



## Honesty by Billy Joel

If you search for tenderness,  
It isn't hard to find  
You can have the love you (1)\_\_\_\_\_ to live  
But if you look for truthfulness,  
You might (2)\_\_\_\_\_ as (3)\_\_\_\_\_ be blind  
It always seems to be so (4)\_\_\_\_\_ to give  
Honesty is (5)\_\_\_\_\_ a lonely word  
Everyone is so untrue  
Honesty is (6)\_\_\_\_\_ ever heard  
And (7)\_\_\_\_\_ what I need from you  
I can always (8)\_\_\_\_\_ someone  
To say they sympathize  
If I (9)\_\_\_\_\_ my heart out on my sleeve  
But I don't want some pretty face  
To tell me pretty lies  
All I want is someone to believe  
Honesty is such a (10)\_\_\_\_\_ word  
Everyone is so untrue  
Honesty is (11)\_\_\_\_\_ ever heard  
And mostly (12)\_\_\_\_\_ I need from you

## Fill in the gaps

I can (13)\_\_\_\_\_ a lover  
I can (14)\_\_\_\_\_ a friend  
I can have security  
Until the (15)\_\_\_\_\_ end  
Anyone can comfort me  
With (16)\_\_\_\_\_ again  
I know, I know  
Whoa whoa  
When I'm (17)\_\_\_\_\_ (18)\_\_\_\_\_ of me,  
Don't be too concerned  
I won't ask for nothin' while I'm gone  
But when I (19)\_\_\_\_\_ sincerity,  
Tell me, where else can I turn?  
'Cause you're the one that I depend upon  
Honesty is (20)\_\_\_\_\_ a lonely word  
Everyone is so untrue  
Honesty is (21)\_\_\_\_\_ (22)\_\_\_\_\_ heard  
And (23)\_\_\_\_\_ what I need from you



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. need
2. just
3. well
4. hard
5. such
6. hardly
7. mostly
8. find
9. wear
10. lonely
11. hardly
12. what
13. find
14. find
15. bitter
16. promises
17. deep
18. inside
19. want
20. such
21. hardly
22. ever
23. mostly