

ACRONYM 13 - Round 8

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1. A viral image of one of these objects at the Foxwood Casino followed the Boston Bruins' 2011 Stanley Cup win. In a 2002 interview with Diane Sawyer, Whitney Houston repeatedly referenced a need for these items when denying her alleged drug habit. Taylor Swift's "I Did Something Bad" describes people burning witches and pairing (*) "reasons" with these items, which look "like phone numbers" in Ariana Grande's "7 Rings." Enrollment in the ExtraCare rewards program leads to obscenely long examples of these items when obtained at CVS. For 10 points, name these proofs of purchase.

ANSWER: receipts <Nelson>

2. A young version of James Cole witnesses his own death in a film whose title includes this number. In another film, John Reisman leads a platoon of this many convicts on a suicide mission to kill high-ranking German officers just before D-Day. Steve Martin stars in a 2003 remake of a 1950 film about a (*) family with this many kids. In a Sidney Lumet film, a man played by Henry Fonda argues for an 18-year-old boy's innocence while part of a group of "angry men" numbering, for 10 points, what number of years which, in a 2013 film, Solomon Northup spent as "a Slave"?

ANSWER: 12 [accept a dozen; 12 Monkeys or The Dirty Dozen or Cheaper By The Dozen or 12 Angry Men or 12 Years a Slave] <Rao-Potharaju>

3. In the 1940s, New York's Palladium Ballroom was dubbed the "Temple of" this music genre, whose "Kings" are depicted in a 1989 Pulitzer-winning novel. A person who loves this genre "swings like a gate with it" in a namesake song popularized by Perry Como. The listener is told to "jump up and down and move it all around" in a 1999 hit titled for this genre, which sampled a song by (*) Pérez Prado ("PEAR"-ez PRAH-doh) and whose chorus name-drops seven different women. Tito Puente (PWEN-tay) was a legend of, for 10 points, what Cuban music genre that, in the title of a Lou Bega song, precedes "No. 5" ("number five").

ANSWER: mambo [accept "Papa Loves Mambo" or "Mambo No. 5"] <Andert>

4. A collegiate baseball team in this state played for 40 seasons in Packard Stadium. While this state has no Single-A through AAA minor league teams, it is home to the larger of MLB's two rookie level leagues. The last World Series-winning walk-off hit occurred at a ballpark in this state that was once nicknamed "BOB" and has a (*) swimming pool beyond its center field fence. Many top MLB prospects play in this state's namesake "Fall League." Chase Field is home to a team nicknamed the "Snakes" in, for 10 points, what state home to the MLB's Diamondbacks and spring training's Cactus League?

ANSWER: Arizona <Nelson>

5. If he ever had a child, this character claimed he would name him "Isoceles." This character quips "hole in one" after finding out that he almost killed a whale by hitting a golf ball into its blowhole. This man is whisked onstage and given a Tony Award while working as a (*) seat filler. This man's hairdo is highlighted in a portrait painted by the girlfriend of his neighbor, a stand-up comedian. After befriending the "Soup Nazi," this character convinces him to give his armoire ("arm"-WAHR) to Elaine Benes (BEN-iss). Michael Richards played, for 10 points, what eccentric friend of Jerry Seinfeld?

ANSWER: Cosmo Kramer [accept either] <Andert>

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6. The word "Blumok" is a likely profanity in this language, which was created and largely spoken by Pierre Coffin. This language oddly resembles Spanish when using a phrase meaning "You are as beautiful as a papaya," which one of its speakers says to a fire hydrant. In a 2017 film, speakers of this language mock their boss, a bald, reformed(*) villain, when he attempts to speak it. "Bello" means "hello" and "bee doh" means "fire" in, for 10 points, what language spoken by the overall-wearing Bob and other yellow creatures from the *Despicable Me* series?

ANSWER: Minionese [accept descriptive answers like the Minion language or the language spoken by Minions] <Nelson>

7. A July 2018 competition most notably featuring this athlete and the North Coast Blue Chips was cancelled due to a violent heckler. This player is currently a teammate of B.J. Boston and Zaire Wade. Footage of this athlete's games on ESPN was dubbed the "ultimate exploitation" by Charles (*) Barkley. In December 2019 this Sierra Canyon guard hit a go-ahead shot in a game against St. Vincent St. Mary's, the alma mater of his parents, one of whom may play alongside him in 2023. For 10 points, name this 15-year-old basketball player, whose father and namesake is known as "King."

ANSWER: Bronny James [accept LeBron (Raymone) James Jr. or descriptive answers like LeBron James's son; prompt on James; do not accept or prompt on just "LeBron James"] <Nelson>

8. Alessia Cara asks "to shed our façade and be just who we are" in a song titled for these objects. A song by the Bag Raiders about these objects is briefly heard in the music video for "Swish Swish" as Katy Perry falls to the floor. A desire to change destiny is expressed in a song from *The Greatest Showman* about (*) "rewriting" these objects. The "moonlit wings" of a 12:30 flight reflect these objects according to Toto's song "Africa." In a B.o.B. song, Hayley Williams compares "airplanes in the night sky" to, for 10 points, what celestial objects, which OneRepublic described "counting"?

ANSWER: stars [accept "Shooting Stars" or "Rewrite the Stars" or "Counting Stars"] <Rao-Pothuraju>

9. In a 2007 interview, this man screamed after Marshall Faulk shook his hand, an action this man hates due to his obsessive compulsive disorder. In the mid 1980s, this man voiced the baby Skeeter on *Muppet Babies* and the mogwai (MOG-"why") Gizmo in the film *Gremlins*. This man replaced David Hasselhoff in a reality show role where he gave (*) Grace VanderWaal a "golden buzzer." In a more recent role, this man communicates with a mysterious banker and appears alongside a group of 26 models. For 10 points, what bald comedian appears on *Deal or No Deal* and *America's Got Talent*?

ANSWER: Howie Mandel (man-DELL) [or Howard Michael Mandel] <Nelson>

10. Roke, a place in this wider region, is where the novice Ivory is recruited in the story "Dragonfly." This region's blond-haired, blue-eyed Kargs are dismissed as barbarians by the Hardic people. The novels *Tehanu* (teh-HAH-noo) and *The Farthest (*) Shore* are set in this realm, as is a 1968 novel in which Ogion (OH-gee-on) takes on a young apprentice who is plagued by a shadow creature until the boy calls the creature by his own name, Ged. That novel is titled for *A Wizard of*, for 10 points, what sprawling archipelago from a namesake fantasy "cycle" by Ursula K. LeGuin (luh-GWIN)?

ANSWER: Earthsea [accept *A Wizard of* Earthsea or Earthsea Cycle] <Vopava>

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11. This structure is used for a timed purple coin "Roll" challenge found in the Rolling Coaster Galaxy. This structure is central to the first Joker challenge in *F-Zero X*, in which its name is changed to "Psychedelic Experience." In all eight main-franchise games in which this structure appears, it is the final area in the (*) Special Cup. In its debut in a Super Nintendo game, this structure had exclusively 90-degree turns and no guardrails, making it exceedingly easy to fall off. For 10 points, name this colorful outer-space *MarioKart* racetrack.

ANSWER: Rainbow Road <Vopava>

12. Eric Segalstad's 2008 book about this informal group unusually calls Brazilian icon Alexandre Levy its first member. Fall Out Boy sings "My mind is a safe / And if I keep it, then we all get rich" in a song titled for this group that Pete Wentz wrote out of worry that he might join it. Amy (*) Winehouse became a member of this group after her 2011 overdose. Kurt Cobain's suicide largely introduced the public to the notion of, for 10 points, what unofficial "club" including Jim Morrison, Janis Joplin, and other musicians who all died at the same young age?

ANSWER: 27 Club [accept answers that explicitly identify celebrities (or musicians) who **died** at the age of 27; prompt on otherwise imprecise answers that give 27] <Vopava>

13. One of this actor's characters fails an audition in Montreal after tearfully revealing his feelings for a woman who later watches a video of the performance. This man voiced Pawny, an alien shaped like a chess piece, in *Men In Black International*. A timid man played by this actor picks up an unhinged police officer while working as an (*) Uber driver in the 2019 film *Stuber*. This actor's interracial marriage to Emily Gordon was the basis for the film *The Big Sick*. For 10 points, name this Pakistani-American comedian who starred on *Silicon Valley*.

ANSWER: Kumail Nanjiani (koo-MAIL nahn-jee-AH-nee) [or Kumail Ali Nanjiani] <Gupta>

14. In the 1980s, collegiate coach Jackie Sherrill used a squad known by this term to cover kickoffs. A portion of Kyle Field is said to be the "Home of" a group known by this term. In Britain, supporters of the soccer club Aston Villa are commonly known by this two-word term. In 2010, a group of pro football observers generally known by this term caused a minor (*) earthquake during a Marshawn Lynch touchdown run. The Texas A&M Aggies and Seattle Seahawks both often use, for 10 points, what term to describe their fans, which suggests they are an active team member?

ANSWER: 12th Man [accept "12s" or "12th Fan"] <Andert>

15. As a result of the 2007-08 writers' strike, this show's storyline was amended with a made-for-TV film inspired by the Rwandan genocide and subtitled "Redemption." In Season 6 of this TV show, Milo Pressman is shot after Cheng Zhe's men storm his workplace. Kim, played by Elisha (*) Cuthbert, returns to assist her father in a season of this series in which ex-president David Palmer is assassinated. Chloe O'Brian works for a Los Angeles counter-terrorism unit in, for 10 points, what action TV series in which Kiefer Sutherland played Jack Bauer?

ANSWER: 24 [accept 24: Redemption] <Andert>

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16. Victoria Brisbane requests help from a character played by this actor to get her father away from Nurse Diesel and Dr. Montague. In another role, this man's request for novocaine is denied since "there is no such thing known to medical science." This actor portrayed a man who claims that his paddleball is "warped" before demanding a new sheriff be sent to Rock Ridge in a (*) parody of western films. In a sci-fi film, this man played a leader who orders Dark Helmet to "comb the desert," as well as the diminutive "Yogurt." For 10 points, name this actor who directed *Blazing Saddles* and *Spaceballs*.
ANSWER: Mel **Brooks** [or Melvyn **Kaminsky**] <Rao-Pothuraju>

17. A misunderstanding in this musical generates belief in a town called "oop-state." After a man in this musical breaks "rule 72," he experiences a "spooky" dream featuring cameos from Genghis Khan and Johnny Cochran. This musical's protagonist dreams of "SeaWorld and Disney, Putt-putt golfing" in (*) Orlando, but instead learns the phrase "Hasa Diga Eebowai" (HAH-sah DEE-gah EE-bo-"why") after being sent to Uganda with Elder Cunningham. Matt Stone and Trey Parker of *South Park* fame created, for 10 points, what irreverent musical about naive missionaries for the Church of Latter-Day Saints?
ANSWER: *The **Book of Mormon*** <Vopava>

18. The cover of this rapper's first album shows off his stomach tattoo reading "Lunatic." In 2016, fans tried to marathon-stream a song by this artist on Spotify to save him from a 2.5 million dollar tax lien. The chorus of this rapper's debut single is adapted from the children's clapping game "Down Down Baby." The phrase "good gracious" is rhymed with (*) "bodacious" (boh-DAY-shuss) in a #1 hit by this rapper, who often wore a bandage on his cheek. An instruction to "take off all your clothes" appears in a hit by, for 10 points, what rapper of the songs "Dilemma" and "Hot In Herre" ("here")?
ANSWER: **Nelly** [or Cornell Iral **Haynes** Jr.] <Vopava>

19. In 2014 this player spoiled a trick play in a way that Pat McAfee later claimed "ruined his life." The short-lived Alliance of American Football named this man its head of player relations. In the 2009 AFC Championship Game, a Joe Flacco rush on 4th and 1 was stopped when this player perfectly timed a (*) jump over the line of scrimmage. Along with Larry Fitzgerald, this player was on the cover of *Madden 10*. With the help of Head & Shoulders, this man set a Guinness World Record for "highest insured hair." For 10 points, name this legendary safety with the Pittsburgh Steelers.
ANSWER: Troy (Aumua) **Polamalu** ("paul"-ah-mal-oo") [accept Troy **Aumua**] <Andert>

20. During an attempt to break a world record, a war broke out in this place over the construction of a pillow fort. Frankie Dart made an attempt to end this institution's annual tradition "Paintball Assassin." This institution runs an extremely successful program for (*) air conditioning repair. The "Human Being" is the mascot of this institution. Ian Duncan and Ben Chang respectively taught psychology and Spanish at this place, whose attendees included the unusually old Pierce Hawthorne. Jeff Winger and Abed Nadir attended, for 10 points, what college depicted on the show *Community*?
ANSWER: **Greendale** Community College [prompt on community college or on things like the college from *Community*] <Rao-Pothuraju>

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1. The 2019 edition of this work was subtitled "For the Record" and prominently featured the text "you're better at this than we are." For 10 points each:

[10] Name this often controversial "year in review" video. Its unpopular 2018 edition quickly became the most downvoted work on the site for which this video is made.

ANSWER: **YouTube Rewind**

[10] Much of the backlash over the 2018 YouTube Rewind focused on its use of people who have nothing to do with YouTube, including Mason Ramsey, the kid who became a country star after being filmed doing this thing inside a Walmart.

ANSWER: **yodeling** [Ramsey's video went viral almost entirely on Twitter.]

[10] Critics also noted the 2018 video made no mention of several major YouTube feuds, including the highly publicized boxing match between these *two* YouTubers, one American and one British. They had a rematch in November 2019.

ANSWER: Logan (Alexander) **Paul** and **KSI** [or Olajide (Olayinka Williams) **Olatunji** or JJ **Olajide** or **KSIolajideBT**] <Nelson>

2. Despite its name, this term does *not* refer to teams like the first iteration of the Ottawa Senators, despite the team having played in the NHL's inaugural 1917 season. For 10 points each:

[10] Give this misleading term for the handful of teams that comprised the NHL from 1942 until its 1967 expansion.

ANSWER: **Original Six**

[10] This member of the Original Six, whose name alludes to the nationality of its fans, has won 24 Stanley Cups, which is by far the most won by any NHL team.

ANSWER: **Montreal Canadiens** [accept either]

[10] This American team is the only member of the Original Six to *not* be in the top six teams in terms of Stanley Cup wins. Wayne Gretzky ended his career on this team in 1999.

ANSWER: New York **Rangers** [prompt on New York] <Vopava>

3. A request for a second one of these things is coupled with the demand that it be "slightly higher so it gets a two-level effect, with a little path running down the middle." For 10 points each:

[10] Name this decorative object. In a 1975 film, King Arthur acquires one from a man named Roger who arranges, designs, and sells them.

ANSWER: **shrubbery** [or **shrubberies**; prompt on shrubs]

[10] The Knights Who Say Ni demand a shrubbery of Arthur and Sir Bedevere in this endlessly quotable comedy.

ANSWER: **Monty Python and the Holy Grail** [prompt on partial answers]

[10] In the film, Arthur and his companions believe that the holy grail is guarded by an incredibly violent rabbit, which Arthur ultimately kills using one of these weapons.

ANSWER: hand **grenade** [accept the Holy Hand **Grenade** of Antioch] <Vopava>

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4. In the early 1990s, protesters claimed that the ships depicted on this company's iced tea bottles were actually slave ships, which wasn't true, though the company changed the bottles anyway. For 10 points each:
[10] Name this beverage, whose caps contain "fun facts" that are also frequently misleading or outright false.

ANSWER: **Snapple**

[10] One of the more horrifying and thankfully completely untrue "Snapple facts" is the oft-repeated claim that the average person takes this action in their sleep 8 times in their lifetime.

ANSWER: **eating spiders** [accept obvious equivalents] [The average number of spiders eaten by people in their sleep is zero, and people should really stop saying otherwise.]

[10] Snapple's other lies include a claim that this historical figure invented the coat hanger. This man is also dubiously often credited with creating macaroni and cheese.

ANSWER: Thomas **Jefferson** <Nelson>

5. Rather than performing in front of a stack of amplifiers, this band's frontman often performed in front of stacks of other things, including washing machines and rotisserie chickens. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this Canadian prog rock band, whose legendary drummer Neil Peart (pert) passed away in January 2020.

ANSWER: **Rush**

[10] Rush arguably hit their peak with this 1981 single loosely based on a boy created by Mark Twain, who the song describes as "riding out the day's events, the river."

ANSWER: **"Tom Sawyer"**

[10] Neil Peart's early drumming style was heavily inspired by that of this man, who once loaded his bass drum with dynamite as a member of The Who.

ANSWER: Keith (John) **Moon** <Nelson>

6. For 10 points each, answer the following about indispensable British TV actor Andrew Scott:

[10] To American and British audiences alike, Scott's biggest role has been as Jim Moriarty in this BBC series that starred Benedict Cumberbatch as the title detective. Its later seasons are notorious for their exponentially decreasing quality.

ANSWER: **Sherlock**

[10] Scott's character is known only as "The Priest" on this BBC sitcom about a sleazy British woman, which won the 2019 Emmy for Best Comedy Series.

ANSWER: **Fleabag**

[10] Scott played France's King Louis XI ("Louie the 11th") in *Henry VI, Part 2*, a 2016 installment in this BBC series of Shakespeare adaptations. Its *Henry V* featured Tom Hiddleston.

ANSWER: *The **Hollow Crown*** [accept *The **Hollow Crown**: The Wars of the Rose*] <Vopava>

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7. This name is a compound of native words meaning "eighth planet," which makes sense, considering its speakers count moons as planets. For 10 points each:

[10] Give this name for the planet Mars used by the native civilization in the 1919 Edgar Rice Burroughs novel *A Princess of Mars*

ANSWER: **Barsoom**

[10] The protagonist of *A Princess of Mars* and other *Barsoom* novels is this ex-Confederate soldier, often known by his name followed by "of Mars." Because his physiology is habituated to Earth's stronger gravity, he exhibits superhuman speed and strength on Mars.

ANSWER: John **Carter** (of Mars) [prompt on John]

[10] Burroughs is likely better known for creating this hero, an aristocrat who was shipwrecked as a baby and raised by apes in the African jungle.

ANSWER: **Tarzan** [or John **Clayton** II or Viscount **Greystoke** or Lord **Greystoke**] <Vopava>

8. Upon his Hall of Fame election, it was argued that this man's plaque in Cooperstown should depict him with his hat on backwards. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this dynamic and eminently likeable center fielder known as "Junior," who often wore his cap backwards. In 1990, he played 51 games as a teammate of his own father.

ANSWER: Ken **Griffey** (Jr.)

[10] Ken Griffey Jr. began and ended his career with this west-coast team, who has not made the playoffs since 2001, a year in which they won a record-tying 116 games behind Ichiro Suzuki.

ANSWER: **Seattle Mariners** [accept either]

[10] Griffey is one of three players to have played in both the 1980s and the 2010s; one of the others is this former teammate of Griffey, who became the oldest pitcher to win a game in 2012 at the age of 49.

ANSWER: Jamie **Moyer** <Vopava>

9. For 10 points each, name these actors who have recently played journalists with wonky ethics:

[10] Apparently, it's okay to date the person you're reporting on, according to the magazine writer played by this comedian in the 2015 rom-com *Trainwreck*. She is a cousin of the current Senate Minority Leader.

ANSWER: Amy (Beth) **Schumer**

[10] This actor plays the creepy photojournalist Louis Bloom, who is unafraid to get people killed to score juicy footage in the 2014 thriller *Nightcrawler*.

ANSWER: Jake **Gyllenhaal** [or Jacob Benjamin **Gyllenhaal**]

[10] The film *Top Five* starred this actress as a reporter who also dates the person she's reporting on. This woman also played Persephone in *The Lightning Thief* and is apparently dating senator Cory Booker.

ANSWER: Rosario (Isabel) **Dawson** <Vopava>

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10. Julia Voth is such an iconic practitioner of this art form that, since 2002, Konami has used her as their model for Jill Valentine in the *Resident Evil* games. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this hobby of publicly dressing up as iconic characters from film, TV, video games, and comics.

ANSWER: **cosplay** (KOZZ-play) [or **cosplaying**]

[10] Cosplay is a cornerstone of Comic-Con, whose annual flagship convention has been held in this city since 1970.

ANSWER: **San Diego**, California

[10] Cosplay in its modern sense was first practiced at the 1st World Science Fiction Convention at the New York World's Fair in this year. This year, which saw the premiere of *Gone with the Wind*, is almost unanimously called cinema's greatest year by film critics.

ANSWER: **1939** [prompt on **39**] <Vopava>

11. The last player to win this award despite not being on a championship team was Hakeem Olajuwon (oh-LAH-zhu-wan) in 1983. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this award given to the best performer in the NCAA Basketball Tournament. It is analogous to, but has a different name than, the NBA Finals' Most Valuable Player award.

ANSWER: **Most Outstanding Player** [accept **MOP**; do not accept or prompt on "Most Valuable Player"]

[10] This center was named Most Outstanding Player in 2012 after he led Kentucky to a 38-2 season. In the 2019 offseason, he was traded away from his original team, the New Orleans Pelicans.

ANSWER: Anthony **Davis** [or Anthony Marshon **Davis** Jr.]

[10] Two years earlier, Kyle Singler was named Most Outstanding Player while competing for this perpetually competitive school, who are nicknamed the "Blue Devils."

ANSWER: **Duke** University (Blue Devils) <Andert>

12. In a bit of foreshadowing, a character skips Army training to obsessively play a claw machine, where he wins a stuffed one of these animals. For 10 points each:

[10] Name these animals, one of which bites off BusterBluth's (blooths) hand after he confuses warnings about a "loose" one of them with the name of his mother.

ANSWER: **seals**

[10] Confusion between "loose seal" and "Lucille" is a running gag throughout this series about the dysfunctional Bluth family.

ANSWER: **Arrested Development**

[10] On a drunken dare, G.O.B. (jobe) Bluth marries a woman who sells seals to zoos; that woman was played by this actress, who is more famous for her portrayal of Leslie Knope ("nope").

ANSWER: Amy **Poehler** [or Amy Meredith **Poehler**] <Golden>

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13. A black comedian who was a regular on game shows in the 1960s and 70s inspired the stage name of this performer. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this rapper and community activist behind the album *Victory Lap*, who was shot and killed outside his clothing store in March 2019.

ANSWER: **Nipsey Hussle** [or Ermias Joseph **Asgedom**] [The comedian was known as Nipsey Russell.]

[10] After Nipsey Hussle's death, mourners frequently gathered near the namesake towers of this Los Angeles neighborhood where Hussle grew up. A series of riots occurred in this neighborhood in 1965.

ANSWER: **Watts**

[10] "Hussle's early hit "The Life" featured a guest vocal from this other West Coast rapper behind the hits "Drop It Like It's Hot" and "Gin and Juice."

ANSWER: **Snoop** Dogg [accept **Snoop Doggy Dogg** or **Snoop** Lion; accept Calvin Cordozar **Broadus** Jr.] <Nelson>

14. For 10 points each, name these films that contain iconic speeches:

[10] An exhausted senator played by Jimmy Stewart delivers a lengthy, impassioned filibuster in a climactic scene of this 1939 Frank Capra film set in the nation's capital.

ANSWER: **Mr. Smith Goes to Washington**

[10] The claim "they may take away our lives, but they'll never take our freedom!" ends a rousing speech before a massive battle in this 1995 film set in the 13th century.

ANSWER: **Braveheart**

[10] Blake, a vulgar salesman played by Alec Baldwin, unleashes an emphatic speech to his co-workers in this 1992 drama. David Mamet (MAM-it) adapted this film's screenplay from his play of the same name.

ANSWER: **Glengarry Glen Ross** <Nelson>

15. For 10 points each, name these video games set in rural portions of the Pacific Northwest:

[10] A namesake route beginning in Independence, Missouri titles this 1985 strategy game, in which players control a group of pioneers that can hunt, ford across rivers, and die of dysentery.

ANSWER: **The Oregon Trail**

[10] The title novelist of this 2010 Xbox game frequently uses the light from a flashlight as a weapon while he searches rural Washington for his missing wife.

ANSWER: **Alan Wake**

[10] In this exploration-heavy game by Giant Sparrow, the final member of a family line searches her coastal Washington home to experience the histories of her ancestors.

ANSWER: **What Remains of Edith Finch** <Nelson>

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16. Before finding fame in her own right, Cher worked in this capacity with the Ronettes and the Righteous Brothers. For 10 points each:

[10] Name these often under-appreciated musicians, who are depicted in the documentary *20 Feet from Stardom*.

ANSWER: **backup singers** [accept similar answers like **backing singers** or **backing vocalists**; prompt on just **singers** or **vocalists** or **backing musicians** or similar]

[10] Before finding success as a solo artist, this singer of "Soak Up the Sun" and "All I Wanna Do" worked as a backup singer for Michael Jackson.

ANSWER: Sheryl (Suzanne) **Crow**

[10] *20 Feet from Stardom* prominently featured Rolling Stones backing vocalist Merry Clayton, whose performance on this song that repeats "war children, it's just a shot away" was allegedly so intense that it may have led to her miscarriage.

ANSWER: "**Gimme Shelter**" <Nelson>

17. In July 2019, Netflix removed this scene from one of its programs, after two years of outcries over the influence it could have on viewers. For 10 points each:

[10] Identify this controversial and gruesome 2017 TV scene, which is set largely in a bathtub and occurs shortly after its central figure leaves a package at a post office.

ANSWER: **Hannah** Baker's **suicide** [accept **Hannah's death** or **Hannah cutting** her wrists; accept, but DO NOT OTHERWISE REVEAL, answers like the **suicide in 13 Reasons Why**; prompt on less specific answers like **suicide**]

[10] The events leading up to Hannah Baker's suicide are central to the first season of this Netflix series, which is based on a novel of the same name by Jay Asher.

ANSWER: **13 Reasons Why**

[10] The adaptation of *13 Reasons Why* began as a film, in which Hannah Baker would have been played by this actress, whose biggest TV role was as Alex Russo in a Disney Channel series.

ANSWER: Selena (Marie) **Gomez** <Nelson>

18. In addition to starring in the show *Mom*, Allison Janney has had great success playing moms in movies as well. For 10 points each:

[10] Janney played the mother of Emma Stone's character "Skeeter" Phelan in this 2011 drama, in which Skeeter documents the life of black maids in 1960s Mississippi.

ANSWER: *The* **Help**

[10] Janney earned an Oscar for playing the vulgar, questionably supportive mother of an embattled athlete in this 2017 biopic co-starring Margot Robbie.

ANSWER: **I, Tonya**

[10] This widely-panned 2014 comedy, in which Melissa McCarthy plays the title woman having an R-rated midlife crisis, co-starred Janney as McCarthy's character's mom.

ANSWER: **Tammy** <Nelson>

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19. For 10 points each, answer the following about pop artists whose songs allude to winners of the Oscar for Best Picture:

[10] This singer refers to 1969's *Midnight Cowboy* in describing a guy who "decides to quit his job and move to New York City" in his 2013 hit "Riptide."

ANSWER: Vance **Joy** [or James Gabriel **Keogh**]

[10] An oft-reproduced publicity photo from *Gone With the Wind* accompanies the original album art for "I've Seen That Movie Too," a song by this singer of "Saturday Night's Alright for Fighting."

ANSWER: Elton (Hercules) **John** [or Reginald Kenneth **Dwight**]

[10] Inspired by 1984's Best Picture, the synthpop singer Falco topped many global charts with a song that repeats the name of this composer of *The Magic Flute*.

ANSWER: Wolfgang Amadeus **Mozart** [accept **Amadeus**] <Vopava>

20. For 10 points each, answer the following about NFL quarterbacks who later became NFL head coaches:

[10] Before becoming Dallas Cowboys' coach, Jason Garrett threw for 311 yards and two touchdowns in a 1994 game on this holiday, on which the Cowboys always play.

ANSWER: **Thanksgiving** Day

[10] From 2011 to 2014, this former quarterback coached the San Francisco 49ers. He trails only Jay Cutler in passes thrown in Bears franchise history.

ANSWER: **Jim Harbaugh** [prompt on **Harbaugh** or **J. Harbaugh**]

[10] This Redskins quarterback, nicknamed "Slingin'," also played halfback, defensive back, and punter before becoming the first coach of the New York Titans. He notably threw 19 interceptions *and* intercepted opposing quarterbacks 11 times in 1943.

ANSWER: Sammy **Baugh** (baw) [or Samuel Adrian **Baugh**] <Andert>