



## Fill in the gaps

### The sound of silence by Simon & Garfunkel

Hello darkness, my old friend  
I've come to talk (1)\_\_\_\_\_ you again  
Because a vision softly creeping  
Left its seeds while I was sleeping  
And the vision that was planted in my brain  
Still remains  
Within the sound of (2)\_\_\_\_\_  
In restless dreams I walked alone  
Narrow streets of cobblestone  
Neath the halo of a street lamp  
I turned my collar to the cold and damp  
When my eyes were stabbed  
By the flash of a neon light  
That split the night  
And touched the sound of silence.  
And in the naked (3)\_\_\_\_\_ I saw  
Ten thousand people, maybe more.  
People talking without speaking  
People hearing without listening  
People writing songs

That voices never (4)\_\_\_\_\_  
And no one dare  
(5)\_\_\_\_\_ the sound of silence  
"Fools" said I  
You do not know silence like a cancer grows  
Hear my words (6)\_\_\_\_\_ I might teach you  
Take my arms that I might reach you  
But my words like silent raindrops fell  
And echoed in the wells of silence  
And the people bowed and prayed  
To the neon god (7)\_\_\_\_\_ made  
And the sign flashed out its warning  
In the words that it was forming  
And the sign said  
"The words of the prophets  
Are (8)\_\_\_\_\_ on the subway (9)\_\_\_\_\_  
And tenement halls  
And whispered in the sounds of silence"



Answer

1. with
2. silence
3. light
4. share
5. Disturb
6. that
7. they
8. written
9. walls

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