

## Fill in the gaps

It's nine o'clock on a saturday	
the (1) c	crowd shuffles in
there's an old man sitting next to me	
makin' (2) to his	s (3) and gin
he say, son can you play me a memory	
i'm not really sure how it goes	
but it's sad and it's sweet and i knew it complete	
when i wore a younger man's clothes	
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	
now john at the bar is a friend of mine	
he gets me my drinks for free	
and he's quick with a joke or to light up your smoke	
but there's someplace that	he'd rather be
he says bill, i believe this is killing me	
as the smile ran away (4)_	his face
well i'm sure that i could be a movie star	
if i could 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 (5)	for a melody

and you've got us feelin' alright	
now paul is a real (6) novelist	
who never had time for a wife	
and he's talking with davy who's still in the navy	
and probably will be for life	
and the (7) is practicing politics	
as the businessmen slowly get stoned	
yes, they're sharing a drink they call loneliness	
but it's better than (8) alone	
it's a pretty good crowd for a saturday,	
and the manager gives me a smile	
'cause he (9) that it's me they've been coming to	
see	
to forget about (10) for awhile.	
and the piano sounds like a carnival	
and the microphone smells like a beer	
and they sit at the bar and put bread in my jar	
and say "man, what are you doin' here?"	
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and you've got us feelin' alright.	



- 1. regular
- 2. love
- 3. tonic
- 4. from
- 5. mood
- 6. estate
- 7. waitress
- 8. drinking
- 9. knows
- 10. life

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