



## Fill in the gaps

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

I was a quick wet boy,

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

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

wide on my plastic toys.

Then (4)\_\_\_\_\_ the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat house cat

Nursing my sore blunt tongue

Watching the warm (6)\_\_\_\_\_ rats

curl through the wide (7)\_\_\_\_\_ cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those fishing lures thrown in the cold

and clean blood of (8)\_\_\_\_\_ mountain stream.

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Answer

1. deep
2. your
3. street
4. when
5. cops
6. poison
7. fence
8. Christ