

## Deacon Blue "Chairman Mao's Vacation"

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They painted us up  
and shouted us down  
they wanted us to be  
just a face in the crowd  
and all the time they never saw  
the people we are  
in a world of fast cars

every time you pass  
you try not to laugh at me  
you don't want to love me out sympathy  
I guess that you admire me  
for my humility  
in a world of fast cars

We don't hear the jokes  
that everyone else hears  
when they walk behind us  
on our holidays  
we just don't fit into deckchairs  
and take walks along the pier

Even the lonely people  
deal us out  
think I'll walk down town  
and sit on a roundabout  
and drivers will keep driving  
cos' they're too polite to shout  
"hey look at that fat boy"  
in a world of fast cars

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