



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of (1)_____ street (2)_____ eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when 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 (3)_____ you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat house cat

Nursing my sore (4)_____ tongue

Watching the warm (5)_____ rats

curl (6)_____ the (7)_____ (8)_____ cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those fishing lures thrown in the cold

and (9)_____ (10)_____ of Christ mountain stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



Answer

1. your
2. light
3. lost
4. blunt
5. poison
6. through
7. wide
8. fence
9. clean
10. blood

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