



Congratulations by MGMT

Fill in the gaps

Dead in the water
It's not a paid vacation
The sons and daughters
Of city officials (1)_____ demonstrations
It's hardly a (2)_____ 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 (3)_____ heard
But I've got (4)_____ to make reports
That tell me how my money's spent
To book my stays and draw my plans
So I can't (5)_____ 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 throw it in your cauldron
Rust and veneer
Dusk and dawn Steinways and Baldwins
You start with a (6)_____ stock of all the waste
And salt to taste
But damn my luck and damn these friends
That (7)_____ on combing back their smiles
I save my grace with half-assed guilt
And lay down the quilt (8)_____ the lawn
Spread my arms and soak up:
Congratulations



Answer

1. attend
2. sink
3. never
4. someone
5. tell
6. simple
7. keep
8. upon

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