**DIRECTIONS:**

After reading this poem, please answer these questions

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| Title of Poem: | 'The Chimney Sweeper', Songs of Experience |
| Poet: | William Blake |

**Time:** 30 minutes

**Question A:**What was your first response to this poem?

Circle one:

  

**Question B:**Find words in the poem that describe the hard life of Victorian Chimney Sweeps.

**Question C:**

Do you think that the author cares about children who are forced to make a living this way? Find two descriptions to support your answer.

**Question D:**

How do the two poems (Innocence and Experience) differ?

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