Bay of Pigs Scene

Read the following selection from the *Killing Kennedy* script.

| 01:12:02 | JFK watches news; Jackie enters bedroom | (.synch sound..)  
| Jackie:  
| Jack? Jack, what is it? Jack, it’s me, you can talk to me.  
| JOHN F. KENNEDY:  
| It’s a catastrophe. The one hour of air support that I ordered, got screwed up. Two units didn’t connect because of a one-hour time difference. [My advisors] can’t even tell time! I don’t know why I ever listened to them.  
| 01:12:39 | Jackie comforts JFK | JACKIE:  
| You couldn’t have known.  
| JOHN F. KENNEDY:  
| The President should know. How could I be so stupid?  
| JACKIE:  
| Jack, you’re being too hard on yourself.  
| JOHN F. KENNEDY:  
| But they said it. They said I was too young, too soft, about Communism. And I told them I was ready. And they trusted me.  
| JACKIE:  
| They still do.  
| JOHN F. KENNEDY:  
| There are men dying on those beaches. Right now. I’m supposed to be the most powerful man in the world, and I…. (sighs) Well, I’ll tell you what. This is the last time anyone’s gonna make a decision like that for me.  

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