

## Fill in the gaps

Dead in the water		
It's not a (1) vacation		
The sons and daughters		
Of city (2) attend demonstrations		
It's hardly a sink or swim		
When all is well if the (3) sells		
Out with a whimper		
It's not a blaze of glory		
You look (4) from (5) temple		
As people endeavor to make it a story		
And chisel a (6) word		
But all is lost if it's never heard		
But I've got someone to make reports		
That (7) me how my money's spent		
To book my (8) and (9) my plans		
So I can't tell what's (10) there		
And all I need's a great big:		
Congratulations		
I'll (11) your dreams		

You pay attention for me	
As strange as it seems	
l'd (12)	(13)
(14) have you	ignore me
The (15)	may be (16) fast
But I (17) my	(18) to a broken mast
The difference is clear	
You throw it in your cauld	Iron
Rust and veneer	
Dusk and dawn (19)	and Baldwins
You start with a simple st	ock of all the waste
And salt to taste	
But damn my (20)	and damn these friends
That keep on (21)	back their smiles
I save my grace (22)	half-assed guilt
And lay down the quilt up	on the lawn
Spread my arms and (23	s) up:
Congratulations	



## 1. paid

- 2. officials
- 3. ticket
- 4. down
- 5. your
- 6. marble
- 7. tell
- 8. stays
- 9. draw
- 10. really
- 11. keep
- 12. rather
- 13. dissolve
- 14. than
- 15. ground
- 16. moving
- 17. tied
- 18. boots
- 19. Steinways
- 20. luck
- 21. combing
- 22. with
- 23. soak

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