You Can Call Me Al by Paul Simon

Fill in the gaps

A man walks down the street He says, Why am I soft in the middle now? Why am I soft in the middle? When the rest of my (1)_____ is so hard! I need a photo-opportunity I want a shot at redemption Don't want to end up a cartoon _____ graveyard In a (2)_ Bonedigger, Bonedigger, Dogs in the moonlight Far away, my well-lit door Mr. Beerbelly, Beerbelly Get these mutts away from me! You know, I don't find this stuff amusing anymore If you'll be my bodyguard I can be (3)___ ____ long (4)____ pal I can call you Betty And Betty, (5)_____ you call me You can call me Al 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 ducked back down the alley With some roly-poly, little bat-faced girl

All along, along

There were incidents and accidents
There were 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 Al
Call me Al
A man walks down the street
It's a street in a (7) world
Maybe it's the Third World
Maybe it's his (8) time around
He doesn't speak the language
He holds no currency
He is a (9) man
He is surrounded by the sound, sound
Cattle in the marketplace
Scatterlings and orphanages
He looks around, around
He sees angels in the architecture
Spinning in infinity
He says, Amen! and Hallelujah!
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 (10) me Al
You can call me Al



- 1. life
- 2. cartoon
- 3. your
- 4. lost
- 5. when
- 6. wife
- 7. strange
- 8. first
- 9. foreign
- 10. call

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