

## Fill in the gaps

It's nine o'clock on a saturday		
the regular crowd shuffles in		
there's an old man sitting next to me		
makin' love to his tonic and gin		
he say, son can you play me a memory		
i'm not really (1) 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		
sing us a song, you're the piano man		
sing us a song tonight		
well, we're all in the (2) for a melody		
and you've got us feelin' alright		
now john at the bar is a friend of mine		
he gets me my drinks for free		
and he's quick with a (3) or to light up		
(4) smoke		
but there's someplace that he'd rather be		
he says bill, i believe (5) is killing me		
as the (6) ran away from his face		
well i'm sure that i (7) be a movie star		
if i could get out of this place		
sing us a song, you're the piano man		
sing us a (8) tonight		
well, we're all in the mood for a melody		

and you've got us reelin airight		
now paul is a real estate novelist		
who never had time for a wife		
and he's talking with davy who's still in the navy		
and probably will be for life		
and the (9)	is practicing politics	
as the businessmen slowly get stoned		
yes, they're sharing a drink they call loneliness		
but it's better than drinking alone		
it's a pretty good (10)	for a saturday,	
and the manager gives me a smile		
cause he knows that it's me they've been coming to see		
to forget about life for awhile.		
and the piano sounds like a carnival		
and the microphone smells like a beer		
and they sit at the bar and put bread in my jar		
and say "man, what are you doi	n' here?"	
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da da de de da da		
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.		



- 1. sure
- 2. mood
- 3. joke
- 4. your
- 5. this
- 6. smile
- 7. could
- 8. song
- 9. waitress
- 10. crowd

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