



Fill in the gaps

The Sound of Silence by Simon and Garfunkel

Hello, darkness, my old friend
I've come to (1)_____ with you again
Because a vision softly creeping
Left its seeds (2)_____ I was sleeping
And the vision
That was (3)_____ in my brain
Still remains
Within the sound of silence
In restless (4)_____ I (5)_____ alone
Narrow (6)_____ of cobblestone
Beneath the halo of a street lamp
I turned my (7)_____ to the cold and damp
When my eyes were stabbed
By the flash of a neon light
That split the night
And touched the (8)_____ of silence
And in the (9)_____ (10)_____ I saw
Ten (11)_____ people, maybe more
People talking (12)_____ speaking

People hearing without listening
People (13)_____ songs that voices never
share...
And no one dare
Disturb the (14)_____ of silence.
"Fools," said I, "you do not know
Silence like a cancer grows."
"Hear my words (15)_____ I might (16)_____
you,
Take my arms (17)_____ I might reach you."
But my words (18)_____ (19)_____ raindrops
fell,
And echoed in the wells of silence.
And the (20)_____ (21)_____ and prayed
To the neon god (22)_____ made.
And the sign flashed out its warning
In the words that it was forming.
And the signs said: "The words of the prophets
Are (23)_____ on the (24)_____ walls
And tenement halls,
And whisper'd in the sound of silence.



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Answer

1. talk
2. while
3. planted
4. dreams
5. walked
6. streets
7. collar
8. sound
9. naked
10. light
11. thousand
12. without
13. writing
14. sound
15. that
16. teach
17. that
18. like
19. silent
20. people
21. bowed
22. they
23. written
24. subway