Fill in the gaps

Congratulations by MGMT

Dead in the water
It's not a paid vacation
The sons and daughters
Of city (1)_____ (2)_____
demonstrations
It's hardly a sink or swim
When all is well if the ticket sells
Out (3)_____ a whimper
It's not a blaze of glory
You look (4)_____ 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 (5)_____ reports
That (6)_____ me how my money's spent
To (7)_____ my stays and (8)_____ 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
You pay (9)_____ for me
As (10)_____ as it seems
I'd (11)_____ (12)_____
(13)_____ (14)_____ you (15)_____ me
The ground may be moving fast
But I tied my (16)_____ to a (17)_____ mast
The (18)_____ is clear
You throw it in your cauldron
Rust and veneer
Dusk and dawn (19)_____ and Baldwins
You start with a (20)_____ (21)_____ of all
the waste
And (22)_____ to taste
But damn my (23)_____ and damn these friends
That keep on combing back (24)_____ smiles
I save my grace (25)_____ half-assed guilt
And lay down the quilt (26)_____ the lawn
Spread my arms and soak up:
Congratulations

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Answer

1. officials
2. attend
3. with
4. down
5. make
6. tell
7. book
8. draw
9. attention
10. strange
11. rather
12. dissolve
13. than
14. have
15. ignore
16. boots
17. broken
18. difference
19. Steinways
20. simple
21. stock
22. salt
23. luck
24. their
25. with
26. upon