# Fill in the gaps

## Piano Man by Billy Joel

It's nine o'clock on a saturday
the regular crowd shuffles in
there's an old man sitting next to me
makin' love to his tonic and gin
he say, son can you play me a memory
i'm not really sure how it goes
but it's sad and it's sweet and i knew it complete
when i wore a younger man's clothes
da da da de de da
da da de de da da da
sing us a song, you're the (1)_____ man
sing us a song tonight
well, we're all in the mood for a melody
and you've got us feelin' alright
now john at the bar is a friend of mine
he gets me my drinks for free
and he's quick with a joke or to light up your smoke
but there's someplace (2)_____ he'd rather be
he says bill, i believe this is killing me
as the smile ran (3)_____ from his face
well i'm sure that i could be a movie star
if i (4)_____ get out of this place
sing us a song, you're the piano man
sing us a song tonight
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and you've got us feelin' alright
now paul is a real estate novelist
who never had time for a wife
and he's talking with davy who's still in the navy
and probably will be for life
and the waitress is practicing politics
as the businessmen (5)_____ get stoned
yes, they're sharing a drink (6)_____ call loneliness
but it's better than drinking alone
it's a pretty good crowd for a saturday,
and the manager (7)_____ me a smile
'cause he knows that it's me they've been coming to see
to (8)_____ about life for awhile.
and the piano sounds like a carnival
and the microphone smells like a beer
and they sit at the bar and put (9)_____ in my jar
and say "man, (10)_____ are you doin' here?"
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## Answer

1. piano
2. that
3. away
4. could
5. slowly
6. they
7. gives
8. forget
9. bread
10. what