



## Fill in the gaps

### You Can Call Me AI by Paul Simon

A man walks down the street  
He says, Why am I (1)\_\_\_\_\_ in the middle now?  
Why am I soft in the middle?  
When the rest of my life is so hard!  
I need a photo-opportunity  
I want a shot at redemption  
Don't (2)\_\_\_\_\_ to end up a cartoon  
In a cartoon graveyard  
Bonedigger, Bonedigger,  
Dogs in the moonlight  
Far away, my well-lit door  
Mr. Beerbelly, Beerbelly  
Get these (3)\_\_\_\_\_ away from me!  
You know, I don't find this stuff amusing anymore  
If you'll be my bodyguard  
I can be your long lost pal  
I can call you Betty  
And Betty, (4)\_\_\_\_\_ you (5)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
You can call me AI  
A man walks down the street  
He says, Why am I short of attention?  
Got a short little span of attention  
And whoa, my nights are so long!  
Where's my (6)\_\_\_\_\_ and family?  
What if I die here?  
Who'll be my role-model?  
Now that my role-model is  
Gone, gone  
He (7)\_\_\_\_\_ (8)\_\_\_\_\_ (9)\_\_\_\_\_ the alley  
With (10)\_\_\_\_\_ roly-poly, (11)\_\_\_\_\_ bat-faced  
girl  
All along, along

There were (12)\_\_\_\_\_ and accidents  
There (13)\_\_\_\_\_ hints and allegations  
If you'll be my bodyguard  
I can be your long lost pal  
I can call you Betty  
And Betty, when you call me  
You can call me AI  
Call me AI  
A man (14)\_\_\_\_\_ down the street  
It's a street in a strange world  
Maybe it's the Third World  
Maybe it's his (15)\_\_\_\_\_ (16)\_\_\_\_\_ around  
He doesn't (17)\_\_\_\_\_ the language  
He holds no currency  
He is a (18)\_\_\_\_\_ man  
He is (19)\_\_\_\_\_ by the sound, sound  
Cattle in the marketplace  
Scatterlings and orphanages  
He (20)\_\_\_\_\_ around, around  
He (21)\_\_\_\_\_ angels in the architecture  
Spinning in infinity  
He says, Amen! and Hallelujah!  
If you'll be my bodyguard  
I can be your long (22)\_\_\_\_\_ pal  
I can call you Betty  
And Betty, when you (23)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
You can (24)\_\_\_\_\_ me AI  
You can call me AI  
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### Answer

1. soft
2. want
3. mutts
4. when
5. call
6. wife
7. ducked
8. back
9. down
10. some
11. little
12. incidents
13. were
14. walks
15. first
16. time
17. speak
18. foreign
19. surrounded
20. looks
21. sees
22. lost
23. call
24. call