

## John Wayne Gacy Jr by Sufjan Stevens

His father was a drinker \_\_\_\_\_ in bed And his mother (1)\_\_\_\_ Folding John Wayne's t-shirts When the swingset hit his head The neighbors they adored him For his (2)\_\_\_\_\_ and his conversation Look underneath the house there Find the few (3)\_\_\_\_\_ things Rotting fast, in their sleep Oh, the dead Twenty-seven people Even more, (4) were boys With their cars, summer jobs Oh my God... Are you one of them? He dressed up like a clown for them

With his face paint white and red And on his best behavior In a dark (5)\_\_\_\_\_\_ on the bed He (6)\_\_\_\_\_\_ them all He'd kill ten (7)\_\_\_\_\_\_ people With a sleight of his hand Running far, running fast to the dead He took off all their clothes for them He put a cloth on their lips Quiet hands, quiet (8)\_\_\_\_\_ on the mouth... And in my best behavior I am really just like him Look beneath the floor boards For the secrets I have hid



- 1. cried
- 2. humor
- 3. living
- 4. they
- 5. room
- 6. kissed
- 7. thousand
- 8. kiss

## Fill in the gaps