



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too (1)_____ for coins.

All of your street (2)_____ eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when the cops close the fair,

I cut my long (3)_____ 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 house cat

Nursing my (5)_____ blunt tongue

Watching the (6)_____ poison rats

curl through the wide fence cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those fishing lures thrown in the cold

and (7)_____ blood of (8)_____ mountain stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (9)_____ you,

american mouth

big (10)_____ looming.



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Answer

1. deep
2. light
3. baby
4. called
5. sore
6. warm
7. clean
8. Christ
9. lost
10. pill