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## Aretha Franklin: The Queen of Soul

### Open-Ended Response Questions

1. Discuss Aretha Franklin's transition from gospel to secular music. How did this transition affect her career and influence her music style?
2. Analyze the role of Aretha Franklin as a symbol of empowerment, especially through her rendition of the song "Respect." How did her music empower both women and the civil rights movement?
3. Explore the impact of Aretha Franklin's music on the broader music industry and its enduring popularity. What qualities in her voice and style made her a legendary figure in music history?
4. Reflect on the legacy of Aretha Franklin and her contribution to music. How has her influence continued to shape contemporary music, and why is she remembered as the "Queen of Soul"?

