

SUP Ingle		
Congratulations by	MG	TM

Dead in the water It's not a paid vacation The (1)_____ and daughters Of city officials attend demonstrations It's hardly a sink or swim When all is well if the ticket sells Out with a whimper It's not a blaze of glory You look down (2)_____ 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 someone to make reports That tell me how my money's spent To book my stays and draw my plans So I can't (4)_____ what's really there And all I need's a great big: Congratulations I'll keep (5)____ dreams

Fill in the gaps

You pay attention for me	
As (6) as it seems	
I'd rather dissolve than have you ignore me	
The ground may be moving fast	
But I tied my (7) 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 simple stock of all the waste	
And (8) to taste	
But damn my luck and damn these friends	
That (9) on (10)	back thei
smiles	
I save my grace with half-assed guilt	
And lay down the quilt upon the lawn	
Spread my arms and soak up:	
Congratulations	



- 1. sons
- 2. from
- 3. never
- 4. tell
- 5. your
- 6. strange
- 7. boots
- 8. salt
- 9. keep
- 10. combing

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