



Fill in the gaps

Piano Man by Billy Joel

It's nine o'clock on a Saturday
the (1)_____ (2)_____ 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 sure how it goes
but it's sad and it's (3)_____ 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 (4)_____ 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 friend of mine
he gets me my drinks for free
and he's quick with a (5)_____ or to (6)_____ up
(7)_____ smoke
but there's someplace (8)_____ he'd rather be
he says bill, i believe this is killing me
as the smile ran away (9)_____ his face
well i'm sure that i could be a movie star
if i could get out of (10)_____ place
sing us a song, you're the piano man
sing us a (11)_____ tonight
well, we're all in the mood for a melody

and you've got us feelin' alright
now (12)_____ is a (13)_____ estate novelist
who never had (14)_____ for a wife
and he's talking with (15)_____ who's still in the navy
and probably will be for life
and the (16)_____ is
(17)_____ 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 knows that it's me they've been coming to see
to (20)_____ (21)_____ life for awhile.
and the piano sounds (22)_____ a carnival
and the microphone (23)_____ like a beer
and they sit at the bar and put bread 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 (24)_____ man
sing us a song tonight.
well, we're all in the (25)_____ for a melody
and you've got us feelin' alright.



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Answer

1. regular
2. crowd
3. sweet
4. song
5. joke
6. light
7. your
8. that
9. from
10. this
11. song
12. paul
13. real
14. time
15. davy
16. waitress
17. practicing
18. they
19. crowd
20. forget
21. about
22. like
23. smells
24. piano
25. mood