



## Fill in the gaps

### Piano Man by Billy Joel

It's (1)\_\_\_\_\_ o'clock on a saturday  
the regular crowd (2)\_\_\_\_\_ in  
there's an old man sitting next to me  
makin' (3)\_\_\_\_\_ to his tonic and gin  
he say, son can you play me a memory  
i'm not (4)\_\_\_\_\_ (5)\_\_\_\_\_ how it goes  
but it's sad and it's sweet and i knew it complete  
when i wore a younger man's clothes  
da da da de de da  
da da de de da da da  
sing us a song, you're the piano man  
sing us a (6)\_\_\_\_\_ tonight  
well, we're all in the mood for a melody  
and you've got us feelin' alright  
now john at the bar is a (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of mine  
he (8)\_\_\_\_\_ me my (9)\_\_\_\_\_ for free  
and he's quick with a joke or to light up your smoke  
but there's someplace that he'd rather be  
he (10)\_\_\_\_\_ bill, i believe this is killing me  
as the (11)\_\_\_\_\_ ran away (12)\_\_\_\_\_ his face  
well i'm sure (13)\_\_\_\_\_ i could be a movie star  
if i could get out of this place  
sing us a song, you're the piano man  
sing us a song tonight  
well, we're all in the mood for a melody

and you've got us feelin' alright  
now paul is a (14)\_\_\_\_\_ estate novelist  
who never had (15)\_\_\_\_\_ for a wife  
and he's talking (16)\_\_\_\_\_ davy who's still in the navy  
and probably will be for life  
and the (17)\_\_\_\_\_ is practicing politics  
as the businessmen slowly get stoned  
yes, they're sharing a drink (18)\_\_\_\_\_ call loneliness  
but it's better than drinking alone  
it's a pretty good (19)\_\_\_\_\_ for a saturday,  
and the manager gives me a smile  
'cause he (20)\_\_\_\_\_ that it's me they've  
(21)\_\_\_\_\_ (22)\_\_\_\_\_ to see  
to forget about life for awhile.  
and the piano sounds like a carnival  
and the (23)\_\_\_\_\_ smells like a beer  
and they sit at the bar and put (24)\_\_\_\_\_ in my jar  
and say "man, what are you doin' here?"  
da da da de de da  
da da de de da da da  
sing us a song, you're the (25)\_\_\_\_\_ man  
sing us a song tonight.  
well, we're all in the mood for a melody  
and you've got us feelin' alright.



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### Answer

1. nine
2. shuffles
3. love
4. really
5. sure
6. song
7. friend
8. gets
9. drinks
10. says
11. smile
12. from
13. that
14. real
15. time
16. with
17. waitress
18. they
19. crowd
20. knows
21. been
22. coming
23. microphone
24. bread
25. piano