Virtual Sheet Music (Ages 11 and up)

Watch the short animated biography on BB King and answer these questions.

https://youtu.be/-tIphqWYu_s

1. In the video B.B. King said that the blues were born out of what two things?

2. How did B.B. King say that he was made aware that young musicians such as Eric Clapton listened to his music?

3. How did B.B. King say that he looks at the Blues in the beginning of the video?

4. Even though people complimented his shows B.B. King said he felt that was not enough, what did he go do after his shows? How do you think this makes him a great musician?

Answers:

1. Being misused and mistreated
2. Eric Clapton was asked during an interview who influenced him as a musician and he named B.B. King.
3. He said he looks at the Blues as meeting his in-laws for the first time. You want to be yourself but you want them to like you.
4. He said no matter how good his shows were he would still go back to his room and practice.