Why I'm Lonely

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Saint Leonard touched a Philistine A sacred tongue, a perfect rhyme But even he was not much nourished By modern loveSo I told her that everything she does is divine And she replied with a blank expression An object lesson and making me feel benignThen whispered, "Independence and indifference Are the wings which allow the heart to fly "Feelings I have had too often Still no plan in place To soften the inevitable blow The rituals we knowAnd with the right revolting piety of tone The word freedom Can make you wanna lock yourself In a deep dark dungeonBut everybody follows pleasure Everybody gets somewhere I swear I wish I could be there awayNow it's absolutely clear to me That solitude is not the same as singularity But that's not why I'm lonely No that's not why I'm lonely

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