

## HOME – KOBI MARIMI

Oh-oh-oh-oh-oh-oh-oh-oh-oh

Caught up in this moment 'til my **heartbeat** stops

I've been running barefoot to the mountain tops

**Nothing comes as easy as it goes**

I **can hug the water** when it snows

I **feel the sun upon my skin**

And I am someone, I am someone

You pulled my heart, I took it in

It made me someone, I am someone

And now I'm done, I'm coming home

I used to listen to the way they talk

Counting down the minutes from the ticking clock

I feel the sun upon my skin

And I am someone, I am someone

You pulled my heart, I took it in

It made me someone, I am someone

And now I'm done, I'm coming

Home was so far, **collecting scars, I refuse**

**Another touch won't be another bruise**

I feel the sun upon my skin

And I am someone, I am someone

You pulled my heart, I took it in

It made me someone, I am someone

I am **standing tall** not giving in

'Cause I am someone, I am someone

And now I'm done, I'm coming

Now I'm done, I'm coming

Now I'm done, I'm coming home

### Idioms using the word '**heart**':

1. Which of the following do you think is the meaning of '**heartbeat**' in the song?

- **In a heartbeat** - meaning: Very quickly; as soon as is possible.
- **A heartbeat (away) from** - meaning: Very close to; on the verge of.
- **Heart stopping** - meaning: An experience or something that is so shocking, exciting, exhilarating or scary that it seems like it will result in your heart stopping its beat.

2. Say a sentence for each of the idioms.



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### 3. 'Nothing comes as easy as it goes.'

- Can you think of situations that the above sentence can be connected to?

Friendships, work, studying for a test, etc.

- My mum always used to say, "I spend hours deciding what to buy, shopping and cooking a wonderful meal and in one hour it's all gone!!"
- Talk about an experience of yours that is connected to the sentence.

### 4. Feelings:

**Can you actually hug snow?**

Name some things that you can hug?

What do you feel when you hug someone or something?

What do you experience when you feel the sun upon your skin?

### 5. What is the difference between a 'scar' and a 'bruise'?

### 6. Give five synonyms for the word 'touch'.

For example: caress, scratch, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_,

### 7. Stand Tall:

**Which of the following do you think is the meaning of 'standing tall' in the song?**

To stand tall: To stand with your back straight and your head raised.

To stand tall: To stand with your feet comfortably apart.

To stand tall: To be proud and feel ready to deal with anything.

### 8. Do you like this song?

Why or Why not?

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**Kobi Marimi**, 27, born and raised in Ramat Gan, Israel, now he lives in Tel Aviv. Kobi has studied acting at the Nissan Nativ Studio in Tel Aviv, and played in the Israeli Opera in Tel Aviv. For his role in "Messiah Now" he won the Promising Actor Award at the 2017 Musical Celebrations.

Kobi began singing at the early age of 13. He started his journey in The Next Star with no professional music experience and gained public attention thanks to his unique style and operatic voice.

The judges of The Next Star described him as the "Israeli Freddie Mercury" because of his looks, uniqueness and the way he combines opera sounds when he sings. Like Netta, he suffered from low self-esteem, as a former overweight child.

In "**Home**," Shargai and Weitzman (the writers) examine the well-trod idea that having found love and acceptance in another person feels like being at home.

"When I first heard the song I was very moved by it, and I immediately connected to it," **Marimi** said. "Thank you to the committee for choosing a song that fits me perfectly."