



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a (1)_____ wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of your (2)_____ light eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then (3)_____ the cops (4)_____ 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 (5)_____ blunt tongue

Watching the warm poison rats

curl through the wide fence cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those fishing (6)_____ (7)_____ in the cold

and clean blood of Christ (8)_____ stream.

Have I found you

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big pill looming.



Answer

1. quick
2. street
3. when
4. close
5. sore
6. lures
7. thrown
8. mountain

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