



Congratulations by MGMT

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 ticket 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 lost if it's (1)_____ heard
But I've got someone to make reports
That tell me how my money's spent
To book my stays and draw my plans
So I can't tell what's (2)_____ there
And all I need's a great big:
Congratulations
I'll keep your dreams

Fill in the gaps

You pay attention for me
As strange as it seems
I'd rather dissolve than (3)_____ you ignore me
The ground may be moving fast
But I tied my boots to a broken mast
The difference is clear
You throw it in your cauldron
Rust and veneer
Dusk and dawn (4)_____ and Baldwins
You start (5)_____ a simple stock of all the waste
And salt to taste
But damn my luck and damn (6)_____ friends
That keep on combing (7)_____ their smiles
I (8)_____ my (9)_____ with half-assed guilt
And lay down the quilt upon the lawn
Spread my arms and soak up:
Congratulations



Fill in the gaps

Answer

1. never
2. really
3. have
4. Steinways
5. with
6. these
7. back
8. save
9. grace