



Rewrite by Paul Simon

## Fill in the gaps

I'm workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
I'm (1)\_\_\_\_\_ change the ending  
Go through in the title  
And (2)\_\_\_\_\_ it in the trash  
(3)\_\_\_\_\_ (4)\_\_\_\_\_ after midnight  
All the time I'm spending  
Is (5)\_\_\_\_\_ for workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
(6)\_\_\_\_\_ turn it into cash  
I (7)\_\_\_\_\_ workin' at the car wash  
I consider it my day job  
'Cause it's (8)\_\_\_\_\_ not a pay job  
But that's (9)\_\_\_\_\_ I am  
(10)\_\_\_\_\_ (11)\_\_\_\_\_  
"The old guy workin' at the car wash?"  
Hasn't got a (12)\_\_\_\_\_ cell left  
Since Vietnam  
And I say  
Help me, (13)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
Help me, help me  
Thank you!  
I'd no idea  
That you (14)\_\_\_\_\_ there  
When I (15)\_\_\_\_\_ help me, help me  
(16)\_\_\_\_\_ me, help me  
Thank you  
For listening to my prayer  
I'm workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
I'm gonna change the ending

Go (17)\_\_\_\_\_ in the title  
And toss it in the trash  
Every minute after midnight  
All the (18)\_\_\_\_\_ I'm spending  
Is just for workin' on my rewrite, that's right  
Gonna turn it into cash  
I'll eliminate the pages  
Where the (19)\_\_\_\_\_ has a breakdown  
And he has to leave the family  
But he really meant no harm  
I'm gonna substitute a car chase  
And a race (20)\_\_\_\_\_ the rooftops  
Where the father (21)\_\_\_\_\_ the children  
And he holds (22)\_\_\_\_\_ in his arms  
And I say  
Help me, help me  
Help me, (23)\_\_\_\_\_ me  
Thank you!  
I'd no idea  
That you were there  
When I said (24)\_\_\_\_\_ me, help me  
Help me, help me  
Thank you  
For listening to my prayer  
I'm workin' on my rewrite  
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**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. gonna
2. toss
3. Every
4. minute
5. just
6. Gonna
7. been
8. really
9. where
10. Everybody
11. says
12. brain
13. help
14. were
15. said
16. Help
17. through
18. time
19. father
20. across
21. saves
22. them
23. help
24. help