



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of (1)_____ (2)_____ light eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when the cops close 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 lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat house cat

Nursing my (3)_____ blunt tongue

Watching the warm (4)_____ rats

curl through the wide fence cracks.

Pissing on (5)_____ photos.

Those fishing (6)_____ thrown in the cold

and (7)_____ (8)_____ of Christ mountain stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (9)_____ you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



Answer

1. your
2. street
3. sore
4. poison
5. magazine
6. lures
7. clean
8. blood
9. lost

Fill in the gaps