



Fill in the gaps

Piano Man by Billy Joel

It's nine o'clock on a saturday
the regular crowd (1)_____ in
there's an old man sitting next to me
makin' (2)_____ 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 (3)_____ 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 (4)_____ me my (5)_____ for free
and he's quick (6)_____ a joke or to (7)_____ up
your smoke
but there's (8)_____ that he'd
(9)_____ be
he (10)_____ bill, i believe this is killing me
as the (11)_____ ran away from his face
well i'm sure that i (12)_____ 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

and you've got us feelin' alright
now paul is a real (13)_____ novelist
who (14)_____ had (15)_____ for a wife
and he's talking (16)_____ davy who's (17)_____
in the navy
and probably will be for life
and the waitress is practicing politics
as the (18)_____ slowly get stoned
yes, they're sharing a drink they (19)_____ loneliness
but it's better than drinking alone
it's a pretty good crowd for a saturday,
and the (20)_____ gives me a smile
'cause he knows (21)_____ it's me they've been
(22)_____ to see
to (23)_____ about life for awhile.
and the piano sounds like a carnival
and the microphone smells like a beer
and (24)_____ sit at the bar and put bread in my jar
and say "man, what are you doin' here?"
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.



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Answer

1. shuffles
2. love
3. piano
4. gets
5. drinks
6. with
7. light
8. someplace
9. rather
10. says
11. smile
12. could
13. estate
14. never
15. time
16. with
17. still
18. businessmen
19. call
20. manager
21. that
22. coming
23. forget
24. they