



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 (2)_____ light eyes

wide on my (3)_____ toys.

Then (4)_____ 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 sore blunt tongue

Watching the warm poison rats

curl through the (5)_____ fence cracks.

Pissing on (6)_____ photos.

Those fishing (7)_____ (8)_____ in the cold

and clean blood of Christ mountain stream.

Have I (9)_____ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big (10)_____ looming.



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Answer

1. quick
2. street
3. plastic
4. when
5. wide
6. magazine
7. lures
8. thrown
9. found
10. pill