



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)_____ street (3)_____ eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when the (4)_____ (5)_____ the fair,

I cut my long (6)_____ hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and (7)_____ for you everywhere.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (8)_____ you,

american mouth

big (9)_____ looming.

Now I'm a fat (10)_____ cat

Nursing my (11)_____ blunt tongue

Watching the (12)_____ poison rats

curl (13)_____ the (14)_____ fence cracks.

Pissing on (15)_____ photos.

Those fishing lures thrown in the cold

and clean blood of (16)_____ (17)_____ stream.

Have I (18)_____ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



Answer

1. deep
2. your
3. light
4. cops
5. close
6. baby
7. called
8. lost
9. pill
10. house
11. sore
12. warm
13. through
14. wide
15. magazine
16. Christ
17. mountain
18. found

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