



Rewrite by Paul Simon

## Fill in the gaps

I'm workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
I'm gonna change the ending  
Go through in the title  
And (1)\_\_\_\_\_ it in the trash  
Every minute after midnight  
All the time I'm spending  
Is just for workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
Gonna (2)\_\_\_\_\_ it into cash  
I been workin' at the car wash  
I consider it my day job  
'Cause it's really not a pay job  
But that's (3)\_\_\_\_\_ I am  
(4)\_\_\_\_\_ (5)\_\_\_\_\_  
"The old guy workin' at the car wash?"  
Hasn't got a brain cell left  
Since Vietnam  
And I say  
Help me, help me  
Help me, (6)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
Thank you!  
I'd no idea  
(7)\_\_\_\_\_ you were there  
(8)\_\_\_\_\_ I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ help me, help me  
Help me, help me  
Thank you  
For listening to my prayer  
I'm workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
I'm gonna (10)\_\_\_\_\_ the ending

Go through in the title  
And toss it in the trash  
Every (11)\_\_\_\_\_ after midnight  
All the time I'm spending  
Is (12)\_\_\_\_\_ for workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
Gonna (13)\_\_\_\_\_ it into cash  
I'll (14)\_\_\_\_\_ the pages  
(15)\_\_\_\_\_ the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ has a breakdown  
And he has to (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the family  
But he (18)\_\_\_\_\_ meant no harm  
I'm gonna (19)\_\_\_\_\_ a car chase  
And a race across the rooftops  
Where the father saves the children  
And he holds them in his arms  
And I say  
Help me, help me  
Help me, help me  
Thank you!  
I'd no idea  
That you were there  
When I (20)\_\_\_\_\_ help me, help me  
Help me, help me  
Thank you  
For listening to my prayer  
I'm workin' on my rewrite  
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### Answer

1. toss
2. turn
3. where
4. Everybody
5. says
6. help
7. That
8. When
9. said
10. change
11. minute
12. just
13. turn
14. eliminate
15. Where
16. father
17. leave
18. really
19. substitute
20. said