

FOCUS ON NINA SIMONE

1. Write a paragraph summarizing the main ideas of Chapter 4.
2. Do you think music is a good tool for fighting for equality? Why or why not?
3. Nina Simone was known as the High Priestess of what genre?
 - A. jazz
 - B. blues
 - C. soul
4. How might Simone's early experiences of racism have influenced her to write protest songs?
 - A. Her experiences showed her that Black and white Americans had equal rights.
 - B. Her experiences showed her that Black Americans did not have the same rights as white Americans.
 - C. Her experiences showed her that equal rights were not important.

Answer Key:

1. Answers will vary
2. Answers will vary
3. C
4. B