



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 hardly a sink or swim
When all is well if the ticket sells
Out (2)_____ a whimper
It's not a blaze of glory
You look down from your temple
As people (3)_____ 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 tell me how my money's spent
To (4)_____ 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 (5)_____ to a broken mast
The difference is clear
You throw it in your cauldron
Rust and veneer
Dusk and dawn (6)_____ and Baldwins
You start with a simple stock of all the waste
And salt to taste
But damn my (7)_____ and damn these friends
That keep on (8)_____ (9)_____ their smiles
I save my grace with half-assed guilt
And lay (10)_____ the quilt upon the lawn
Spread my arms and soak up:
Congratulations



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Answer

1. paid
2. with
3. endeavor
4. book
5. boots
6. Steinways
7. luck
8. combing
9. back
10. down