



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of (1)_____ street light eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then (2)_____ the cops 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 (3)_____ looming.

Now I'm a fat house cat

Nursing my (4)_____ (5)_____ tongue

Watching the (6)_____ poison rats

curl through the wide (7)_____ cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those fishing (8)_____ thrown in the cold

and clean (9)_____ of Christ mountain stream.

Have I (10)_____ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



Answer

1. your
2. when
3. pill
4. sore
5. blunt
6. warm
7. fence
8. lures
9. blood
10. found

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