



## CORNERSTONE

Arctic

Monkeys

### BEFORE LISTENING

- What is the "Cornerstone"?
  - A. A Cinema.
  - B. A Bar
  - C. A Park.
- What do you think this song is about?

### WHILE LISTENING

#### - Complete with the missing words.

*I thought I saw you in the Battleship  
But it was only a look alike  
She was nothing but a vision \_\_\_\_\_  
Under the warning \_\_\_\_\_  
She was close  
Close enough to be your \_\_\_\_\_  
But my chances turned to \_\_\_\_\_  
When I asked her if I could call her your \_\_\_\_\_*

#### - Correct the words.

*I thought I saw you in the Parrot's cheek \_\_\_\_\_  
Messin' with the smoke alarm  
It was too loud for me to hear her leak \_\_\_\_\_  
And she had a broken arm  
It was close  
So close that the walls were get \_\_\_\_\_  
And she wrote it out in Letraset  
"No, you can't call me her name"*

#### - Order the sentences.

\_\_\_ I wandered up for a closer look  
\_\_\_ And she held me very tightly  
\_\_\_ I thought I saw you in the Rusty Hook  
\_\_\_ 'Til I asked awfully politely  
\_\_\_ Huddled up in wicker chair  
\_\_\_ And kissed whoever was sitting there  
\_\_\_ "Please, can I call you her name?"

#### - Complete with the missing words.

*Tell me, where's your hiding \_\_\_\_\_?  
I'm worried I'll forget your \_\_\_\_\_  
And I've asked \_\_\_\_\_  
I'm beginning to think I imagined you all \_\_\_\_\_  
I elongated my lift home  
Yeah, I let him go the long way 'round  
I smelt your scent on the seatbelt  
And kept my shortcuts to myself*

#### - Answer:

**Where is he? Who is him?**  
*And I elongated my lift home  
Yeah, I let him go the long way 'round  
I smelt your scent on the seatbelt  
And kept my shortcuts to myself*

#### - Order the sentences.

\_\_\_ On the phone to the middle man  
\_\_\_ That she was close  
\_\_\_ I saw your sister in the Cornerstone  
\_\_\_ I thought she might understand  
\_\_\_ When I saw that she was on her own

*Well, you couldn't get much closer  
She said, "I'm really not supposed to, but yes  
You can call me anything you want"*

### AFTER READING

- What type of song do you think it is? Who is this song for?
- Did you imagine the end of the song? What do you think of it?
- Have you ever done something like that? What about someone you know? What happened?
- Did you like the song? the story?
- What would you do if you were the "sister"? How would you react?