



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a (1)_____ wet boy,

diving too (2)_____ for coins.

All of your (3)_____ (4)_____ eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when the (5)_____ close the fair,

I cut my long baby hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and called for you everywhere.

Have I (6)_____ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat (7)_____ cat

Nursing my (8)_____ blunt tongue

Watching the warm (9)_____ rats

curl (10)_____ the wide (11)_____ cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those (12)_____ lures (13)_____ in the cold

and (14)_____ (15)_____ of (16)_____ mountain stream.

Have I (17)_____ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (18)_____ you,

american mouth

big (19)_____ looming.



Answer

1. quick
2. deep
3. street
4. light
5. cops
6. found
7. house
8. sore
9. poison
10. through
11. fence
12. fishing
13. thrown
14. clean
15. blood
16. Christ
17. found
18. lost
19. pill

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