



Fill in the gaps

Flightless Bird, American Mouth by Iron & Wine

I was a quick wet boy,

diving too (1)_____ for coins.

All of your (2)_____ light eyes

wide on my plastic toys.

Then when the cops close the fair,

I cut my long baby hair

Stole me a dog-eared map

and called for you everywhere.

Have I (3)_____ 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 (4)_____ (5)_____ rats

curl through the wide (6)_____ cracks.

Pissing on magazine photos.

Those (7)_____ (8)_____ (9)_____ in the cold

and clean blood of Christ (10)_____ stream.

Have I found you

Flightless bird, jealous,

weeping or lost you,

american mouth

big pill looming.



Answer

1. deep
2. street
3. found
4. warm
5. poison
6. fence
7. fishing
8. lures
9. thrown
10. mountain

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