



Piano Man by Billy Joel

Fill in the gaps

It's nine o'clock on a saturday
the regular crowd shuffles in
there's an old man sitting next to me
makin' love to his (1)_____ and gin
he say, son can you play me a memory
i'm not really sure how it goes
but it's sad and it's sweet and i knew it complete
when i wore a (2)_____ man's clothes
da da da de de da
da da de de da da da
sing us a song, you're the (3)_____ man
sing us a song tonight
well, we're all in the mood for a melody
and you've got us feelin' alright
now john at the bar is a friend of mine
he gets me my drinks for free
and he's quick with a joke or to light up your smoke
but there's someplace that he'd rather be
he says bill, i believe this is killing me
as the smile ran away from his face
well i'm (4)_____ that i could be a movie star
if i could get out of this place
sing us a song, you're the piano man
sing us a song tonight
well, we're all in the (5)_____ for a melody

and you've got us feelin' alright
now paul is a (6)_____ estate novelist
who never had time for a wife
and he's (7)_____ with (8)_____ who's still
in the navy
and (9)_____ will be for life
and the (10)_____ is
(11)_____ politics
as the (12)_____ slowly get stoned
yes, they're sharing a drink (13)_____ call loneliness
but it's better than (14)_____ alone
it's a pretty (15)_____ crowd for a saturday,
and the manager (16)_____ me a smile
'cause he knows (17)_____ it's me they've
(18)_____ coming to see
to (19)_____ about (20)_____ for awhile.
and the piano sounds (21)_____ a carnival
and the microphone smells (22)_____ a beer
and they sit at the bar and put bread in my jar
and say "man, what are you doin' here?"
da da da de de da
da da de de da da da
sing us a song, you're the piano man
sing us a (23)_____ tonight.
well, we're all in the mood for a melody
and you've got us feelin' alright.



Fill in the gaps

Answer

1. tonic
2. younger
3. piano
4. sure
5. mood
6. real
7. talking
8. davy
9. probably
10. waitress
11. practicing
12. businessmen
13. they
14. drinking
15. good
16. gives
17. that
18. been
19. forget
20. life
21. like
22. like
23. song