



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of your (1)_____ light eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when the cops close the fair,

I cut my (2)_____ baby hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and called for you everywhere.

Have I (3)_____ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat (4)_____ cat

Nursing my (5)_____ blunt tongue

Watching the warm (6)_____ rats

curl through the wide fence cracks.

Pissing on (7)_____ photos.

Those fishing lures thrown in the cold

and (8)_____ blood of (9)_____ mountain stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



Answer

1. street
2. long
3. found
4. house
5. sore
6. poison
7. magazine
8. clean
9. Christ

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