



## Congratulations by MGMT

Dead in the water  
It's not a paid vacation  
The sons and daughters  
Of city officials attend demonstrations  
It's hardly a sink or swim  
When all is well if the (1)\_\_\_\_\_ sells  
Out with a whimper  
It's not a blaze of glory  
You look down from your 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 tell me how my money's spent  
To book my (2)\_\_\_\_\_ 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

## Fill in the gaps

You pay attention for me  
As strange as it seems  
I'd rather dissolve than (3)\_\_\_\_\_ you (4)\_\_\_\_\_  
me  
The ground may be moving fast  
But I (5)\_\_\_\_\_ my boots 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 combing back their smiles  
I save my (8)\_\_\_\_\_ with half-assed guilt  
And lay (9)\_\_\_\_\_ the quilt upon the lawn  
Spread my arms and (10)\_\_\_\_\_ up:  
Congratulations



Answer

1. ticket
2. stays
3. have
4. ignore
5. tied
6. Steinways
7. luck
8. grace
9. down
10. soak

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