



## Fill in the gaps

### The sound of silence by Simon & Garfunkel

Hello darkness, my old friend

I've (1)\_\_\_\_\_ to talk with you again

Because a vision (2)\_\_\_\_\_ creeping

Left its seeds (3)\_\_\_\_\_ I was sleeping

And the (4)\_\_\_\_\_ that was planted in my brain

Still remains

Within the sound of silence

In (5)\_\_\_\_\_ dreams I walked alone

Narrow (6)\_\_\_\_\_ of cobblestone

Neath the (7)\_\_\_\_\_ of a street lamp

I turned my collar to the cold and damp

When my eyes were stabbed

By the (8)\_\_\_\_\_ of a neon light

(9)\_\_\_\_\_ (10)\_\_\_\_\_ the (11)\_\_\_\_\_

And (12)\_\_\_\_\_ the sound of silence.

And in the naked light I saw

Ten thousand people, maybe more.

(13)\_\_\_\_\_ talking without (14)\_\_\_\_\_

People hearing without listening

People writing songs

(15)\_\_\_\_\_ (16)\_\_\_\_\_ (17)\_\_\_\_\_

(18)\_\_\_\_\_

And no one dare

Disturb the sound of silence

"Fools" said I

You do not know silence like a cancer grows

Hear my (19)\_\_\_\_\_ that I (20)\_\_\_\_\_ teach you

Take my arms that I (21)\_\_\_\_\_ (22)\_\_\_\_\_ you

But my words like silent raindrops fell

And echoed in the wells of silence

And the people bowed and (23)\_\_\_\_\_

To the (24)\_\_\_\_\_ god (25)\_\_\_\_\_ (26)\_\_\_\_\_

And the sign flashed out its warning

In the words that it was (27)\_\_\_\_\_

And the sign said

"The (28)\_\_\_\_\_ of the prophets

Are written on the (29)\_\_\_\_\_ walls

And tenement halls

And whispered in the sounds of silence"



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### Answer

1. come
2. softly
3. while
4. vision
5. restless
6. streets
7. halo
8. flash
9. That
10. split
11. night
12. touched
13. People
14. speaking
15. That
16. voices
17. never
18. share
19. words
20. might
21. might
22. reach
23. prayed
24. neon
25. they
26. made
27. forming
28. words
29. subway