



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too (1)_____ for coins.

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

wide on my (4)_____ toys.

Then (5)_____ the (6)_____ close the fair,

I cut my (7)_____ baby hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and (8)_____ for you everywhere.

Have I (9)_____ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (10)_____ you,

american mouth

big (11)_____ looming.

Now I'm a fat (12)_____ cat

Nursing my sore (13)_____ tongue

Watching the (14)_____ poison rats

curl through the (15)_____ fence cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those (16)_____ lures thrown in the cold

and clean blood of (17)_____ (18)_____ stream.

Have I (19)_____ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (20)_____ you,

american mouth

big (21)_____ looming.



Answer

1. deep
2. street
3. light
4. plastic
5. when
6. cops
7. long
8. called
9. found
10. lost
11. pill
12. house
13. blunt
14. warm
15. wide
16. fishing
17. Christ
18. mountain
19. found
20. lost
21. pill

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