



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too deep for coins.

All of your street (1)_____ eyes

wide on my (2)_____ toys.

Then when the cops close the fair,

I cut my (3)_____ baby hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and called for you everywhere.

Have I (4)_____ you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.

Now I'm a fat house cat

Nursing my sore blunt tongue

Watching the (5)_____ poison rats

curl through the wide (6)_____ cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those fishing lures thrown in the cold

and clean blood of (7)_____ (8)_____ stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



Answer

1. light
2. plastic
3. long
4. found
5. warm
6. fence
7. Christ
8. mountain

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