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Unavoidable. Pervasive. Inescapable. Secular pop music is everywhere. Even if you can get your young Christian friends to switch their listening habits from secular to sacred, they are still going to hear the top popular songs everywhere they go. In this section we provide you some ideas

to take advantage of some of the most popular secular songs. Use the opening questions, the thematic concepts and discussion ideas to spice up your Bible study, Sunday School lesson, camp/retreat meeting or outreach event message.

Artist:

Lady Gaga

Song: Die With A Smile (ft Bruno Mars)

Album: TBD

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Theme: Love, Purpose/Meaning

Teaching Point

The Bible calls us to love deeply, live with purpose, and make every moment count for God's glory. Live each day like it's your last, loving and serving others with intention.

Opening Question

- If you knew you only had one day left, how would you spend it, and who would you spend it with?

Discussion

The song highlights the importance of living fully and loving deeply, regardless of the struggles we face. Life is short, and the way we choose to live—with love and purpose—can make all the difference. It encourages us to live as if every moment could be our last, with love as the driving force in our lives. The love described in the song is rooted in deep emotional connection and a desire to find joy in life's fleeting moments, even amid challenges.

The Bible also speaks powerfully about love, purpose, and living each day with meaning.

Read **James 4:14**

- What does this verse say about the shortness of life?
- If life's short, what should we focus on today?
- How can we influence our world for Christ, knowing we aren't guaranteed tomorrow?

Read **John 15:12-13**

- What kind of love is Jesus talking about here?
- How does this "next-level" love challenge the way we love others?

Challenge: Think of someone who could use some love this week. How can you show them you care? Maybe send a text, sit with them, or just listen. Small acts of love can make a huge difference.

Read **Matthew 6:19-21**

- What does Jesus say is truly valuable in life?
- Are there things in your life that are distracting you from what really matters?
- What are some things you could do to focus more on loving others and growing closer to God?

Conclusion

Make today count. Do something this week to love someone intentionally—help your family, support someone who feels left out, or pray for a friend.

Let's pray and ask God to help us focus on what matters and love people the way He loves us.