



## Fill in the gaps

### The sound of silence by Simon & Garfunkel

Hello darkness, my old friend  
I've come to talk (1)\_\_\_\_\_ you again  
Because a vision (2)\_\_\_\_\_ creeping  
Left its (3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ I was sleeping  
And the vision that was planted in my brain  
Still remains  
Within the sound of (5)\_\_\_\_\_  
In restless (6)\_\_\_\_\_ I walked alone  
Narrow streets of cobblestone  
Neath the halo of a (7)\_\_\_\_\_ lamp  
I (8)\_\_\_\_\_ my collar to the cold and damp  
When my eyes (9)\_\_\_\_\_ stabbed  
By the flash of a neon light  
(10)\_\_\_\_\_ split the night  
And touched the sound of silence.  
And in the naked (11)\_\_\_\_\_ I saw  
Ten thousand people, (12)\_\_\_\_\_ more.  
People talking without speaking  
People hearing (13)\_\_\_\_\_  
(14)\_\_\_\_\_  
People writing songs

That voices never (15)\_\_\_\_\_  
And no one dare  
(16)\_\_\_\_\_ the sound of silence  
"Fools" said I  
You do not (17)\_\_\_\_\_ (18)\_\_\_\_\_ like a  
(19)\_\_\_\_\_ grows  
(20)\_\_\_\_\_ my words that I might teach you  
(21)\_\_\_\_\_ my arms that I might reach you  
But my words like silent raindrops (22)\_\_\_\_\_  
And echoed in the (23)\_\_\_\_\_ of silence  
And the (24)\_\_\_\_\_ bowed and prayed  
To the neon god they made  
And the sign flashed out its warning  
In the words that it was (25)\_\_\_\_\_  
And the sign said  
"The (26)\_\_\_\_\_ of the prophets  
Are written on the subway walls  
And tenement halls  
And whispered in the sounds of silence"



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### Answer

1. with
2. softly
3. seeds
4. while
5. silence
6. dreams
7. street
8. turned
9. were
10. That
11. light
12. maybe
13. without
14. listening
15. share
16. Disturb
17. know
18. silence
19. cancer
20. Hear
21. Take
22. fell
23. wells
24. people
25. forming
26. words