



Rewrite by Paul Simon

## Fill in the gaps

I'm workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
I'm (1)\_\_\_\_\_ change the ending  
Go through in the title  
And toss it in the trash  
Every minute (2)\_\_\_\_\_ midnight  
All the time I'm spending  
Is just for workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
Gonna turn it into cash  
I been workin' at the car wash  
I consider it my day job  
'Cause it's really not a pay job  
But that's where I am  
(3)\_\_\_\_\_ says  
"The old guy workin' at the car wash?"  
Hasn't got a brain cell left  
(4)\_\_\_\_\_ Vietnam  
And I say  
Help me, help me  
Help me, help me  
(5)\_\_\_\_\_ you!  
I'd no idea  
That you (6)\_\_\_\_\_ there  
When I said help me, help me  
(7)\_\_\_\_\_ me, help me  
Thank you  
For (8)\_\_\_\_\_ to my prayer  
I'm workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
I'm gonna (9)\_\_\_\_\_ the ending

Go through in the title  
And toss it in the trash  
Every minute after midnight  
All the time I'm spending  
Is just for workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
Gonna turn it (10)\_\_\_\_\_ cash  
I'll (11)\_\_\_\_\_ the pages  
Where the father has a breakdown  
And he has to (12)\_\_\_\_\_ the family  
But he really meant no harm  
I'm gonna substitute a car chase  
And a race across the rooftops  
(13)\_\_\_\_\_ the (14)\_\_\_\_\_ (15)\_\_\_\_\_  
the children  
And he holds them in his arms  
And I say  
Help me, (16)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
Help me, (17)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
Thank you!  
I'd no idea  
That you were there  
When I said help me, help me  
Help me, help me  
Thank you  
For listening to my prayer  
I'm workin' on my rewrite  
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### Answer

1. gonna
2. after
3. Everybody
4. Since
5. Thank
6. were
7. Help
8. listening
9. change
10. into
11. eliminate
12. leave
13. Where
14. father
15. saves
16. help
17. help