



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 (1)_____ or swim
When all is (2)_____ if the ticket sells
Out (3)_____ a whimper
It's not a blaze of glory
You look down from your temple
As people endeavor to (4)_____ it a story
And chisel a marble word
But all is lost if it's never heard
But I've got someone to make reports
That (5)_____ me how my money's spent
To book my stays and (6)_____ my plans
So I can't tell what's really there
And all I need's a great big:
Congratulations
I'll keep (7)_____ dreams

You pay attention for me
As strange as it seems
I'd rather dissolve than have you ignore me
The ground may be moving fast
But I (8)_____ my boots to a broken mast
The difference is clear
You throw it in (9)_____ 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 luck and damn these friends
That keep on combing (10)_____ their smiles
I save 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. sink
2. well
3. with
4. make
5. tell
6. draw
7. your
8. tied
9. your
10. back