



## Pop goes CATHOLICISM Resource Sheet

# "Nothin' On You" B.o.B. featuring Bruno Mars (2 of 2: Got Nothing On You)

### Media Information

**Album:** *B.o.B. Presents: The Adventures of Bobby Ray*  
**Release Date:** February 2, 2010  
**Label:** Grand Hustle  
**Length:** 4 min 30 sec

### Key Lyrics

Not not nothing on you  
Everywhere I go I'm always  
hearing your name (name, name)  
And no matter where I'm at girl  
you make me wanna sing (sing)  
Weather a bus or a plane  
or a car or a train  
No other girls in my brain and  
you the one to blame

Beautiful girls all over the world  
I could be chasing but my time  
would be wasted  
They got nothing on you baby

### Faith Connection

Songs are very often about relationships. One of my favorite ways to make a faith connection in a song is to look at one of the parties as if it were meant to be about God. In this case, that symbolism immediately links up with our faith: it should be the case that no matter where we go or what else we see, God should be in our brain and that God should have no worries about our devotion because everyone else has 'nothing on' God. In the song, that devotion manifests itself by being constantly on the mind. Likewise in faith, we're called to have God constantly in mind through prayer. While we often think of more formal examples like Mass or memorized rote prayers, the idea of praying constantly need not mean more than being mindful of God at all times. The trick is to ignite a love for God like the love described in the song: one that keeps God "in my brain ... everywhere I go."

### Discussion Questions

1. Have you ever considered your relationship with God just like any other? Do so.
2. How's your devotion to God?
3. What would help you to keep God in your attention at all times?
4. If not God, to what are you most devoted or have most in mind at all times?

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#### Scripture:

Psalm 18:49  
1 Thessalonians 5:17

#### Catechism:

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