



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a (1)_____ wet boy,

diving too (2)_____ for coins.

All of (3)_____ street light 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 found 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 (9)_____ poison rats

curl through the (10)_____ fence cracks.

Pissing on (11)_____ photos.

Those fishing (12)_____ (13)_____ in the cold

and (14)_____ (15)_____ of (16)_____ (17)_____ stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or (18)_____ you,

american mouth

big (19)_____ looming.



Answer

1. quick
2. deep
3. your
4. plastic
5. when
6. cops
7. long
8. called
9. warm
10. wide
11. magazine
12. lures
13. thrown
14. clean
15. blood
16. Christ
17. mountain
18. lost
19. pill

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