



## Fill in the gaps

### Sounds Of Silence by Simon and Garfunkel

Hello darkness, my old friend  
I've come to talk with you again  
Because a (1)\_\_\_\_\_ softly creeping  
Left its seeds (2)\_\_\_\_\_ I was sleeping  
And the (3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ was planted in my  
brain  
Still remains  
Within the sound of silence  
In restless dreams I (5)\_\_\_\_\_ alone  
Narrow (6)\_\_\_\_\_ of cobblestone  
'Neath the halo of a street lamp  
I turned my (7)\_\_\_\_\_ to the (8)\_\_\_\_\_ and  
damp  
When my eyes were stabbed by the flash of a neon light  
That split the night  
And touched the sound of silence  
And in the naked light I saw  
Ten thousand people, maybe more  
People (9)\_\_\_\_\_ without speaking  
People hearing without listening  
People writing (10)\_\_\_\_\_ that (11)\_\_\_\_\_  
never share

And no one dared  
Disturb the sound of silence  
"Fools", said I, "You do not know  
Silence like a cancer grows."  
"Hear my (12)\_\_\_\_\_ that I might (13)\_\_\_\_\_  
you,  
Take my arms (14)\_\_\_\_\_ I might reach you."  
But my words, (15)\_\_\_\_\_ silent raindrops fell,  
And echoed In the wells of silence  
And the (16)\_\_\_\_\_ bowed and prayed  
To the (17)\_\_\_\_\_ god they made  
And the sign flashed out its warning  
In the words that it was forming  
And the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ (19)\_\_\_\_\_ "The  
(20)\_\_\_\_\_ of the prophets  
Are written on the subway walls  
And tenement halls,  
And whispered in the sounds of silence."



Answer

1. vision
2. while
3. vision
4. that
5. walked
6. streets
7. collar
8. cold
9. talking
10. songs
11. voices
12. words
13. teach
14. that
15. like
16. people
17. neon
18. sign
19. said:
20. words

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