

7. For a quick ten points, the correct name is "In-A-Door" but most people refer to this type of bed by the name of its manufacturer. What is the name of this company and bed?

Murphy Door Bed Company

8. All eyes were on Cincinnati last November as an art gallery director was placed on trial for obscenity after displaying an exhibit by Robert Mapplethorpe. For ten points, name this beleaguered gallery director, who was acquitted of all charges.

*Pete Corneilson*  
Dennis Barrie

9. → A subplot of the movie, *The Godfather Part III* involves the assassination of a Pope, <sup>John Paul II</sup> ~~profer~~ that art sometimes imitates life. For ten points, name the man convicted of trying to assassinate Pope John Paul II in 1981.

Mehmet Ali Agca (Ollie Ah-zha)

10. "Desolation Angels", "Doctor Sax", "The Subterraneans", "Visions of Cody", "Tristessa", "Big Sur", and "On The Road". For a quick ten points, which "beat generation" author wrote all of these?

Jack Kerouac

11. She was making a point when she refused to perform on "Saturday Night Live" when Andrew Dice Clay hosted. SNL's producers were making a point, too, when they refused to renew her contract. For ten points, name this former cast member, whose characters included "Pat Stephens" and Leona Helmsley.

Nora Dunn

12. Although the Battle of the Bulge is often considered Hitler's final offensive on the western front it was not. Operation Nordwind was launched on 31 December 1944. The fighting took place in a region of France whose ownership had been disputed with Germany for centuries. It officially became part of France in 1648 under Louis XIV. Germany gained it after the Franco-Prussian War in 1871. Possession of the region jumped back and forth during the two world wars. Today, it's in France, but for how long no one knows. For ten points, name this oft-disputed region.

Alsace-Lorraine

13. This English playwright's works include *The Massacre at Paris*, *The Jew of Malta*, *Edward II*, and *The Tragical History of Dr. Faustus*. For ten points, name this writer, killed in a brawl in 1593.

Christopher Marlowe

4 Faith (in God) is an extremely important teaching of Protestant Christianity. Much of this teaching comes from the so-called "Faith Chapter". For ten points, in what book of the New Testament does this chapter appear?

Hebrews

5 He wrote the science-fiction story "Somnium or the Astronomy of the Moon". What's amazing is that he wrote it in the seventeenth century. But if anyone was qualified to write stories about space travel it was him. For ten points, name this man, better known for his laws of planetary motion.

Johannes Kepler

16 Henry Wirz is certainly not the most famous officer in American history but he does hold a unique distinction. He was the only Confederate soldier executed for war crimes. The charges stemmed from the ill-treatment of Union prisoners-of-war at which infamous camp?

Andersonville

The earliest known one, Sadd el-Kafara, was built in Egypt around 2700 B.C. Later ones include the Marib in Yemen, Furens in France, and innumerable ones built by beavers. For ten points, what are these structures?

Dams

18 In 1988, the National Basketball Association added two new franchises. They did so again, more successfully, in 1989. These four teams were the first to join the NBA since 1980, when this now-successful franchise joined the league. For ten points, name it. DN

Dallas Mavericks (accept either)

19 A, E, H, I, K, L, M, N, O, P, U, and W. For a quick ten points, these are the only letters of what alphabet?

Hawaiian

20 In the recent biography, As Thousands Cheer, Laurence Bergreen says that overzealous patriotism was, for all practical purposes, the religion of the man often described as America's songwriter. For ten points, name him.

Irving Berlin

21 In 1898, Joseph Pulitzer's burgeoning St. Louis Post-Dispatch hired a 15-year-old as a correspondent to cover the Spanish-American War. He went on to become mayor of New York City. For ten points, name this "little flower".

Fiorello LaGuardia

22 This book was number one on the Publishers' Weekly nonfiction bestseller chart for five months in 1972 before the editors reclassified it as fiction. For ten points, name this work by Richard Bach, whose title went on to inspire the name of the band whose only American hit was "I Ran".

Jonathan Livingston Seagull

23 According to Ronald Brownstein's new book The Power and the Glitter: The Hollywood-Washington Connection, a young actress recently cornered Senator John Kerry of Massachusetts and demanded to know, among other things, why Congress couldn't pass a law so people wouldn't have to pay taxes. For ten points, who was this co-star of "Family Ties"?

Justine Bateman

24 Frank Sinatra records his first solo hits; the first nuclear chain reaction is produced; William Rose Benet wins a Pulitzer Prize for "The Dust Which Is God"; Shut Out wins the Kentucky Derby; John Barrymore dies; Erica Jong is born; Japan is defeated at the Battle of Midway. For ten points, all these events took place in what year?

1942

25 Among the lesser known occupants of this office have been Morrison Waite, Oliver Ellsworth, Fred Vinson, and John Rutledge. The position is currently filled by a 67 year old Arizonan whose greatest honor had previously been that he graduated first in his class from Stanford University Law School. What is this job currently held by William H. Rehnquist?

Chief Justice of the United States [Chief Justice of the Supreme Court is NOT ACCEPTABLE.]

26 Although the 1990 census proved that California is still the largest state by a wide margin, an historic development took place at the other end of the population hierarchy. Alaska had been the smallest state since it was admitted to the union, but not anymore. The Last Frontier has surpassed at least one and possibly two states in population. What is now the least populous state?

Wyoming

7 For a quick ten points, and within three years, what was the last year that saw no fatalities on scheduled U.S. airline flights?

1980 [Accept 1977-1983]

8 *The Italian Girl in Algiers, Semiramide, William Tell, and The Barber of Seville.* For ten points, who wrote these operas?

Gioacchino Rossini

MINNESOTA Bonuses

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1. (30 points) 30-20-10 Identify this number.
- a) It is the number of issues of the comic book *Howard the Duck* written by his creator, Steve Gerber
  - b) It is the maximum possible score for one hand in Cribbage
  - c) It is the greatest possible number of days in the shortest month of the year

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2. (25 points) It's time once again for sports spelling. We've selected one name from each of the four major team sports (football, baseball, basketball and hockey), and there's not a Krzyzewski (shu-SHEF-ski) among them. Five points for each one correct, plus a five point bonus for all four. You just need to spell the last names!

- a) Carl Yastrzemski
- b) Sarunas Marciulionis (marsh-ill-OWN-us)
- c) Manu Tuiasosopo (too-ee-ah-so-SO-po)
- d) Joe Nieuwendyk (noo-wen-dike)

- a) Y-A-S-T-R-Z-E-M-S-K-I
- b) M-A-R-C-I-U-L-I-O-N-I-S
- c) T-U-I-A-S-O-S-O-P-O
- d) N-I-E-U-W-E-N-D-Y-K

3. (25 points) In the 1980s, the Pulitzer Prize for Poetry was twice awarded to collections simply entitled *Selected Poems*. You'll get 10 points for one or 25 points for naming both of the authors of these acclaimed works.

Donald R. Justice  
Galway Kinnell

4. (30 points) You'll be given six, count them, six events in the history of France. For 5 points each, put them in the correct chronological order, from earliest to latest. The Events: [read them slowly] Franco-Prussian War, Third Republic, July Monarchy, Mexican Expedition, Vichy, Election of Louis Napoleon

- July Monarchy
- Election of Louis Napoleon
- Mexican Expedition
- Franco-Prussian War
- Third Republic
- Vichy

5 (30 points) 30-20-10. Name this writer/singer/actor.

- a) He is the lead singer of "Seduction of the Innocent"
- b) He co-created the comic book "Comet Man", and has also written a few issues of the Star Trek comic book
- c) He is also known as Art Barnes (of Barnes and Barnes), but is best known as the actor who played Will Robinson on TV's "Lost in Space"

Billy Mummy

6 (25 points) Those of you who watch late night television are in commercial heaven. But we sometimes forget that the common household items of today were once the nifty Ronco gadgets of yesterday. I'll list 5 consumer products, and you put them in chronological order according to when they hit the market. You'll get five point for each one correct.

The Stuff: Felt-Tip Pens, Velcro, aerosol cans, electric toothbrush, stainless-steel razor blades.

Aerosol cans, Velcro, razor blades, felt-tip pens, electric toothbrush

7 (20 points) Several times in the last 20 years, Washington powerbrokers have been brought down by revelations of their dalliances with women. We'll give you 5 points for each scandalous femme fatale you can match with the correct hapless prey.

The Women: Elizabeth Ray, Fanne Foxe, Donna Rice, Rita Jenrette  
The Stiffs: Wayne Hays, John Jenrette, Wilbur Mills, Gary Hart

Ray-Hays

Foxe-Mills

Rice-Hart

Jenrette-Jenrette

8 (20 points) Ottoman rulers often had interesting honorifics after their names; for example, Suleiman the Magnificent, known as "The Mag" to his friends. Proclaiming himself caliph, Selim conquered Cairo in 1517. What was the unfriendly honorific that he attached to his name? You'll get 20 points if you can come up with it.

Selim the Grim

9.  
(25 points), And the nominees are. Yes it's Grammy Time again. I'll tell you this year's nominees for Album of the Year, and you name the corresponding albums, for 5 points each.

- a) Phil Collins
- b) Quincy Jones
- c) Mariah Carey
- d) M.C. Hammer
- e) Wilson Phillips

- a) But Seriously,
- b) Back on the Block
- c) Mariah Carey
- d) Please Hammer Don't Hurt 'Em
- e) Wilson Phillips

10 (25 points) How well do you know your art history? Yes, it's our token art question! Given the names of five famous works of art, you name the painters for 5 points each.

- a) "The Expulsion from Paradise"
- b) "Madonna of the Goldfinch"
- c) "Venus of Urbino"
- d) "Toledo in a Storm"
- e) "The Judgment of Paris"

- a) Masaccio
- b) Raphael
- c) Titian
- d) El Greco
- e) Rubens

11 (30 points) The year 69 A.D. is sometimes called "The Year of the Four Emperors" as Galba, Otho, Vitellus, and Vespasian all ruled in Rome during that year. 193 A.D. might be called the "Year of the Five Emperors" because no fewer than five different people claimed the throne. We won't ask you to name them all, because what with civil wars and such the situation was quite complicated and the title was often in dispute. Frankly, we'd be impressed if you know any of them. So, for 15 points each, name any 2 of the men who claimed the title Emperor of Rome in 193 A.D.

Pertinax  
Didius Julianus  
Pescennius Niger  
Albinus  
Septimus Severus

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(30 points) 1990 marked the 100th birthday of Agatha Christie, the world's all-time bestseller with over 600 million copies sold. She has created two of mystery's greatest sleuths, Hercule Poirot and Jane Marple. We'll give you a list of five Christie novels; you tell whether they feature Poirot, Marple, or Someone Else. 5 points each and a 5 point bonus for all correct.

- a) Murder on the Orient Express
- b) Ordeal by Innocence
- c) And Then There Were None
- d) Curtain
- e) The Murder at the Vicarage

- a) Poirot
- b) Someone Else
- c) Someone Else
- d) Poirot
- e) Marple

(✓) (30 points) 30-20-5. Name this event.

- a) It occurred March 1, 1932.
- b) The crime happened between 8pm and 10pm in the town of Hope-well, NJ.
- c) Bruno Richard Hauptmann was convicted of this "Crime of the Century"

the kidnaping of the Lindbergh baby

(✓) (30 points) Everyone here knows many facts about the fifty states, but how much do you know about the counties of England? Let's find out. Answer these questions for 5 points each.

- a) In which county is Land's End?
- b) What county has the greatest area?
- c) What county features the white cliffs of Dover and the new tunnel to France?
- d) What county is appropriately the northernmost?
- e) What city is the seat of Merseyside?
- f) What county was the home of Robin Hood?

- a) Cornwall
- b) North Yorkshire
- c) Kent
- d) Northumberland
- e) Liverpool
- f) Nottinghamshire

20 (25 points) Many corporations, such as Sears, make a point of making sure you know where their headquarters are. Others are known only to those who follow the business news. Take five points for knowing the home city of each of the following:



- a) Ralston Purina
- b) BankAmerica
- c) Gillette
- d) Conrail
- e) MCI
- f) Borden

- a) St. Louis
- b) San Francisco
- c) Boston
- d) Philadelphia
- e) Washington
- f) New York

21 (25 points) Towers. Everyone brags that they've got the tallest one, you hardly ever hear someone claim the smallest one. Seriously, though, for 5 points each, where will you find the following?

- a) <sup>San Antonio, TX</sup> The world's tallest freestanding tower <sup>in what city?</sup>
- b) The world's tallest occupied building <sup>in what city?</sup>
- c) The world's tallest reinforced concrete building <sup>in what city?</sup>
- d) In what U.S. state is the tallest broadcasting tower in the western hemisphere?
- e) In what European nation is the world's tallest broadcasting tower?

- a) Toronto
- b) Chicago
- c) Chicago
- d) North Dakota
- e) Poland

22 (30 points) The constitution calls them the principal officers of the executive departments, but you know them as the cabinet. For 5 points each, what cabinet departments were headed by these people:

- a) Caspar Weinberger, Abraham Ribicoff, and Elliot Richardson?
  - b) Elliot Richardson, Robert Kennedy, and Ramsey Clark?
  - c) George Shultz, Arthur Goldberg, and Elizabeth Dole?
  - d) George Shultz, James Baker, and David Kennedy?
  - e) George Shultz, James Baker, and Thomas Jefferson?
- a) Health, Education, Welfare
  - b) Justice
  - c) Labor
  - d) Treasury
  - e) State

13 (30 points) Small colleges have long been heralded as having qualities not prominent in larger institutions of higher learning. For 5 points each, what state would you be in if you were visiting the campuses of these schools of under 3000 students?

- a) Oberlin
- b) Lafayette
- c) Union University
- d) John F. Kennedy U
- e) Amherst
- f) Avila

- a) Ohio
- b) Pennsylvania
- c) Tennessee
- d) California
- e) Massachusetts
- f) Missouri

← Read Slowly

24 (25 point Visual Bonus!) [Hand players attached diagram] Figure EFGH is a rectangle with sides of lengths 2" and 3". Axes a), b), c), and d) are parallel to the edges of the rectangle; a) and b) along the edges with c) and d) through the center. For 5 points each and a five point bonus for all correct, give the moment of inertia, in inches to the fourth power, for rotation of rectangle EFGH around axes a), b), c), and d).

- a) 18
- b) 8
- c) 4.5
- d) 2