“The Outsiders” Soundtrack Project

• Create a soundtrack for the novel “The Outsiders”
• The soundtrack must have 6 songs
• This project should be done using PowerPoint or a similar program
• First slide or image should be an album cover that you design
You must provide the following information for each song...

- Song title & artist name
- A lyric from the song that is meaningful to you
- A brief write-up describing why you chose this song and how it connects to specific characters, events, or themes from the novel
• Your write-up should be approximately 50 words for each song

• Marks will be deducted for write-ups that have less than 35 words or more than 65 words!

• Please e-mail your assignment to me at mlogan@sd57.bc.ca by Monday 9 February
“The Outsiders” Soundtrack
1. “Leathers” by Deftones

Album: *Koi No Yokan*

“Wear your insides on the outside, show your enemy what you look like”
This is a perfect song to start the soundtrack for “The Outsiders” because both the book and song begin the same. The song begins with soft mellow sounds for about 40 seconds and then the music and lyrics hit hard and heavy. This is like the novel in that it begins with Ponyboy talking about himself and his love of movies, and then all of a sudden he gets jumped by a group of socs.

The song also has a very rebellious and defiant tone, much like the greasers’ attitude towards the socs and the rest of the community.
2. “Rebel Way” by Snoop Lion

Album: Reincarnation

“You can’t run away, you gotta face this. Time is moving fast, can’t dwell on the past.”
3. “Hey Baby” by Stephen Marley

Album: *Mind Control*

“If you thought that I was lost, I had to bear my cross. Now I’m free from all these chains.”
4. “Road to Zion” by Damian Marley feat. Nas

Album: Welcome to Jamrock

“In this world of calamity, dirty looks and grudges and jealousy...”
5. “With a Little Help From My Friends” by The Beatles

Album: *Sgt. Pepper’s Lonely Heart’s Club Band*

“I get by with a little help from my friends”