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A. His life, or more specifically his death, are shrouded in mystery, but this American author was not a mystery writer. For a quick ten points, name the journalist, short-story writer and poet who penned Cobwebs from an Empty Skull, In the Midst of Life, and The Devil's Dictionary.

A: Ambrose Bierce

L. This Massachusetts mill town was originally built to take advantage of the waterpower provided by the Merrimac River. For ten points, name this city, home of Wang Laboratories and a national historical park containing 7 old textile mills.

A: Lowell

B. The music is by Piere Degeyter and the original words are by Eugene Pottier. English musician Billy Bragg recently rewrote the lyrics to account for changes that have occurred in society in the 120 years that have passed since they were first written. For ten points name this song that once served as the Soviet national anthem.

A: The Internationale

A. Running from Duluth to Seattle, this railroad was the only transcontinental railroad built without government assistance. For ten points, name this railroad built by James J. Hill.

A: The Great Northern

A. The names the same, a brand of chocolate, a square in San Francisco and a leader of the Italian reunification movement in the 19th century. For Ten points, what is the common name?

A: Garibaldi

Only rarely has a monk had such access to power and such influence over policy. However, this monks power derived from his supposed ability to alleviate the rulers' sons illness. For ten points, who was this monk who was assassinated in 1916?

A: Rasputin

A. A new translation of the Bible work was published in 1990. This new version in part sought to eliminate much of the sexist language that was included in the 1952 English translation. For ten points, give the full name of this new translation.

A: The New Revised Standard Version Bible

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10. Every year, the American Library Association presents an award for the best work in Children's Literature. For ten points name this award which shares its name with a town in Massachusetts.

A: The Newberry Medal

11. He is the first Representative since the 93rd Congress who is not a member of either of the two major parties. For ten points, name this Socialist and former mayor of Burlington, Vermont.

A: Bernie Sanders

12. His next project is a history of baseball in America. Hopefully, it will not take him another 5 1/2 years to finish it. For ten points, who is this documentary maker who has achieved national prominence with the amazing success of the PBS Series The Civil War?

A: Ken Burns

13. The Budget Act of 1974 created a new Congressional Agency designed to oversee all aspects of the Federal Budget and to focus on the monetary impact of proposed legislation. However, in recent years, its primary focus has been on measuring the size of the federal deficit. For ten points, name this organization whose heads have included Alice Rivlin and Robert Reichsaur.

A: Congressional Budget Office or CBO

14. It seems like you can't watch sports on TV without seeing a sign saying "John 3:16." But how many of you actually know what that particular verse says. For ten points, what does John 3:16 say?

A: For God so loved the world that he gave his only son

(accept near equivalents)

15. He played only 9 years but ranks 10th on the all-time rushing yardage list. He was selected as rookie of the year in 1978 and led the AFC in rushing 4 consecutive years. For ten points, name this Houston Oiler who was recently inducted into the Football Hall of Fame?

A: Earl Campbell

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At his death on October 31, 1987 he was an acknowledged leader in his field. His works included "The Hero With a Thousand Faces" and "The Masks of God." However, he perhaps most famous for the PBS Series "The Power of Myth" that he created with Bill Moyers. For ten points, who was this noted scholar?

A: Joseph Campbell

Winners of this medal have included Hank Aaron, Sammy Davis Jr., Jesse Jackson and Rosa Parks. It is awarded each year by the NAACP for the highest achievement by an African-American. For ten points, name this medal named after an early chairman of the NAACP.

A: The Spingarn Medal

The integration of Central High School in Little Rock, Arkansas was only brought about because of intervention by federal troops. Federal troops were needed because the Governor of Arkansas was using the National Guard in an effort to stop integration. For ten points, who was this governor who defied the federal government in an effort to keep African-Americans out of public schools?

A: Orval Faubus

A life-long resident of the Dallas suburbs, this performer's real name is Robby Van Winkle. He is better known as singer and dancer than as a Motorcross champion. Although he sings the lyrics, the music for his best known hit is recognizable to fans of Queen and David Bowie. For ten points, who is this rapper whose album "To the Extreme" has been #1 for over two months?

A: Vanilla-Ice

This character, once described by Joan Rivers, might be called "fast", and has a unique ability to make a man mad. This person is very fast indeed: faster than a falling O, stronger than silent E, able to leap capital T in a single bound. For ten points, who is it?

A: Letterman

Appropriately enough, it consists of twins - three sets of them. A pair of red dwarf stars orbits a pair of double star systems, and from 45 light-years away, it all looks like one star. For ten points, give the common name for Alpha Geminorum, the second-brightest "star" in the constellation Gemini.

A: Castor

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19. It names not one, but two regions of Europe: a stretch of Poland and the Ukraine immediately east of the Carpathians, and the panhandle of Spain due north of Portugal. The western region gives its name to a language spoken by 3 million people, while the eastern one is more familiar to players of Diplomacy. For ten points, what is this popular place name?

A: Galicia

20. It's the first pop record since "Wipeout" to open with a drum solo; of course, "Wipeout" didn't have a 14-piece Brazilian rhythm section. It also has a guitarist from Cameroon, and was recorded in Rio de Janeiro by a singer/songwriter from New York. For ten points, name this album, the latest by Paul Simon.

A: The Rhythm of the Saints

21. If not for him, we'd be keeping score in Roman numerals. His most important accomplishment was introducing the Arabic numeral system to Europe, which he did in 1202. However, he is best remembered for discovering a series of numbers with several natural and cultural applications. For ten points, name the man and you'll name the series, which begins 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8.

A: Leonardo Fibonacci

22. The uniform changed in 1990 for the first time in 50 years. Timothy Drake is the latest of the three people to hold the position, none of them over the age of 18. Name this post previously held by Jason Todd and Dick Grayson, the best-known sidekick in comic books.

A: Robin

23. The classic example is the paper clip: you'll never break it by pulling on it, but bend it back and forth a few times and it'll snap right off. For ten points, name the word which describes the failure of a structure due to repeated cycles of loading and unloading, rather than a single, overly large, load.

A: fatigue

24. Mogadishu, Somalia has been in the news recently as the Somali leader Mohammed Siad Barre struggled to maintain power in the face of popular uprising. For ten points, spell Mogadishu.

A: M-O-G-A-D-I-S-H-U

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25. She was an American novelist born in 1811 who died in 1896. It is said that Abraham Lincoln once greeted her by saying "So you are the little woman who started this <sup>great</sup> war." For ten points, who is this novelist who created such characters such as Simon Legree and Uncle Tom?

A: Harriet Beecher Stowe

26. One of the premier architects of his day he designed many buildings to replace those destroyed in the Great Fire of 1666. For ten points, who is this man, the architect of St. Paul's Cathedral.

A: Christopher Wren

27. He is not as colorful as many of his counterparts. For a quick ten points, who is the long-time coach of the University of Colorado Football team?

A: Bill McCartney

28. Patricia Donnelly, Sharon Ritchies, BeBe Sharp, Susan Powell, Kelliye Cash, Lee Merriwether, Mary Ann Mobley and Phyllis George. For ten points, these women are all past winners of what contest held each fall in Atlantic City, New Jersey?

A: The Miss America Pageant (except Miss America)

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Bonus

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✓ (20 pts) The Anne of Green Gables series captures the essence of life in the Maritime Provinces earlier in this century. For 10 pts, each lets test your knowledge of this series.

- a. In which Canadian Province are the books primarily set.
- b. Who wrote the series

- a. Prince Edward Island
- b. Lucy Maud Montgomery

✓ (25 points) Its not everyday that senior White House officials feel the need to ridicule the ideas of more junior officials. However, last fall Richard Darman felt the need to ridicule the concept of a "New Paradigm" by saying "Brother can you paradigm." For 25 points, the "New Paradigm" is the intellectual brainchild of what White House Planning Official who shares his last name with a famous 19th Century Detective?

A: Thomas Pinkerton

✓ (30pts) War in the Persian Gulf has turned some relatively anonymous federal officials for ten points each name the official press spokesperson for each of these federal bodies.

- a. The Pentagon

10A: Pete Williams

- b. The State Department

10A: Margaret Tutweiler

- c. The White House

10A: Marlin Fitzwater

✓ (20 points) Residents of the Midwest, such as yourselves, know that there are medium-sized cities named Bloomington in three different states: Illinois, Indiana, and Minnesota. For twenty points, all or nothing, arrange ~~them~~ <sup>these Bloomingtons</sup> in descending order of population.

A: Minnesota, Indiana, Illinois

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2. (20 pts) Every College Bowl packet seems to include questions about pop music. This question will test your knowledge of Country Music. For 5 points each given an album or song name the artist who recorded it.

a. Killin' Time

5 A: Clint Black

b. Eighteen Wheels and a Dozen Roses

A: Kathy Mattea

c. You Win Again

5 A: Mary Chapin Carpenter

d. Once in A Very Blue Moon

A: Nancy Griffith

3. (25 points) What would a packet be without a labor history question. In 1935, labor leaders met to organize industry-wide unions designed to strengthen the position of labor. This question will test your knowledge of this momentous occasion.

a. For 10 points, name the President of the United Mine Workers who spearheaded this movement.

b. For 5 points, by what three letter acronym is the organization they created commonly known.

c. For a final ten points, although CIO originally stood for Committee for Industrial Organizations, what did the acronym come to stand for.

10 a. John L. Lewis

5 b. CIO

10 c. Congress of Industrial Organizations

4. (30 pts) The 1990 Census figures are out and once again, New York, Los Angeles and Chicago are still the three largest U.S. cities. However, being good College Bowl players, I'm sure you all have memorized the 10 largest cities. For 5 points each and an additional five points for getting them in the proper order which cities are the next 5 largest?

A: Houston, Philadelphia, San Diego, Detroit, Dallas

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(25 pts) This question will test your knowledge of Alice Walker's book The Color Purple. Each correct answer will get you five points but an incorrect answer will stop you.

- a. Who is the narrator of the novel?
- b. What is her sister's name?
- c. To whom does Celie initially address the letters she writes?
- d. Who is the woman that takes Celie to Memphis?
- e. Who sasses the mayor's wife and gets sent to jail?

- a. Celie
- b. Nettie
- c. God
- d. Shug Avery
- e. Sophie

(25 points) These two science fiction legends share a friendship and rivalry that spans some forty years. When one of them learned that a survivor of the Iowa plane crash had read one of his novels for comfort during the ordeal, he informed the other of this by saying "What a pity he didn't read one of your novels. He would have slept through the whole wretched ordeal." His colleague replied: "On the contrary, the reason he was reading your novel was that if the plane did crash, death would come as a blessed release". You get the idea. You'll get ten points for naming one, or 25 for naming both of these prolific authors.

A: Arthur C. Clarke and Isaac Asimov

(25 points) It begins...with a Q. Quinn is one of those names that keeps cropping up. Identify these Quinns for five points each, and no, none of them is Anthony.

- a) A former Indiana and NBA player turned broadcaster
- b) A former point guard for Duke University
- c) A title character in a song by Manfred Mann
- d) An MTV VJ
- e) A regular on the MTV game show "Remote Control"

- 5 a) Quinn Buckner
- 1 b) Quin Snyder
- 5 c) The Mighty Quinn or Quinn the Eskimo
- 5 d) Martha Quinn
- 5 e) Colin Quinn



# V MAROON BONDS

✓ (30 points) Canterbury has been the home of the Church in England since the seventh century, and has had over 100 Archbishops. For ten points each, name them. Just kidding! Just put these six in correct chronological order from earliest to latest, for five points each. They are: Thomas Cranmer, St. Dunstan, William Laud, Thomas a' Becket, St. Anselm, Stephen Langton.

A: St. Dunstan, St. Anselm, Thomas a' Becket, Stephen Langton, Thomas Cranmer, William Laud

✓ (25 points) The so-called "Golden Rectangle", well-known in art and architecture, has sides whose lengths are in a ratio of one to a number appropriately called the Golden Ratio. Answer these questions about the Golden Ratio.

a) For ten points to 3 decimal places, or 5 points to one, what is the Golden Ratio?

b) For five points, what Greek letter is sometimes used to denote the Golden Ratio?

c) For five points, what, in terms of phi to the first power, is phi squared equal to?

d) For a final five points, phi minus one is equal to what expression with phi in the denominator?

a) 1.618 (1.6 for 5 points)

b) phi

c) phi plus 1

d) 1/phi ("one over phi")

✓ (20 pts) The name's the same. At least, the last name's spelled the same: a U.S. Olympic men's volleyball player, the inventor of an alternative typewriter keyboard configuration, and the Bohemian composer of the New World Symphony. For twenty points, what's this Czech name?

A: Dvorak

✓ (30-20-10) Name this musician 30-20-10.

a. He was born on June 9, 1891 in Peru, Indiana.

b. After being crippled in a horseback-riding accident he was forced to undergo 35 operations, including the amputation of one leg in the last 25 years of his life.

c. A collection of his songs done by a variety of artists including U2, Debby Harry, and David Byrne, entitled Red Hot + Blue is currently being sold to as an AIDS fundraiser.

A: Cole Porter

## MN MARCOON BONUS

15. (30 points) The Hindu god Vishnu manifested himself on earth nine times in the form of an "avatar". You'll get ten points for naming each of these avatars, some of whom are better known than the deity himself.

a) Vishnu's seventh avatar, he was known for making mischief. He is the major figure of the Bhagavad Gita. A cult based on his worship has spread to the U.S.

b) The eighth avatar, his worship is sometimes combined with Krishna's. He is the hero of a popular epic sometimes called the "Hindu Family Bible", in which he rescues the beautiful Sita from the demon Ravana.

c) The ninth avatar, whose worship has become a faith outside of Hinduism altogether.

a) Krishna

b) Rama

c) Buddha or Siddharta Gautama

16. (30 points) Rodents make up nearly 40% of all species of mammals, and two families make up over 70% of all species of the order Rodentia.

a) You'll get ten points for giving the proper names of these two families, or five points for giving the general type of creature that makes up each.

b) Another order accounts for another 25% of mammal species. Again, you'll get ten points for the order name or five for the creature type, a third of whose species belong to the family Vespertilionidae.

a) Muridae (5 for rats and mice, voles, hamsters, lemmings)  
Sciuridae (5 for squirrels, woodchucks, prairie dogs)

b) Chiroptera (5 for bats)

MN MAROON BOWLS

17. (20 points) Seventeenth century England, what with the Civil War and everything, was full of interesting radical groups. You'll get ten points each for identifying these from brief descriptions:

a) This group was named for what they wanted to do with class differences in society

b) This group was named for their habit of moving onto and cultivating common land

a) The Levelers

b) The Diggers

18. (30 points) Nowadays, most National Football League wide receivers wear numbers in the eighties. This wasn't always the case. Given a number, and the name of one team for which he played, identify the wideout who wore it, for five points each.

5 a) #18 for the San Diego Chargers

5 b) #21 for the Oakland Raiders

3 c) #25 for the Denver Broncos

3 d) #28 for the Minnesota Vikings

= e) #29 for the L. A. Rams

= f) #42 for the Miami Dolphins

a) Charlie Joiner

b) Cliff Branch

c) Haven Moses

d) Ahmad Rashad

e) Harold Jackson

f) Paul Warfield

19. (20 pts) The top half of the flag is red, the bottom half is white; this describes the flags of two nations. One is in Asia, one in Europe; one has a population of 27,000, the other of 190 million. One is ruled by a well-known royal family, the other by a general who calls his system a "limited democracy". For ten points each, name both these nations: the world's largest archipelago and a Mediterranean gambler's paradise.

A: Indonesia and Monaco

20. (30 points) Although Arthur Dent is the protagonist of Douglas Adams' Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy series, it is Zaphod Beeblebrox who always seems to get in the best lines. Given the following Beeblebrox lines from the books, radio series, and/or TV series, identify the character to whom they are addressed, for five points each.

- a) "Ten out of ten for style but minus several million for good thinking, eh?"
- b) "Some cat's taken the ground away!"
- c) "Oh yeah? Anybody's friend in particular or just generally well-disposed to people?"
- d) "Down the stairs?!?! To Ursa Minor?!?!?! Man, you must be unbelievably fit."
- e) "It doesn't look like any kind of a vortex to me."
- f) "She's not asking you to enjoy it, just do it will you?"

- a) Trillian
- b) Ford Prefect
- c) Roosta
- d) Frogstar Prison Relations Officer (accept anything close to this)
- e) Pizpot Gargravarr
- f) Marvin the Paranoid Android

21. (20 pts) Only one jockey won more than one Kentucky Derby during the 1980's. He won in 1982 aboard on Gato Del Sol and in 1983 on Sunny's Halo. For twenty points, who was is this jockey?

A: Eddie Delahoussaye

22. (30-20-10) Identify the year 30-20-10.

- a. The first Cross-Country automobile trip is completed.
- b. Jack London's Call of the Wild is published and the motion picture The Great Train Robbery is ~~published~~ produced.
- c. The Wright Brothers fly at Kitty Hawk.

A: 1903

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23. (30 pts) In Her inaugural address, she promised to end business as usual and eliminate some of the good-ole boy aspects of Texas politics. Among her circle of advisors are many prominent Texan women. Lets see how much you know about the new governor of Texas and her circle of advisors.

- a. First, for ten points, who is the new governor of Texas.
- b. One of her advisors is the lawyer who successfully argued the Roe v. Wade case. For ten points, name her.
- c. Another of her advisors, is an African American who served in Congress and is now on the faculty of the LBJ School in Austin.

- a. Ann Richards
- b. Sarah Weddington
- c. Barbara Jordan

24. (25 pts) Everyone knows that the headquarters of the Catholic Church is in Rome. But do you know where other denominations have their U.S. headquarter.

- a. United Church of Christ
- b. Southern Baptist Convention
- c. Unitarian Universalist Association
- d. Seventh-Day Adventists
- e. Assemblies of God

- a. New York City
- b. Nashville, TN
- c. Boston, MA
- d. Washington, D.C.
- e. Springfield, MO

25. (20 pts) It's late and we're desperate for another science question. So it'd back to the old standard of Periodic table chess. If you have a Knight on Nitrogen for 5 points each what four elements could you move to.

Chlorine, Selenium, Germanium, Aluminum