



**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)\_\_\_\_\_ (3)\_\_\_\_\_ light eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then (4)\_\_\_\_\_ the (5)\_\_\_\_\_ (6)\_\_\_\_\_ the fair,

I cut my long (7)\_\_\_\_\_ hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and (8)\_\_\_\_\_ for you everywhere.

Have I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat (10)\_\_\_\_\_ cat

Nursing my (11)\_\_\_\_\_ (12)\_\_\_\_\_ tongue

Watching the warm poison rats

curl through the wide (13)\_\_\_\_\_ cracks.

Pissing on (14)\_\_\_\_\_ photos.

Those (15)\_\_\_\_\_ (16)\_\_\_\_\_ thrown in the cold

and clean blood of (17)\_\_\_\_\_ mountain stream.

Have I (18)\_\_\_\_\_ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big (19)\_\_\_\_\_ looming.



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**Answer**

1. deep
2. your
3. street
4. when
5. cops
6. close
7. baby
8. called
9. found
10. house
11. sore
12. blunt
13. fence
14. magazine
15. fishing
16. lures
17. Christ
18. found
19. pill