



Fill in the gaps

Congratulations by MGMT

Dead in the water
It's not a paid vacation
The sons and daughters
Of (1)_____ officials (2)_____ demonstrations
It's hardly a sink or swim
When all is (3)_____ if the ticket sells
Out (4)_____ a whimper
It's not a (5)_____ of glory
You look down from your temple
As people (6)_____ to (7)_____ it a story
And chisel a marble word
But all is (8)_____ if it's never heard
But I've got (9)_____ to make reports
That tell 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 keep (10)_____ dreams

You pay attention for me
As (11)_____ as it seems
I'd rather (12)_____ (13)_____ have you
(14)_____ me
The (15)_____ may be (16)_____ fast
But I tied my boots to a broken mast
The (17)_____ is clear
You throw it in your cauldron
Rust and veneer
Dusk and dawn Steinways and Baldwins
You start (18)_____ a simple stock of all the waste
And salt to taste
But (19)_____ my (20)_____ and (21)_____
these friends
That (22)_____ on combing back their smiles
I save my (23)_____ (24)_____ half-assed guilt
And lay down the quilt upon the lawn
Spread my arms and soak up:
Congratulations



Answer

1. city
2. attend
3. well
4. with
5. blaze
6. endeavor
7. make
8. lost
9. someone
10. your
11. strange
12. dissolve
13. than
14. ignore
15. ground
16. moving
17. difference
18. with
19. damn
20. luck
21. damn
22. keep
23. grace
24. with

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