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What Does The Music I Listen To Say About Me?

 Music is one of the oldest forms of communication. Music tells a story, it connects us in a way that nothing else can. A favorite song is more than just a bunch of words put together with a catchy beat. That song can be the love someone wished they would have, and even the party someone wanted to go to but never could. A song can be an outlet like no other. The music I listen to is like the playlist of my life. The music I listen to says a lot about the kind of person I am.

 The music I listen to helps me deal with a lot of my emotions. Some songs make me feel like they were written and produced just for me. If I am feeling very stressed I can play Happy by Pharrell Williams and all the sudden it can feel like a weight was just lifted off my shoulders. If I just went through a breakup there are several songs for that also. It is like every emotion in the world has been put in a song. Each song is made with a story in mind. The stories in the songs are really what I look for when listening.

 I personally love music that has a strong message. I love when a song takes boundaries and just knocks them down. Many of my favorite songs were written to change society’s views and beliefs about everything, from race to religion to even emotion itself. I have never been able to fit into societies perfect little boxes and the songs I listen to are by and for people like me that don’t fit in. Music that is controversial in my opinion is the best music.

 Pop music and R&B are both my favorite music genres. I do not really like Country songs mostly for their drawn-out phrasing and the country accents of the artists that sing them. I love music that has a nice rhythm and that has a bigger meaning. I love when I am listening to a song, and it is like I can just feel the emotion that was put into it. I like the connection that I feel with the artists of these songs.

 I listen to music for more than just entertainment. I listen to music for the stories that are told. I also know that the music I listen to reflects the kind of person I am. The music I listen to says that I am a strong young woman that loves a good story. I also love to step out of that box that society has put so many people into.