



Congratulations by MGMT

## Fill in the gaps

Dead in the water

It's not a (1)\_\_\_\_\_ vacation

The (2)\_\_\_\_\_ and daughters

Of city officials (3)\_\_\_\_\_ demonstrations

It's hardly a sink or swim

When all is (4)\_\_\_\_\_ if the ticket sells

Out (5)\_\_\_\_\_ a whimper

It's not a blaze of glory

You look down (6)\_\_\_\_\_ your temple

As (7)\_\_\_\_\_ (8)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (9)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (10)\_\_\_\_\_ big:

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I'll keep your dreams

You pay attention for me

As strange as it seems

I'd rather (11)\_\_\_\_\_ than have you ignore me

The ground may be moving fast

But I tied my (12)\_\_\_\_\_ to a broken mast

The (13)\_\_\_\_\_ is clear

You throw it in your cauldron

Rust and veneer

Dusk and dawn Steinways and Baldwins

You start with a simple (14)\_\_\_\_\_ of all the waste

And (15)\_\_\_\_\_ to taste

But damn my luck and damn these friends

That (16)\_\_\_\_\_ on combing back (17)\_\_\_\_\_ smiles

I (18)\_\_\_\_\_ my grace with half-assed guilt

And lay (19)\_\_\_\_\_ the quilt (20)\_\_\_\_\_ the lawn

Spread my arms and soak up:

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Answer

1. paid
2. sons
3. attend
4. well
5. with
6. from
7. people
8. endeavor
9. tell
10. great
11. dissolve
12. boots
13. difference
14. stock
15. salt
16. keep
17. their
18. save
19. down
20. upon