



Congratulations by MGMT

Fill in the gaps

Dead in the water
It's not a paid vacation
The sons and daughters
Of city officials attend demonstrations
It's hardly a sink or swim
When all is well if the (1)_____ sells
Out with a whimper
It's not a blaze of glory
You look down from your temple
As people endeavor to make it a story
And chisel a marble word
But all is (2)_____ if it's never heard
But I've got someone to (3)_____ reports
That tell me how my money's spent
To book my stays and draw my plans
So I can't tell what's really there
And all I need's a great big:
Congratulations
I'll keep your dreams

You pay attention for me
As strange as it seems
I'd (4)_____ dissolve than have you
(5)_____ me
The ground may be moving fast
But I tied my (6)_____ to a broken mast
The difference is clear
You throw it in (7)_____ cauldron
Rust and veneer
Dusk and dawn Steinways and Baldwins
You start with a simple stock of all the waste
And salt to taste
But damn my (8)_____ and damn these friends
That keep on combing back their smiles
I (9)_____ my grace with half-assed guilt
And lay down the quilt upon the lawn
Spread my arms and soak up:
Congratulations



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Answer

1. ticket
2. lost
3. make
4. rather
5. ignore
6. boots
7. your
8. luck
9. save