



## Fill in the gaps

### Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too (1)\_\_\_\_\_ for coins.

All of your (2)\_\_\_\_\_ (3)\_\_\_\_\_ eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when the (4)\_\_\_\_\_ close the fair,

I cut my long (5)\_\_\_\_\_ hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and (6)\_\_\_\_\_ for you everywhere.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat house cat

Nursing my (7)\_\_\_\_\_ blunt tongue

Watching the warm poison rats

curl (8)\_\_\_\_\_ the wide fence cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those fishing lures thrown in the cold

and clean blood of (9)\_\_\_\_\_ (10)\_\_\_\_\_ stream.

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Answer

1. deep
2. street
3. light
4. cops
5. baby
6. called
7. sore
8. through
9. Christ
10. mountain