

1994 ELVIS
FINAL ROUND BY JESSE GARON PRESLEY
TOSSUPS

1. On May 13, 1790, the U.S. Senate passed a bill embargoing all trade between one state and the rest of the U.S. FTP, what was this isolated state, which was thereby coerced into ratifying the Constitution?
(Rhode Island and Providence Plantations)
2. He wrote notable religious plays, including A Sleep of Prisoners, and Curtmantle. a drama of a conflict between Henry II and Thomas a Becket. Initially received as a revitalizing force in modern verse drama, his popularity dwindled as theatrical fashion turned toward realism. FTP, who was this author of Venus Observed, The Dark is Light Enough and the Lady's Not for Burning?
(Christopher Fry)
3. Botanically speaking, it is a dry one-seeded fruit which does not split along a definite seam at maturity. In Egyptian myth, she was the sister-wife of the earth god, to whom she bore Isis, Osiris and Set. FTP, What is the common three-letter word?
(Nut)
4. This city was originally founded in 1816 as a center for suppression of the slave trade. Its chief exports are peanuts and beeswax. This city was long known as Bathurst. FTP, what is this capital of the Gambia?
(Banjul)
5. He was editor of Fortune magazine from 1943 to 1948, then left to become a professor of economics at Harvard. From 1961 - 1963 he was U.S. ambassador to India. FTP, who is this Keynesian economist and advisor of John F. Kennedy who wrote The New Industrial State and The Affluent Society?
(John Kenneth Galbraith)
6. President Clinton recently met with the president of Syria to discuss Israeli - Syrian negotiations over the Golan Heights. FTP, who is the president of Syria?
(Hafez Assad)
7. Born about 490 B.C., he was one of more distinguished sophists. He was a friend of Pericles and Socrates but was forced to flee because of his professed agnosticism. None of his works survive, but one of Plato's dialogues bears his name. FTP, who is this philosopher who said "Man is the measure of all things?"
(Protagoras)
8. American football and Canadian football are both games derived from soccer and rugby. FTP, of these four games, which one has the most players on the field?
(Rugby - 13-15 per team; U.S. football - 11; soccer - 11; Canadian football - 12)
9. Batman hangs out in Gotham City, a dimly veiled version of New York City. FTP, what writer first used the name Gotham in reference to New York in his Salmagundi Papers?
(Washington Irving)
10. Speaking of Batman, quite a lot of stir was created in 1992 when Superman was at least temporarily killed off. FTP, what was the appropriate name of the comic book bad guy who offed Superman?
(Doomsday)

11. His father was the court painter for the Duke of Urbino. He entered the workshop of Perugino, who heavily influenced his early work such as The Three Graces. He later developed a freer and deeper interpretive style. FTP, who was this painter of the School of Athens and Madonna of the Chair?
(**Raphael Sanzio**)
12. He was influenced by King Oliver and Louis Armstrong. His corner playing was noted for its brilliant phrasing and clarity of tone. He drank heartily and finally died of pneumonia at age 28 in 1931. FTP, who is this jazz cornetist, pianist and composer of In a Mist, probably the greatest cornetist of all time?
(Leon 'Bix' **Beiderbecke**)
13. In architecture or engineering it is a supporting framework of beams or girders, usually in a single plane. It usually takes the form of a triangle or combination of triangles, since this design gives the greatest rigidity, making it useful for large spans and heavy loads, such as bridges and roofs, and is lighter than, yet just as strong as, a solid support. FTP, what is the five-letter word?
(**Truss**)
14. She was originally called Isabella when she was born in Ulster County, New York. Convinced she heard heavenly voices, she left domestic employment at age 46 and travelled through the north preaching emancipation and women's rights. FTP, who was this abolitionist and field slave, who was highly effective even though illiterate?
(**Sojourner Truth**)
15. His first tragedies were attacked by the French Academy as faulty in construction, despite their popularity. he thereafter followed classical rules in his Horace, Cinna and Polyeucte. FTP, who was this dramatist of Le Cid and Médée?
(Pierre **Corneille**)
16. The movie Jurassic Park broke all box-office records in 1993. For a quick 10 points, was the Jurassic period 100, 150, 200 or 250 million years ago?
(**150 million** - 136 to 190 million years ago)
17. It is a water-insoluble polymer of various compounds derived from the amino acid tyrosine. Along with carotene, it is one of two pigments found in human hair. FTP, what is this pigment which also adds brown to skin color?
(**Melanin**)
18. It is both a Chinese system of thought and one of the four major religions of China. Its philosophical system derives from a work attributed to Lao-Tzu. FTP, what is this religion, the name of which is also the Chinese work for 'path'?
(**Tao or Taoism**)
19. Elvis claimed to be able to heal by the laying on of hands. In his last film, he played a doctor. FTP, what was this film in which Mary Tyler Moore also starred as a nun?
(**A Change of Habit**)
20. It was originally a method of printing woodcuts from several blocks and to works in black and white, but today it is loosely used to refer to the distribution of light and dark in a painting. FTP, what is this term which is Italian for light and dark?
(**Chiaroscuro**)

21. He was a virtuoso organist, holding appointments in Linz and Vienna. His reputation as a composer developed more slowly, and today is based on his Masses, a Te Deum and nine symphonies. FTP, who was this composer of the Apoclypriz Symphony?
(Anton **Bruckner**)
22. "What dire offense from amorous causes springs, what mighty contests rise from trivial things?" FTP, these lines begin what poem?
(The **Rape of the Lock**)
23. It is the last survivor of the reptilian order Rhynchocephalia, which flourished before the rise of the dinosaurs. Today, this two-foot creature is only found on a few islands off New Zealand, having been exterminated on the New Zealand mainland by the Maori. It possesses a vestigial third eye on top of its head. FTP, what are these lizard-like reptiles, Sphenodon punctatus.
(**Tuatara**)
24. This city of 30,000 was the site of an 1864 civil war battle, where Union troops repulsed Nathan Bedford Forrest, and not far away is the scene of a 1736 British and Chickasaw victory over the Choctaw and French. Tombigbee State Park and Natchez Trace Parkway visitor center are also located in this center for processing and shipping of cotton and livestock. FTP, identify this city, county seat of Lea County, Mississippi, where Elvis made his first personal appearance in the world.
(**Tupelo**)
25. He played basketball for the Boston Celtics as well as professional baseball for the Brooklyn Dodgers, Chicago Cubs and the Los Angeles Angels. FTP, who is this recently deceased actor who starred in Branded and The Rifleman?
(Chuck **Connors**)
26. He succeeded his father Philip I as King, and quickly established authority within his domain by suppressing the robber barons and besieging their castles. He was almost continuously at war with the English King Henry I, and also resisted an invasion by Holy Roman Emperor Henry V. he married his son, Louis to Eleanor of Aquitaine to obtain a foothold there. FTP, who was this popular French king from 1108–1137 with an unflattering nickname.
(**Louis VI** or **Louis the Fat**)
27. His career as a novelist was initially successful, but turned to financial failure. he then took up poetry while working as a customs inspector, producing such works as Battle-Pieces and Clarel. FTP, who is this author of Redburn, White-Jacket and Billy Budd?
(Herman **Melville**)

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1. Given characters from a Wagner opera, identify the opera,
(30) FTP: A. Walter and Hans Sachs (Die Meistersinger von Numburg)
B. Hagen (Götterdämmerung)
C. King Mark (Tristan and Isolde)

2. 20-10 - Identify the shared last name.
(20)
A. French chemist who discovered grape sugar and established the law that in any compound, the elements are present in a fixed proportion by weight.
B. Asthmatic and neurotic author of Swann's Way who lived for 15 years in a cork-lined room.

(Proust - Joseph & Marcel)

3. 30-20-10 Identify the novel by characters appearing in it.
(30)
A. Humphrey Chimpden Earwicker
B. Anna Livia Plurabelle
C. Tim Finnegan

(Finnegans Wake)

4. F5P each, in what cities would you find the following museums?
(25)
A. Rodin Museum (Paris)
B. Uffizi (Florence)
C. Brera Palace (Milan)
D. Escorial (Madrid)
E. Pitti Palace (Florence)

5. (30) As of the reconvening of the 103rd Congress on January 25, 1994, there were six Senators, five Democrats and one Republican, who could be labeled as big spenders: each of them sponsored or co-sponsored bills costing over \$100 billion--in fact, ranging from \$449 billion to \$561 billion. For 5 points each, name these freewheeling Senators from Hawaii, Minnesota, Illinois, Ohio and Vermont.

(Daniel Inouye, Paul Wellstone, Paul Simon, Carol Mosely Braun, Howard Metzenbaum, James Jeffords.)

6. (30) F5P each, identify woman figure skater who won the Olympic gold medal for women's singles in the following years (Hint - none of them is Tonya Harding)

A. 1928 (Sonja Henie) D. 1980 (Anett Poetzsch)
B. 1968 (Peggy Fleming) E. 1984 (Katarina Witt)
C. 1976 (Dorothy Hamill) F. 1988 (Katarina Witt)

7. It's time to read the handwriting on the wall.
(30)
- A. FTP, According to the Old Testament, what were the Aramaic words written on a wall by the hand of God at a Babylonian King's feast?
(**Mene Mene Tekel Upharsin**)
- B. FTP, Who was this King, the last King of Babylon? (**Belshazzar**)
- C. F5P, What Old Testament prophet translated this as a prophecy of doom? (**Daniel**)
- D. F5P more, What Medean King that night conquered Babylonia? (**Darius**)
8. (25) F5P each, In what nation would you find the mouth of the following rivers?
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| A. Indus | (Pakistan) | C. Ural | (Kazakhstan) |
| B. Mekong | (Vietnam) | D. Dnieper | (Ukraine) |
| | | E. Volga | (Russia) |
9. (30) F5P each, identify the authors of the following books recently on the best seller lists.
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| A. Disclosure | (Michael Crichton) |
| B. Without Remorse | (Tom Clancy) |
| C. Lasher | (Anne Rice) |
| D. SeinLanguage | (Jerry Seinfeld) |
| E. The Days are Just Packed | (Bill Watterson) |
| F. Remains of the Day | (Kazuo Ishiguro) |
10. He is considered the first modern historian, developing a systematic method of historical research while historiographer to the King of Naples. His theory of history treated it as the account of the development of societies and their institutions, and encouraged the study of language, myth and tradition. He also wrote on natural law in his 1725 New Science. F25P, who was this theorist whose importance was not recognized until the 19th century and whose theories formed much of the intellectual basis for Finnegans Wake.
(**Giovanni Vico**)
11. F5P each, identify the constellations in which the following stars appear:
(25)
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| A. Algol | (Perseus) | D. Alpha Centauri | (Centaurus) |
| B. Bellatrix | (Orion) | E. Arcturus | (Bootes) |
| C. Rigel | (Eridanus) | | |
12. 30-20-10, identify the U.S. president by the following members of his cabinet:
(30)
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| A. Secretary of State - Charles Evans Hughes |
| B. Secretary of Treasury - Andrew Mellon |
| C. Secretary of Interior - Albert B. Fall |
| (Warren G. Harding) |

13. Elvis often opened his shows with the theme from 2001.
(30)
- A. F5P each, what is the actual name of the theme from 2001, and who is the composer (**Thus Spoke Zarathustra** or **Also Sprach Zarathustra** by **Richard Strauss**).
 - B. F5P, who directed the film, 2001? (Stanley **Kubrick**)
 - C. F5P, who wrote the book, 2001? (Arthur C. **Clarke**)
 - D. F10P, what Hungarian composer sued Kubrick and won on his claim Kubrick had distorted his pieces, 'Atmospheres' and 'Lux Aeterna' in 2001? (Gyorgy **Ligeti**)
14. Fauvism was an insulting name cheerfully adopted by a group of French painters. FTP each, identify the Fauvists who painted the following works:
(30)
- A. Variation on a Still Life by DeHeem, the Green Line
(Henri **Matisse**)
 - B. Christ Mocked by Solders, and Three Judges (Georges **Rouault**)
 - C. Village in the Snow (Maurice de **Vlaminck**)
15. F10P each, identify the famous Goldberg.
(30)
- A. Labor lawyer, professor of law, and Supreme Court Justice appointed by Lyndon Johnson.
(**Arthur**)
 - B. Cartoonist of "Boob McNutt" and ludicrously intricate machinery (**Rube** or **Rueben**)
 - C. Fictional matriarch of the radio show, the Goldbergs:
(**Molly**)
16. According to Norse myth, Earth was Midgard. Identify these Norse myth place-names each 10 points.
(30)
- A. The glacial land of ice and mist (**Niflheim** or **Nibelheim**)
 - B. The land of fire (**Muspellheim**)
 - C. The land in which the gods dwelt (**Asgard**)
17. Colleges or universities from five different states have registered for this tournament. F5P each, name the governors of each of those states. (Moderator—do not list the states).
(25)
- Illinois – Jim **Edgar** Iowa – Terry E. **Branstad**
Michigan – John **Engler** Wisconsin – Tommy **Thompson**
Minnesota – Arne **Carlson**
18. There are believed to be six types of lepton. F5P each, name these six.
(30)
- (**electron, muon, tau particle electron neutrino, muon neutrino and tau neutrino**)

19. FTP each, name the Shakespeare plays whence come these lines:
(30)
- A. Do you know me, my lord? Excellent well, you are a fishmonger. (**Hamlet**)
 - B. Child Rowland to the Dark Tower came, his word still Fie, foe and fum, I smell the blood of a British man. (**King Lear**)
 - C. Cowards die many times before their deaths; the valiant never taste of death of but once. (**Julius Caesar**)
20. This Chinese dynasty ruled over 400 years and included emperors such as Liu Pang and Wu Ti. Confucianism was made the basis of the state, and civil service examinations were instituted over 2000 years ago. The manufacture of porcelain began, as did the wide distribution of paper and ink. F20P, what was this dynasty, which ruled China from 200 BC to 220 AD? (**Han**)
21. The wrist consists of eight cube-like bones. F5P each, name any six.
(30)
- (lunate, triangules, pisiform, harnate, capitata, greater multiangular, lesser multiangular, navicular)**
22. Two forms of shorthand are in popular use in English speaking countries; both are named after their developers. One, published in 1837 and used in courts, makes use of shading; a heavy line has different meaning from a light line. The other, published in 1888 and used in business, uses curved and natural outlines and variations in length of line indicate variations in meaning. 5 points for one and 20 for both, name these types of shorthand.
(30)
- (Pitman and Gregg)**
23. Two closely connected wars in the late 17th century brought about a community of German feeling against French expansion. F10P each, 25 for both, identify the following:
(25)
- A. The war that broke out upon the French attack on the Palatinate in October 1688, with a defensive alliance formed by Emperor Leopold I of various German and Sweden and Spain states. (**War of the League of Augsburg**)
 - B. The War of the League of Augsburg led into another war in 1689. Austria, England, Savoy and Spain joined the League against France. (**War of the Grand Alliance**)
24. F5P each, put these Elvis tunes in chronological order for the date they hit no. 1 on the charts: All Shook Up, Burning Love, Heartbreak Hotel, In the Ghetto, It's Now or Ever and Little Sister.
(30)
- (Heartbreak Hotel (1956), All Shook Up (1957), It's Now or Never (1960), Little Sister (1961), In the Ghetto (1969), Burning Love (1972))**