



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a (1)_____ wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of (2)_____ street light eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when the (3)_____ close the fair,

I cut my long baby hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and called for you everywhere.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (4)_____ you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat (5)_____ cat

Nursing my sore blunt tongue

Watching the warm poison rats

curl (6)_____ the wide fence cracks.

Pissing on (7)_____ photos.

Those fishing lures thrown in the cold

and clean blood of (8)_____ mountain stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (9)_____ you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



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Answer

1. quick
2. your
3. cops
4. lost
5. house
6. through
7. magazine
8. Christ
9. lost