Student Guide

SIDEWALK PROPHETS

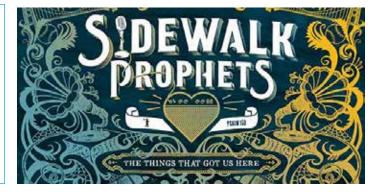
Artist: Album Title & Record Company: Song: Theme:

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THE THINGS THAT GOT US HERE CURB/WORD

SMILE

JOY, DIFFICULTIES; COMFORT IN, ENDURANCE; PERSEVERANCE



Smile

What emotion did you experience as you listened to this song?

James 1:2-4

What's your first response when you hear the idea to consider it joy when you face trials?

What kinds of trials do these verses address?

What are some things that stood out to you from this song?

Do you think any types of trials are exempt from the truth of these verses?

Would you say that spiritual maturity is the goal of your life? Explain why you think the way you do and share how these verses say we move toward maturity.

What is your internal response when you hear someone say, "there's always a reason to smile"?

Share about a time when you found joy when you were facing challenging circumstances.

Pray for others going through difficult circumstances, and for your own heart to connect with God about your desire to choose joy.