

1. Two answers required. In December 1994, a six-page letter written in 1969 was sold at auction for \$92 million. FTP, name both the original recipient and author of this letter, who blamed the recipient for the breakup of The Beatles.
ANSWER: John Lennon sent the letter to Paul and Linda McCartney

2. The Dusseldorf Rhein Fire, the Amsterdam Admirals, the Scottish Claymores, the Frankfurt Galaxy, the Barcelona Dragons and the London Monarchs will compete this spring in, FTP, what recently renewed grid-iron league?
ANSWER: World League of American Football (prompt only on "World League")

3. He quarreled with Freud over the importance of sex in psychological theory, and encouraged his own followers to develop their own theories. He was also the first to theorize the collective unconscious. FTP, name this psychologist perhaps best known for describing introverted and extroverted personality types.
ANSWER: Carl Jung (yung)

4. Rudolph Abel, a top Soviet spy, was caught by the US but wasn't executed. This was because Abel was traded for, FTP, what American held captive by the USSR after his reconnaissance U-2 plane was shot down in a spy mission?
ANSWER: Rudolph Ivanovich Abel

5. A deficiency in this vitamin leads to rough skin, impaired bone growth, abnormal tooth alignment, and night blindness. FTP, name this vitamin, most commonly found in dairy products, eggs, liver, spinach, and dark, leafy greens.
ANSWER: Vitamin A

6. This term comes from the French word for pasting, sticking or gluing. It is a work made by pasting fragments of paper, cloth, photographs, and other materials onto a flat surface. FTP, name this technique.
ANSWER: collage

7. FQTP, give the name of the mountain immortalized by the United States Marines conquest of Iwo Jima.
ANSWER: Mount Suribachi

8. 1961 was an unusual year numerologically: it was the most recent time a year could be written right-side up or upside-down and still be read the same way. FTP, what will be the next year this will happen?
ANSWER: 6009

9. FQTP, what Florida doctor was shot July 29th by Paul Hill, who has earned the death sentence for this crime?
ANSWER: Dr. John Britton

10. The name's the same: the daughter of Leontes (lee-ON-tees) and Hermione (her-MY-o-nee) in Shakespeare's *The Winter's Tale* and the mother dog in *101 Dalmatians*. FTP, provide the common name, which means "little lost one".

ANSWER: Perdita

11. By now you ought to know that Mount Kilimanjaro is the highest point in Africa, but FTP, what is the second-highest point in Africa?

ANSWER: Mount Kenya

12. Virginia might be the "Home of the Presidents", but this state has quite a lock on the title "Home of the Vice-Presidents", having twice as many as any other state. FTP, name this state, the home of George Clinton and Theodore Roosevelt.

ANSWER: New York

13. Bushmaster, Boomslang, Gaboon, Taipan, tic-palonga and the sawscaled are all venomous types of, FTP, what reptile?

ANSWER: snake

14. On November 2, 1990, the Phoenix Suns beat the Utah Jazz in the first NBA game played outside of North America. FTP, in what city was it played?

ANSWER: Toyko, Japan

15. Expelled from a seminary in 1899, as a young revolutionary was known as "Koba". He rose to prominence as chief of the Rabkrin. FTP, name this Soviet dictator, who after Lenin's death in 1924 emerged as the leader of the USSR.

ANSWER: Josef Stalin

16. Ethel Waters, Ethel Merman, Al Jolson, Nat King Cole, Bing Crosby, James Polk, Marilyn Monroe, and Richard Nixon may seem like an unusual mix, but they will be united this coming year on, FTP, what delicious bits of gummed paper?

ANSWER: postage stamps

17. FQTP, name the current president of Chile.

ANSWER: Eduardo Frei Ruiz-Tagle

18. Using his trademark right-to-left "alla mancina" handwriting, legible only with a mirror, this 16th century artist, inventor, and scientist authored, among other works, the recently purchased *Codex Hammer*. FTP, name him.

ANSWER: Leonardo Da Vinci

19. While the names Cheryl James and Sandi Denton may not mean much to you, they have delighted millions of listeners by talking about sex and other things that are none of your business. FTP, what is this duo's better known stage name?

ANSWER: Salt-n-Pepa

20. His political theory stresses faith in self-government based on a rural society of educated independent farmers. FTP, name this statesman, author of the Virginia statute on religious freedom and called "the Sage of *Monticello*".

ANSWER: Thomas Jefferson

21. IDG Books has produced a series of books dealing with Quicken, Windows, Unix, the Internet, DOS, and even Personal Finance. FTP, what two word phrase completes each title in this series?

ANSWER: For Dummies

22. You might remember some of the Smurfs like Brainy, Hefty, Jokey, Handy, and Vanity, but FTP, can you name the creator who brought us these 3 apple tall critters every Saturday morning.

ANSWER: Peyo

23. Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen resigned in December 1994, and his likely successor is a former Wall Street guru. FTP, name this man, who left Goldman Sachs to become director of the National Economic Council in 1993.

ANSWER: Robert Rubin

24. To compete with an unauthorized biography, he published his autobiography, *Songs My Mother Taught Me*, which many readers found easy to refuse. FTP, name this actor, famous for roles in *On the Waterfront* and *The Godfather*.

ANSWER: Marlon Brando

25. This term is defined as an atmospheric circulation of winds rotating counter-clockwise in the northern hemisphere and clockwise in the southern, usually accompanied by precipitation or storms. FTP, give this term, examples of which are tornadoes and hurricanes.

ANSWER: cyclone

26. Hospitals, emus, NBC, harpies, certain panty shields, Pegasus and DC-9's, FTP, all share what common feature.

ANSWER: wings

27. The Steers, Attack, Cowboys, Spurs, Comets, Blues, Kings, Scouts, A's Monarchs, Chiefs and Royals have all played professional sports in, FTP, what midwestern city?

ANSWER: Kansas City

28. The Miss America pageant is one of the most widely watched television events of the year, but, FTP, do you still remember the deaf Alabamian who walked off with the title in 1994?

ANSWER: Heather Whitestone

1. (30) Do you remember your Latin well enough to conjugate the verb whose second principal part is *audire* (ow-DEER-eh). FTP each, given the following singular forms in the active voice, indicative mood, provide the plural form.

ANSWER: audimus

ANSWER: auditus

ANSWER: audiunt

2. (30) Identify these leaders of 20th century China for 15 points each.

a. He was the founder of the Guomindang, and was its leader until his death in 1925. Name this leader known for his Three Principles of the People.

ANSWER: Sun Yatsen

b. He became the first president of China in 1912, proclaimed himself emperor in 1915, returned to the presidency in March 1916, then died three months later.

ANSWER: Yuan Shikai

3. (30) For 10 points each, name the one-celled organism from its description.

a) A genus of protozoans characterized by an oral groove and cilia.

ANSWER: paramecium

b) This organism moves by forming temporary projections known as pseudopods and is responsible for a form of dysentery.

ANSWER: amoeba

b) This microorganism has plant cells, as well as a flagellum like an animal cell.

ANSWER: euglena

4. (30) This summer John Goodman made yet another brilliant career move, starring in *The Flintstones*. But if you're like me, you prefer the original. FTP each, answer these questions about the classic cartoon.

A: *The Flagstones*

A: Great Gazoo

A: Hoppy

5. (30) Sir Richard Attenborough is the latest, if not greatest, actor to play Kris Kringle in the movie *Miracle on 34th Street*. FTP, name the actor who won an Oscar for his portrayal in the original version

ANSWER: Edmund Gwenn

For twenty points, who played Santa in the 1973 TV movie version

ANSWER: Sebastian Cabot

6. (30) 30-20-10 name the president

30) He invented his own proof of the pythagorean theorem

20) He was colonel of the 42d Ohio Infantry in 1862 and was made major general for gallantry at the Battle of Chickamauga.

10) He was shot July 2, 1881 by Charles Guiteau and died September 19, 1881.

ANSWER: James A. Garfield

7. (30) On December 20, 1860, South Carolina passed an ordinance of secession from the Union. By February 1861, six other states had followed suit. For five points each, name these six states that joined South Carolina in founding the Confederate States of America.

ANSWER: Florida, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas

8. (30) It's time for fun with the periodic table. Given a list of elements, provide the state capital spelled out by their atomic symbols, fifteen points each.

a. Astatine, Lanthium, Nitrogen, Tantalum

ANSWER: AtLaNTa

b. Boron, Oxygen, Iodine, Selenium

ANSWER: BOISe

9. (30) Given the last line of the Shakespeare play, name the play. 10 points each.

a. We will begin these rites / As we do trust they'll end in true delights

ANSWER: As You Like It

b. March sadly after; grace my mournings here / In weeping this untimely bier

ANSWER: Richard III

c. And then to Rome, Come, Dolabella see / High Order in this great solemnity

ANSWER: Antony & Cleopatra

10. (25) While necessary to the overall design, these elements are considered of minor importance, and at one time it was not unusual for an artist to have his apprentice paint them into a composition. For 25 points, give the proper name of these auxiliary figures or animals incorporated in a drawing or painting of a landscape to provide incidental interest, scale, or to emphasize perspective.

ANSWER: Staffage

11. (30) FTP each, I'll give you a song title with a female name in it and the decade it hit the charts. You name the artist.

a. 1960's "Dawn"

A: Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons

b. 1970's "Brandy (you're a fine girl)"

A: Looking Glass

c. 1980's "Sarah"

A: Starship (NOT Jefferson Starship)

12. (30) 30-20-10 name the author given the works

30) *Men Without Women, Green Hills of Africa*

20) *A Movable Feast, The Torrents of Spring*

10) *The Sun Also Rises*

ANSWER: Ernest Hemingway

13. (30) Fools to the left of me, jokers to the right, here I am in the geographic center with you. FTP apiece, tell which state each of these centers lies in.

a) The Contiguous United States

ANSWER: Kansas

b) The United States including Alaska and Hawaii

ANSWER: South Dakota

c) The North American continent

ANSWER: North Dakota

14. (20) He is best known for his theorem which foiled Russell and Whitehead's attempt to give math a secure logical foundation. For 20 points name the author of the incompleteness theorem.

ANSWER: Kurt Gödel

15. (30) Identify the author of these books with death in the title for the stated number of points.

a) 5 points *Death of a Salesman*

ANSWER: Arthur Miller

b) 10 points *Death in Venice*

ANSWER: Thomas Mann

c) 15 points *Death Comes for the Archbishop*

ANSWER: Willa Cather

16. (30) It's time for the BU packet wrestling bonus. For 10 points each, give the point values in amateur wrestling for each of the following moves.

a) Reversal

ANSWER: 2

b) Escape

ANSWER: 1

c) Match points earned for a pin

ANSWER: 6

17. (30) 30-20-10 give the common female name.

30) It is the latest release by the band Helmet.

20) It is the first name of the wife of the 38th president of the United States.

10) First name of a cartoon star, who thrilled audiences of the 20's and 30's with her revealing neckline, high hemline, and her ever-present garter.

ANSWER: Betty

18. (30) For 10 points each answer these questions about trees.

a) The vascular system that carries water from the roots to all parts of the tree.

ANSWER: xylem (ZY-lem)

b) The vascular system that carries food from photosynthetic tissue to all parts of the tree.

ANSWER: Phloem (FLOW-em)

c) What is the study of trees called?

ANSWER: dendrology

19. (30) 30-20-10 give the year.

30) Elisha Graves Otis invents the elevator

20) Louis Napoleon declares himself the Emperor of the French

10) Harriet Beecher Stowe's novel *Uncle Tom's Cabin* debuts

ANSWER: 1852

20. (20) During only one Presidential Administration have the president and vice-president had the same first name. Name them for 10 points each.

ANSWER: John Quincy Adams and John C. Calhoun

21. (30) Newt Gingrich is wasting no time in proving how out of touch he is, as he compared today's real-life orphanages to the classic film *Boys Town*. Newt would probably have no trouble with these questions, how about you?

a) (5 points) He won an Oscar for portraying Boys Town founder Father Flanagan.

ANSWER: Spencer Tracy

b) (10 points) This actor played the street youth Father Flanagan turns around.

ANSWER: Mickey Rooney

c) (15 points) This man directed Boys Town

ANSWER: Norman Taurog

22. (30) With the next Winter Olympics almost four years away, this College Bowler can't help but wax nostalgic for those icy spectacles of the past. FTP each, given the year and the event name the Gold Medalist.

a) 1984 Men's singles Figure Skating ANSWER: Scott Hamilton

b) 1988 Men's Giant Slalom ANSWER: Alberto Tomba

c) 1984 Women's Singles Figure Skating ANSWER: Katarina Witt

23. (30) Water, water everywhere...but how much exactly? FTP each tell me, within 5 gallons, the average amount of water used for each of these activities

a) To run a dishwasher ANSWER: 10 (accept 5-15)

b) To wash dishes by hand ANSWER: 20 (accept 15-25)

c) By the average person daily ANSWER: 168 (accept 163-173)

24. (30) 30-20-10 name the artist given the works.

30 points : *The Potato Eaters*

20 points : *Cafe at Night*

10 points : *The Starry Night* ANSWER: Vincent Van Gogh

25. (25) He said "Forty days more, and Nineveh will be overthrown". FTP, name this Old Testament prophet abandoned at sea.

ANSWER: Jonah

This prophet blew into Israel where he threatened the nation with exile and King Jeroboam with death by the sword. For fifteen points, name the earliest of the biblical prophets to leave a book in his own name.

ANSWER: Amos

26. (30)

Given three flags, name the common color.

1.) Chad, Belgium, the Bahamas ANSWER: Yellow

2.) Cyprus, Czechoslovakia, Estonia ANSWER: White

3.) Israel, France, Liechtenstein ANSWER: Blue