



Fill in the gaps

Piano Man by Billy Joel

It's nine o'clock on a saturday
the regular crowd shuffles in
there's an old man (1)_____ (2)_____ 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 (4)_____ 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 song 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 (5)_____ of mine
he gets me my drinks 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 says bill, i (6)_____ (7)_____ is killing me
as the smile ran away from his face
well i'm sure that i could be a movie star
if i could get out of this place
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now paul is a (8)_____ estate novelist
who never had (9)_____ for a wife
and he's (10)_____ with davy who's
(11)_____ in the navy
and probably (12)_____ be for life
and the waitress is practicing politics
as the (13)_____ (14)_____
get stoned
yes, they're sharing a (15)_____ they call loneliness
but it's better than (16)_____ alone
it's a pretty good (17)_____ for a saturday,
and the manager (18)_____ me a smile
'cause he knows (19)_____ 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 (20)_____ sit at the bar and put bread in my jar
and say "man, what are you doin' here?"
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da da de de da da da
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sing us a song tonight.
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and you've got us feelin' alright.



Answer

1. sitting
2. next
3. sweet
4. wore
5. friend
6. believe
7. this
8. real
9. time
10. talking
11. still
12. will
13. businessmen
14. slowly
15. drink
16. drinking
17. crowd
18. gives
19. that
20. they

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