

Fill in the gaps

You can have Manhattan
I know it's for the best
I'll gather up the avenues
And (1) them on your doorstep
And I'll tip toe away
So you won't have to say
You (2) me leave
You can have Manhattan
I know it's what you want
The bustle and the buildings
The (3) in the fall
And I'll bow out of place
To save you some space
For (4) new
You can have Manhattan
Because I can't have you
You can have Manhattan
The one we used to share
The one where we (5) laughing
And drunk on just being there
Hang on to the reverie

Could you do (6) for me?
Because I'm just too sad to
You can (7) Manhattan
Because I can't have you
And so it goes
One foot after the other
Till black and white begin to color in
And I (8) that holding us in place
Is simply fear
Of what's already changed
You can have Manhattan
I'll (9) for the beach
And sunsets facing (10)
With sand beneath my feet
I'll wish this away
Dismissing the days
When I was one half of two
You can have Manhattan
Because I can't have you



1. leave

- 2. heard
- 3. weather
- 4. somebody
- 5. were
- 6. that
- 7. have
- 8. know
- 9. settle
- 10. westward

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