



## Fill in the gaps

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

I was a (1)\_\_\_\_\_ wet boy,

diving too (2)\_\_\_\_\_ for coins.

All of your street light eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

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

I cut my (5)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 sore blunt tongue

Watching the warm poison rats

curl (6)\_\_\_\_\_ the wide fence cracks.

Pissing on (7)\_\_\_\_\_ photos.

Those (8)\_\_\_\_\_ lures thrown in the cold

and clean 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. deep
3. when
4. close
5. long
6. through
7. magazine
8. fishing