

People writing songs

## Fill in the gaps

## The sound of silence by Simon & Garfunkel

(1) darkness, my old friend	That voices never (7)
I've (2) to talk with you again	And no one dare
(3) a vision (4) creeping	Disturb the sound of silence
Left its seeds while I was sleeping	"Fools" said I
And the vision that was planted in my brain	You do not know silence like a cancer grows
Still remains	(8) my words that I might teach you
Within the sound of silence	Take my arms that I (9) reach you
In restless dreams I walked alone	But my words like silent raindrops fell
Narrow streets of cobblestone	And echoed in the wells of silence
Neath the (5) of a street lamp	And the people bowed and prayed
I turned my (6) to the cold and damp	To the neon god they made
When my eyes were stabbed	And the sign flashed out its warning
By the flash of a neon light	In the words that it was forming
That split the night	And the sign said
And touched the sound of silence.	"The words of the prophets
And in the naked light I saw	Are written on the subway (10)
Ten thousand people, maybe more.	And tenement halls
People talking without speaking	And whispered in the sounds of silence"
People hearing without listening	



- 1. Hello
- 2. come
- 3. Because
- 4. softly
- 5. halo
- 6. collar
- 7. share
- 8. Hear
- 9. might
- 10. walls

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