



## Fill in the gaps

### The sound of silence by Simon & Garfunkel

Hello darkness, my old friend  
I've come to talk with you again  
Because a vision softly creeping  
Left its seeds (1)\_\_\_\_\_ I was sleeping  
And the vision that was planted in my (2)\_\_\_\_\_  
Still remains  
Within the sound of silence  
In restless (3)\_\_\_\_\_ I walked alone  
Narrow streets of cobblestone  
Neath the halo of a street (4)\_\_\_\_\_  
I turned my (5)\_\_\_\_\_ to the cold and damp  
When my eyes were stabbed  
By the flash of a (6)\_\_\_\_\_ (7)\_\_\_\_\_  
That (8)\_\_\_\_\_ the night  
And touched the sound of silence.  
And in the naked (9)\_\_\_\_\_ I saw  
Ten thousand people, maybe more.  
People talking (10)\_\_\_\_\_ speaking  
People (11)\_\_\_\_\_ (12)\_\_\_\_\_  
listening  
(13)\_\_\_\_\_ writing songs

That (14)\_\_\_\_\_ (15)\_\_\_\_\_ share  
And no one (16)\_\_\_\_\_  
(17)\_\_\_\_\_ the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ of silence  
"Fools" said I  
You do not know silence like a cancer grows  
Hear my words (19)\_\_\_\_\_ I might teach you  
Take my (20)\_\_\_\_\_ that I might (21)\_\_\_\_\_ you  
But my words like silent raindrops fell  
And echoed in the wells of silence  
And the (22)\_\_\_\_\_ bowed and prayed  
To the (23)\_\_\_\_\_ god they made  
And the sign (24)\_\_\_\_\_ out its warning  
In the words that it was forming  
And the sign said  
"The words of the prophets  
Are written on the subway (25)\_\_\_\_\_  
And tenement halls  
And (26)\_\_\_\_\_ in the sounds of silence"



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**Answer**

1. while
2. brain
3. dreams
4. lamp
5. collar
6. neon
7. light
8. split
9. light
10. without
11. hearing
12. without
13. People
14. voices
15. never
16. dare
17. Disturb
18. sound
19. that
20. arms
21. reach
22. people
23. neon
24. flashed
25. walls
26. whispered