

9A SONG The Truth

- a Listen to the song. Some of the phrases in **bold** are right, and some are wrong. Tick (✓) the right phrases or a cross (X) the wrong ones in column A.
- b Listen again and correct the wrong phrases in column B.

The Truth

	A	B
So there we are	1 ✓	
We are alone	2	
There's pain on your mind	3	
I wanna know	4	
The truth, if this is what you feel	5	
Sell it to me	6	
If this was ever right	7	

Chorus

I want the truth from you
 Gimme the truth, even if it hurts me
 I want the truth from you
 Gimme the truth, even if it hurts me
 I want the truth

So this is you	8	
You're walking to me	9	
You found a billion ways to let me down	10	
So I'm not hurt when you're not around	11	
I was blind	12	
But now I see	13	
This is how you feel	14	
Just sell it to me	15	
If this was ever right	16	

Chorus

I know that this will break me	17	
I know that this might make me die	18	
You gotta say what's in your mind (x2)	19	
I know that this will hurt me	20	
and break my heart and so inside	21	
I don't wanna live this time	22	

Chorus

I don't care no more, no
 Just gimme the truth, gimme the truth
 'Cos I don't care no more
 Gimme the truth
 'Cos I don't care no more, no
 Just gimme the truth
 Gimme the truth (x 4)
 'Cos I don't care no more, no



GLOSSARY

gimme = give me
 let somebody down = fail to help somebody in a way which they'd expected
 no more = any more
 soul = the spiritual part of a person believed to exist after death
 wanna = want to

SONG FACTS

The Truth was recorded in 2004 by Good Charlotte, a punk-pop band from the USA. The song is from their third album, *The Chronicles of Life and Death*, which sold 2 million copies. The band have supported animal rights campaigns, but in 2013 they promoted Kentucky Fried Chicken in a series of adverts, which disappointed many of their fans.