



Congratulations by MGMT

Fill in the gaps

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

You pay (11)_____ for me
As strange as it seems
I'd (12)_____ dissolve (13)_____
(14)_____ you ignore me
The ground may be moving fast
But I tied my (15)_____ to a broken mast
The difference is clear
You throw it in your cauldron
Rust and veneer
Dusk and dawn Steinways and Baldwins
You (16)_____ with a (17)_____
(18)_____ of all the waste
And salt to taste
But damn my luck and (19)_____ these friends
That keep on combing back (20)_____ smiles
I save my grace with half-assed guilt
And lay (21)_____ the quilt (22)_____ the lawn
Spread my arms and (23)_____ up:
Congratulations



Answer

1. officials
2. hardly
3. well
4. look
5. people
6. chisel
7. lost
8. someone
9. book
10. really
11. attention
12. rather
13. than
14. have
15. boots
16. start
17. simple
18. stock
19. damn
20. their
21. down
22. upon
23. soak

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