



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 (1)_____ a sink or swim
When all is well if the (2)_____ sells
Out with a whimper
It's not a blaze of glory
You look down from (3)_____ 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 (4)_____ me how my money's spent
To book my stays and draw my plans
So I can't (5)_____ what's (6)_____ 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 (7)_____ it in your 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 back their smiles
I save my grace with half-assed guilt
And lay down the quilt upon the lawn
Spread my arms and (8)_____ up:
Congratulations



Answer

1. hardly
2. ticket
3. your
4. tell
5. tell
6. really
7. throw
8. soak

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