



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 street light eyes
wide on my plastic toys.
Then when the cops (1)_____ the fair,
I cut my (2)_____ baby hair
Stole me a dog-eared map
and (3)_____ for you everywhere.
Have I (4)_____ you
Flightless bird, jealous,
weeping or lost you,
american mouth
big (5)_____ looming.
Now I'm a fat house cat
Nursing my sore blunt tongue
Watching the warm poison rats
curl through the wide fence cracks.
Pissing on magazine photos.
Those (6)_____ lures thrown in the cold
and clean blood of Christ mountain stream.
Have I found you
Flightless bird, jealous,
weeping or (7)_____ you,
american mouth
big (8)_____ looming.



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Answer

1. close
2. long
3. called
4. found
5. pill
6. fishing
7. lost
8. pill