



## Congratulations by MGMT

### Fill in the gaps

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 (2)\_\_\_\_\_ from 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 (4)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 great big:  
Congratulations  
I'll (5)\_\_\_\_\_ (6)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 boots to a broken mast  
The (7)\_\_\_\_\_ is clear  
You throw it in your cauldron  
Rust and veneer  
Dusk and dawn Steinways and Baldwins  
You start (8)\_\_\_\_\_ a simple stock of all the waste  
And salt to taste  
But damn my luck and (9)\_\_\_\_\_ these friends  
That keep on combing back their smiles  
I save my grace with half-assed guilt  
And lay down the quilt upon the lawn  
Spread my arms and soak up:  
Congratulations



Answer

1. ticket
2. down
3. never
4. tell
5. keep
6. your
7. difference
8. with
9. damn

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