

MUSIC SHEET ANALYSIS



First Look

Cover or Heading

Title of Music
Sheet

Date created

Is there a cover
page or image?

Based on what you already know, what message do you think is portrayed by this image? Are people, symbols or words used?

The Lyrics

Read the lyrics. Write a three sentence summary describing the main idea of the song.

Choose two phrases of lyrics that caught your attention. Why?

1.

2.

Song Purpose

What social or cultural topic is this song about?

Based on the lyrics, in your opinion, what seems to be the viewpoint expressed in the song? Why do you think it was written?

Do the images express this viewpoint? How?

At the time this song was written, who might have bought and/or sung this song? How do you think the public reacted to this song?

How can you learn more about the person that wrote this song?