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### Postcard 3

#### The Rolling Stones as Blues Interpreters

**Writing Questions:** In what ways did the Rolling Stones put their own spin on the Blues? In what ways do their version of Blues songs convey a different attitude than the originals?

**Writing Point of View:** You're not so sure you were right when you wrote your last postcard. Maybe the Stones aren't quite the Blues purists you initially thought them to be. You have noticed a certain attitude in the Stones' performance that is a bit different from the attitude of the Blues artists whose songs they cover, particularly in lead singer Mick Jagger's facial expressions and body movements.

**Resources:**

1. Video: Muddy Waters performs "I Just Want to Make Love To You," 1954; the Rolling Stones perform "I Just Want to Make Love To You," 1964
2. Video: The Rolling Stones perform "Little Red Rooster" on television, 1965