New Model Army, Turn Away

The candle flickers and the shadows move distorted on the wall There's a wire slowly stretching And now you ask him all the questions, the same ones as before

But you know that he is lying

And with your arms around him now, you're begging please

But he moves towards the open door And you find you're screaming, 'no'

But something breaks this time, you find you cannot move

Is it wrong to let him walk into the water?

Close your eyes for just one moment

You get so tired the endless days of watching over

And is it wrong as the waves boil up to greet him

To turn away - he disappears into the tide

All your love it cannot save him

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And everybody holds a secret that draws them with its breath The one that will destroy them
Oh, the warming glow of poison - it's so easy going down
Just to spite the days of reason
Oh, my abandoned child, we'll both end up as fools
I can see it in your craving eyes that I cannot hold you
All the warning shots will be lost and drowned
In the roar of the crashing waves
And is it wrong to let you walk into the water?
Close my eyes for just one moment
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