



## Fill in the gaps

### Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of your street (1)\_\_\_\_\_ eyes

wide on my (2)\_\_\_\_\_ toys.

Then (3)\_\_\_\_\_ the cops (4)\_\_\_\_\_ the fair,

I cut my long (5)\_\_\_\_\_ hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and called for you everywhere.

Have I (6)\_\_\_\_\_ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (7)\_\_\_\_\_ you,

american mouth

big (8)\_\_\_\_\_ looming.

Now I'm a fat (9)\_\_\_\_\_ cat

Nursing my (10)\_\_\_\_\_ (11)\_\_\_\_\_ tongue

Watching the (12)\_\_\_\_\_ (13)\_\_\_\_\_ rats

curl (14)\_\_\_\_\_ the (15)\_\_\_\_\_ fence cracks.

Pissing on (16)\_\_\_\_\_ photos.

Those (17)\_\_\_\_\_ lures (18)\_\_\_\_\_ in the cold

and clean blood of (19)\_\_\_\_\_ (20)\_\_\_\_\_ stream.

Have I (21)\_\_\_\_\_ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



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### Answer

1. light
2. plastic
3. when
4. close
5. baby
6. found
7. lost
8. pill
9. house
10. sore
11. blunt
12. warm
13. poison
14. through
15. wide
16. magazine
17. fishing
18. thrown
19. Christ
20. mountain
21. found