



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a (1)_____ wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of your street (2)_____ eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when the cops close the fair,

I cut my (3)_____ baby hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and (4)_____ for you everywhere.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat (5)_____ cat

Nursing my sore blunt tongue

Watching the (6)_____ (7)_____ rats

curl (8)_____ the wide fence cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those fishing (9)_____ thrown in the cold

and clean blood of Christ (10)_____ stream.

Have I found you

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weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



Answer

1. quick
2. light
3. long
4. called
5. house
6. warm
7. poison
8. through
9. lures
10. mountain

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