

## Fill in the gaps

## The Sound of Silence by Simon and Garfunkel

Hello, darkness, my old friend	People (9) without listening
I've (1) to talk with you again	People writing (10) that (11)
Because a vision (2) creeping	(12) share
Left its seeds (3) I was sleeping	And no one dare
And the vision	Disturb the (13) of silence.
That was (4) in my brain	"Fools," said I, "you do not know
Still remains	Silence like a cancer grows."
Within the sound of silence	"Hear my (14) that I might (15)
In (5) dreams I (6) alone	you,
Narrow streets of cobblestone	Take my arms that I (16) (17)
Beneath the halo of a street lamp	you."
I turned my collar to the cold and damp	But my (18) like (19) raindrops
When my (7) were stabbed	fell,
By the flash of a neon light	And echoed in the (20) of silence.
That split the night	And the people (21) and prayed
And touched the sound of silence	To the (22) god they made.
And in the naked light I saw	And the sign flashed out its warning
Ten thousand people, (8) more	In the words that it was forming.
People talking without speaking	And the (23) said: "The (24) of the
	prophets
	Are written on the (25) walls
	And tenement halls,
	And whisper'd in the sound of silence.



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- 1. come
- 2. softly
- 3. while
- 4. planted
- 5. restless
- 6. walked
- 7. eyes
- 8. maybe
- 9. hearing
- 10. songs
- 11. voices
- 12. never
- 13. sound
- 14. words
- 15. teach
- 16. might
- 17. reach
- 18. words
- 19. silent
- 20. wells
- 21. bowed22. neon
- 23. signs
- 24. words
- 25. subway