

People writing songs

# Fill in the gaps

## The sound of silence by Simon & Garfunkel

| Hello darkness, my old friend           | That voices never share                 |
|---|---|
| I've (1) to talk (2) you again          | And no one dare                         |
| (3) a vision softly creeping            | Disturb the sound of silence            |
| Left its (4) while I was sleeping       | "Fools" said I                          |
| And the (5) (6) was planted in my       | You do not (20) (21)                    |
| brain                                   | (22) a cancer grows                     |
| Still remains                           | Hear my words that I might teach you    |
| (7) the sound of silence                | Take my arms that I (23) reach you      |
| In restless dreams I walked (8)         | But my words like silent (24) fell      |
| Narrow (9) of                           | And echoed in the wells of silence      |
| (10)                                    | And the people (25) and prayed          |
| (11) the halo of a street lamp          | To the neon god they (26)               |
| I turned my collar to the cold and damp | And the sign flashed out its (27)       |
| (12) my (13) were stabbed               | In the words that it was forming        |
| By the flash of a neon (14)             | And the (28) said                       |
| That (15) the night                     | "The words of the prophets              |
| And touched the sound of silence.       | Are written on the subway walls         |
| And in the (16) light I saw             | And tenement halls                      |
| Ten thousand people, maybe more.        | And whispered in the sounds of silence" |
| (17)(18)                                |   |
| (19) speaking                           |   |
| People hearing without listening        |   |

### 1. come

- 2. with
- 3. Because
- 4. seeds
- 5. vision
- 6. that
- 7. Within
- 8. alone
- 9. streets
- 10. cobblestone
- 11. Neath
- 12. When
- 13. eyes
- 14. light
- 15. split
- 16. naked
- 17. People
- 18. talking
- 19. without
- 20. know
- 21. silence
- 22. like
- 23. might
- 24. raindrops
- 25. bowed
- 26. made
- 27. warning
- 28. sign

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