



Fill in the gaps

Streets Of London by Ralph McTell

Have you seen the old man
In the closed down market
Kicking up the papers with his worn out shoes
In his eyes you see no pride
Hand held (1)_____ at his side
Yesterday's (2)_____ telling yesterday's news
So how can you tell me you're lonely
And say for you that the sun don't shine
Let me take you by the hand
And lead you through the streets of London
I'll show you something
To make you change your mind
Have you seen the old girl
Who walks the (3)_____ of London
Dirt in her hair and her clothes in rags
She's no time for talking
She just keeps right on walking
Carrying her (4)_____ in two carrier bags
So how can you tell me you're lonely
And say for you that the sun don't shine
Let me take you by the hand
And lead you through the streets of London
I'll show you something
To make you change your mind
In the all night cafe at a quarter past eleven
Same old man sitting there on his own
Looking at the world over the rim of his tea cup
And each tea lasts an hour
And he wanders home alone

So how can you tell me you're lonely
And say for you (5)_____ the sun don't shine
Let me take you by hand
And lead you through the streets of London
I'll show you something
To make you change your mind
Have you seen the old man
Outside the seaman's mission
Memory (6)_____ with
The medal ribbons that he wears
And in our winter city the rain cries a little pity
For one more (7)_____ hero
And a (8)_____ that doesn't care
...
So how can you tell me you're lonely
And say for you that the sun don't shine
Let me take you by the hand
And lead you through the (9)_____ of London
I'll show you something
To make you change your mind
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How can you tell me you're lonely
And say for you that the sun don't shine
Let me take you by the hand
And lead you through the streets of London
I'll show you something
To make you (10)_____ your mind



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Answer

1. loosely
2. paper
3. streets
4. home
5. that
6. fading
7. forgotten
8. world
9. streets
10. change