

Now I'm Learning To Love The War

Father John Misty

Try not to think so much about
The truly staggering amount of oil that it takes to
make a record
All the shipping, the vinyl, the cellophane lining
The high gloss
The tape and the gear

Try not to become too consumed
With what's a criminal volume of oil that it takes to
paint a portrait
The acrylic, the varnish
Aluminum tubes filled with latex
The solvents and dye

Lets just call this what it is
The jealous side of mankind's death wish
When it's my time to go
Gonna leave behind things that won't decompose

Try not to dwell so much upon
How it won't be so very long from now that they laugh
at us for selling
A bunch of 15 year olds made from dinosaur bones
singing "oh yeah"
Again and again
Right up to the end

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I'll just call this what it is
My vanity gone wild with my crisis
One day this all will [Unknown]
Now sure hope they make something useful out of me