the gaps

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now paul is a real estate novelist  
who never had time for a wife  
and he's (3)\_\_\_\_\_ with davy who's still in the  
navy  
and (4)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 crowd for a saturday,  
and the manager gives me a smile  
'cause he knows (5)\_\_\_\_\_ it's me they've been coming to  
see  
to (6)\_\_\_\_\_ about (7)\_\_\_\_\_ for awhile.  
and the piano sounds like a carnival  
and the (8)\_\_\_\_\_ (9)\_\_\_\_\_ like  
a beer  
and they sit at the bar and put (10)\_\_\_\_\_ in my jar  
and say "man, what are you doin' here?"  
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**Answer**

1. nine
2. sitting
3. talking
4. probably
5. that
6. forget
7. life
8. microphone
9. smells
10. bread