



Congratulations by MGMT

Fill in the gaps

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 (3)_____ a whimper

It's not a blaze of glory

You (4)_____ down from your temple

As people endeavor to make it a story

And chisel a marble word

But all is lost if it's (5)_____ 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 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 rather dissolve than have you ignore me

The ground may be moving fast

But I tied my boots to a broken mast

The difference is clear

You (6)_____ it in your cauldron

Rust and veneer

Dusk and dawn Steinways and Baldwins

You (7)_____ with a simple stock of all the waste

And (8)_____ to taste

But damn my luck and damn these friends

That keep on combing back (9)_____ 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. with
4. look
5. never
6. throw
7. start
8. salt
9. their

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