



## 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 (1)\_\_\_\_\_ eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then (2)\_\_\_\_\_ the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ close the fair,

I cut my (4)\_\_\_\_\_ baby hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and called 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 sore (5)\_\_\_\_\_ tongue

Watching the (6)\_\_\_\_\_ poison rats

curl (7)\_\_\_\_\_ the wide fence cracks.

Pissing on (8)\_\_\_\_\_ photos.

Those fishing lures thrown in the cold

and clean blood of Christ mountain stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



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Answer

1. light
2. when
3. cops
4. long
5. blunt
6. warm
7. through
8. magazine