



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a (1)_____ wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of your street light eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then (2)_____ the cops (3)_____ the fair,

I cut my long baby hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and called for you everywhere.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (4)_____ you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat (5)_____ cat

Nursing my sore blunt tongue

Watching the (6)_____ (7)_____ rats

curl through the wide (8)_____ cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those fishing lures thrown in the cold

and (9)_____ blood of Christ mountain stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



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Answer

1. quick
2. when
3. close
4. lost
5. house
6. warm
7. poison
8. fence
9. clean