



## Fill in the gaps

### Sounds Of Silence by Simon and Garfunkel

Hello darkness, my old friend  
I've come to talk (1)\_\_\_\_\_ you again  
Because a vision softly creeping  
Left its seeds while I was sleeping  
And the (2)\_\_\_\_\_ that was (3)\_\_\_\_\_ in  
my brain  
Still remains  
Within the sound of silence  
In (4)\_\_\_\_\_ (5)\_\_\_\_\_ I  
(6)\_\_\_\_\_ alone  
Narrow streets of cobblestone  
'Neath the halo of a street lamp  
I turned my collar to the (7)\_\_\_\_\_ and damp  
When my (8)\_\_\_\_\_ were (9)\_\_\_\_\_ by the  
flash of a (10)\_\_\_\_\_ light  
That split the night  
And touched the sound of silence  
And in the naked light I saw  
Ten thousand people, maybe more  
People talking (11)\_\_\_\_\_ speaking  
People hearing without listening  
People (12)\_\_\_\_\_ songs that (13)\_\_\_\_\_  
never share

And no one dared  
Disturb the sound of silence  
"Fools", said I, "You do not know  
Silence like a cancer grows."  
"Hear my words (14)\_\_\_\_\_ I might (15)\_\_\_\_\_  
you,  
Take my arms (16)\_\_\_\_\_ I (17)\_\_\_\_\_ reach you."  
But my words, (18)\_\_\_\_\_ silent  
(19)\_\_\_\_\_ fell,  
And echoed In the wells of silence  
And the people (20)\_\_\_\_\_ and prayed  
To the neon god they made  
And the (21)\_\_\_\_\_ flashed out its warning  
In the (22)\_\_\_\_\_ that it was forming  
And the sign (23)\_\_\_\_\_ "The words of the prophets  
Are (24)\_\_\_\_\_ on the subway walls  
And (25)\_\_\_\_\_ halls,  
And whispered in the sounds of silence."



Answer

1. with
2. vision
3. planted
4. restless
5. dreams
6. walked
7. cold
8. eyes
9. stabbed
10. neon
11. without
12. writing
13. voices
14. that
15. teach
16. that
17. might
18. like
19. raindrops
20. bowed
21. sign
22. words
23. said:
24. written
25. tenement

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