What I Come From

English · C1

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Name _____ Class _____ Date _____

The grammar · …, which means… (the comment)

Find it: __ / 2

1 · SEE IT

which, in the language of the hollow, meant "Boys, you're on your own."

which is a form of **which**, "and that (a comment)".

2 · LEARN IT

which means…	and that means…	**which, roughly translated, means…**	and that more or less means…
which, in plain English, means…	and in simple words, that means…	**which is a polite way of saying…**	and that is a nice way to say…
which is a pretty word for flat	and that is a nice word for flat	**which I'd call a pattern**	and I'd call that a pattern

3 · FIND IT

Circle every form of which. One line has none.

1. These days, the mountain's been "reclaimed," which is a pretty word for flat,
2. in a company town, which is a polite way of saying
3. it was the people, and they're scattered now from Ohio to the sea.

2 · Lyric Scramble

__ / 5

Number the lines 1 to 5, in song order.

- [ ] that the company owned the houses, the store and, more or less, the men.
- [ ] and not once did I hear my mother say that she was cold.
- [ ] and came home every evening with the mountain on his skin.
- [ ] Salt of the earth, those people: they never had much, never asked for more,
- [ ] My father went underground each morning before the light

Sing it together

Play the song. Everyone sings the chorus. Then two halves take turns, line by line.

My score ____ / 7

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Grammar · Find it (2)

1 which 2 which 3 none

2 · Lyric Scramble (5)

that the company owned the houses, the store and, more or less, the men. 1 · and not once did I hear my mother say that she was cold. 5 · and came home every evening with the mountain on his skin. 3 · Salt of the earth, those people: they never had much, never asked for more, 4 · My father went underground each morning before the light 2

For the teacher

Play the song once with the lyrics. Do "See it" and "Learn it" together; students do "Find it". Students do the 4 games alone or as homework, add up their score and hand in the sheet. Each game is also in the app's Arcade.

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