

# Breakdown

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Wasn't it long ago  
Wasn't it on a New England coast  
Wasn't it the standard - people praying to  
The Son and the Father and the Holy Ghost  
One nation over God  
Is that what we've now become?  
The founding fathers left a noble legacy  
To their sons and daughters  
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Look at what we've done  
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As we learn to bite the hand  
That tries to feed us  
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If we say that we are free  
Who will believe us  
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See the powder on the glass  
See the pillow on the street  
See the charter of a modern love  
With no obligations...or promises to meet

Hear the fear of disease  
Hear the baby never born  
Hear a people crying out  
"Somebody save us - oh, please somebody save us  
From what we're headed for - from what we're headed for"

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