



It's coming to the poor at first  
It's coming with hunger and thirst  
It takes away our pride, it takes away our hope  
as if there's really nothing we can do  
we're addicts shooting oil and gas, we're high on fossil dope  
and everybody just goes on, as if it wasn't true  
It's just a market failure, to be removed

It comes from our efforts to improve  
To build an economy that grows  
But the market is at loose, devouring oil and coal  
like a monster machine beyond control  
We need a price on carbon, to set the market right  
They say it is impossible, but that's the biggest lie  
It's just a market failure, to be undone

But it will meet the ones who are not swayed  
and it will meet the ones who finds a way  
It will meet with defiance, with persistence and with strength  
It will meet with reason at length  
It will meet with our mercy with the weak and the poor  
It will meet with our duty, to the billions to be born  
It's just a market failure, to overcome

Stand up, stand up, stand up against the greed  
for our children, for life to come, for a world in need  
Stand up, stand up, stand up, stand up.