Joy Division, Failures(of the modern man)

Don't speak of safe messiahs - a failure of the modern man To the centre of our life's desires - as a whole not an also ran Love in a hollow field - break the image of your father's son Drawn to an inner feel - he was thought of as the only one He was thought of as the only one He no longer denies - all the failures of the modern man No, no, no, he can't pick sides - sees the failures of the modern man Wise words and sympathy - tell the story of our history New strength gives a real touch - sense and reason make it all too much With a strange fatality - broke the spirits of a lesser man Some other race could see - in his way he was the only one In his way he was the only one He no longer denies - all the failures of the modern man No, no, no, he can't pick sides - sees the failures of the modern man Now that it's right to decide - in his time he was a total man Taken from Caesar's side - kept in silence just to prove who's wrong He no longer denies - all the failures of the modern man No, no, no, he can't pick sides - sees the failures of the modern man All the failures of the modern man