



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too (1)_____ for coins.

All of (2)_____ street (3)_____ eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when the (4)_____ (5)_____ the fair,

I cut my (6)_____ (7)_____ hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and called for you everywhere.

Have I (8)_____ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (9)_____ you,

american mouth

big (10)_____ looming.

Now I'm a fat (11)_____ cat

Nursing my sore blunt tongue

Watching the warm poison rats

curl through the (12)_____ fence cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those (13)_____ (14)_____ (15)_____ in the cold

and (16)_____ blood of Christ (17)_____ stream.

Have I (18)_____ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (19)_____ you,

american mouth

big (20)_____ looming.



Answer

1. deep
2. your
3. light
4. cops
5. close
6. long
7. baby
8. found
9. lost
10. pill
11. house
12. wide
13. fishing
14. lures
15. thrown
16. clean
17. mountain
18. found
19. lost
20. pill

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