



Fill in the gaps

Piano Man by Billy Joel

It's nine o'clock on a saturday
the (1)_____ crowd (2)_____ in
there's an old man sitting next to me
makin' love to his tonic and gin
he say, son can you play me a memory
i'm not (3)_____ sure how it goes
but it's sad and it's sweet and i (4)_____ it complete
when i wore a younger man's clothes
da da da de de da
da da de de da da da
sing us a song, you're the piano man
sing us a song tonight
well, we're all in the (5)_____ for a melody
and you've got us feelin' alright
now john at the bar is a (6)_____ of mine
he gets me my (7)_____ for free
and he's quick with a joke or to (8)_____ up your
smoke
but there's someplace that he'd (9)_____ be
he (10)_____ bill, i believe this is (11)_____
me
as the smile ran away from his face
well i'm sure (12)_____ i could be a movie star
if i (13)_____ get out of this place
sing us a song, you're the piano man
sing us a song tonight
well, we're all in the (14)_____ for a melody

and you've got us feelin' alright
now (15)_____ is a real estate novelist
who never had time for a wife
and he's talking with davy who's still in the navy
and (16)_____ will be for life
and the waitress is practicing politics
as the (17)_____ (18)_____
get stoned
yes, they're (19)_____ a (20)_____ they
call loneliness
but it's better than drinking alone
it's a (21)_____ (22)_____ crowd for a
saturday,
and the (23)_____ gives me a smile
'cause he knows (24)_____ it's me they've been coming
to see
to forget about life for awhile.
and the piano sounds like a carnival
and the microphone (25)_____ like a beer
and they sit at the bar and put bread in my jar
and say "man, what are you doin' here?"
da da da de de da
da da de de da da da
sing us a song, you're the piano man
sing us a song tonight.
well, we're all in the mood for a melody
and you've got us feelin' alright.



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Answer

1. regular
2. shuffles
3. really
4. knew
5. mood
6. friend
7. drinks
8. light
9. rather
10. says
11. killing
12. that
13. could
14. mood
15. paul
16. probably
17. businessmen
18. slowly
19. sharing
20. drink
21. pretty
22. good
23. manager
24. that
25. smells