



Pop goes CATHOLICISM Resource Sheet

"Hot N Cold" Katy Perry

Media Information

Album: *One of the Boys*
Release Date: June 17, 2008
Label: EMI Music
Length: 3 min 40 sec

Key Lyrics

You're hot then you're cold
you're yes then you're no
you're in then you're out
you're up then you're down

We used to be
Just like twins
So in sync
The same energy
Now's a dead battery.

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Scripture:

Romans 8:35-39
Hosea 3:1

Catechism:

#218-220
#604

Faith Connection

How often do we consider that God might have opinions about our relationship with Him? We're taught that God wants to be in an intimate relationship with us, to be our closest friend. And yet, how do many of us treat our divine BFF? We only talk to Him when we need something. We take a lot of His time when we're upset or desperate but don't spend any time when things are good. How would our other friends react if we ran hot and cold like that? If we bailed on the relationship in good times but came running back when times were tough because we knew that they'd take us back and help us out? Wouldn't they get fed up with that pretty quick? And yet, God doesn't. I think He might get frustrated, but like the protagonist of the song always takes us back.

Discussion Questions

1. Are you fickle in your relationship with God? Why?
2. What's usually going on in your life when you pray?
3. How do you think God feels about your relationship with Him?
4. Do you consider God a close friend? Why or not?
5. How could you improve your relationship with God?

