



Congratulations by MGMT

Dead in the water
It's not a (1)_____ vacation
The sons and daughters
Of city officials attend demonstrations
It's (2)_____ 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 never heard
But I've got someone to make reports
That tell me how my money's spent
To (3)_____ my stays and draw my plans
So I can't (4)_____ what's really 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 (5)_____ have you (6)_____
me
The ground may be moving fast
But I tied my boots to a broken mast
The difference is clear
You (7)_____ it in your cauldron
Rust and veneer
Dusk and dawn (8)_____ and Baldwins
You start with a (9)_____ stock of all the waste
And salt to taste
But damn my luck and (10)_____ these friends
That keep on combing back 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



Answer

1. paid
2. hardly
3. book
4. tell
5. than
6. ignore
7. throw
8. Steinways
9. simple
10. damn

Fill in the gaps