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- 1. To punish Calibos in *Clash of the Titans*, Zeus turns him into one of these beings. The servant Torgo was intended to be one of these beings in the legendarily bad movie *Manos: The Hands of Fate.* In a 2006 fantasy film, one of these beings tells of a monstrous toad with a key in its belly that is one of (*) three tasks assigned to the young girl Ofelia. James McAvoy played one of these beings who only wears a red scarf and befriends Lucy in a snowy forest in Disney's *The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe.* The title being of *Pan's Labyrinth* and Mr. Tumnus are, for 10 points, what mythical half-goat creatures? ANSWER: <u>satyr</u>s or <u>fauns</u> [prompt on <u>goat or goat-man</u> or similar] <Vopava>
- 2. According to The Sporting News, the first instance of this action occurred during Game 1 of the 1889 World Series, when it was suggested for good luck. William Taft is sometimes credited with creating this action during a long game on Opening Day in 1910. A sign for the Polo Grounds inspired Jack Norworth and Albert Von Tilzer, a pair of (*) Tin Pan Alley composers, to write a piece central to this action whose performance was popularized by Harry Caray. A song that proclaims "one, two, three strikes you're out" is sung during, for 10 points, what traditional break held about two-thirds of the way through a baseball game?

ANSWER: <u>seventh-inning stretch</u> [accept descriptive equivalents like the <u>middle of the seventh</u> inning; prompt on answers like <u>singing "Take Me Out to the Ball Game"</u> by asking "What is that a part of?"] <Nelson>

- 3. Players of this game can initiate an "EVP Session" using a specially designed box. Houses on Edgewood Street and Tanglewood Street are among this game's locations. One of this game's most frustrating objectives involves making its subject go to a sink to create dirty water. This game's "Professional" level eliminates the Setup Phase and expands (*) Hunts to 50 seconds. Sanity decreases less rapidly in this game if your ouija board contact is a demon. Wimpy teammates often opt to stay in the Van in, for 10 points, what co-op ghost-hunting PC game whose name means "fear of ghosts"? ANSWER: *Phasmophobia* (FAZ-muh-"phobia") <Vopava>
- 4. An aging chemist on this show is implied to have earned the nickname "Cockroach" by surviving a firing squad. A scene in this series is set to a questionably accurate explanation of the origins of magical realism. This show's protagonist angrily discusses revenge with Quica(KEE-kah), Limón (lee-MOHN), and other associates after his mistress, the journalist (*) Valeria, is killed. This series is narrated by Steve Murphy, an American operative played by Boyd Holbrook. For 10 points, name this international drama co-starring Pedro Pascal as a DEA agent who hopes to bring down the cocaine empire of Pablo Escobar.

ANSWER: *Narcos* < Vopava>

5. It isn't by Little Richard, but for some reason the B-side to this single was Little Richard's then-33-year-old song "Tutti Frutti." A couple rides horses on the beach at the start of the music video to this song, in which John Stamos plays the congas. The lyric "that dreamy look in your eye / give me a (*) tropical contact high" is sung in this song from the album *Still Cruisin'*, which promises "We'll get there fast and then we'll take it slow". Numerous islands are namedropped in the chorus of this song, exemplified by the line "Aruba, Jamaica, ooh I wanna take ya". For 10 points, name this 1988 song by the Beach Boys.

ANSWER: "Kokomo" < Andert>

- 6. This player won four of the six "Breakaway Challenge" events, the NHL's short-lived equivalent of a dunk contest. For unclear reasons, this player had a lengthy and bitter feud with Evgeny Malkin. The 2004 NHL lockout delayed the debut of this player, who instead remained with a team called the "Dynamo." In reference to his jersey number, this player is sometimes known as the "Great (*) Eight." This nine-time NHL goals leader helped end a 44-year drought when he led his team to a Stanley Cup in 2018. For 10 points, name this Russian-born Washington Capital nicknamed "Ovi." ANSWER: Alexander (Mikhailovich) Ovechkin < Maharjan>
- 7. In one film, a character voiced by this actor is eaten by, is turned into, and then defeats an army of chicken breasts. This man starred alongside Kit Harrington in a film inspired by the Isner-Mahut tennis match titled *Seven Days in Hell*. In a 2020 film, a character played by this man is repeatedly killed by Roy in the title (*) city. The song "Equal Rights," whose performer constantly clarifies that he isn't gay, is a single for Connor4Real, a singer played by this actor in a 2016 mockumentary. The time loop movie *Palm Springs* stars, for 10 points, what member who starred with his fellow Lonely Island members in *Popstar*?

ANSWER: Andy **Samberg** [or David Andrew **Sandberg**] < Weiner>

- 8. This singer and her husband met while co-writing Tim McGraw's song "Last Turn Home." With Amanda Shires, Natalie Hemby, and Brandi Carlile, this singer formed the supergroup The Highwomen; Carlile also guested on this woman's song "Common." A crossover hit by this artist claims "house don't fall" when the title objects are good. In her debut single, this woman likened listening to the (*) "highway FM" to the title location, where Johnny Cash "leads the choir." She claimed "I'm losing my mind a little" in a collaboration with Grey and the producer Zedd. "The Middle" featured vocals by, for 10 points, what country pop singer of "The Bones" and "My Church." ANSWER: Maren (Larae) Morris <Nelson>
- 9. In Season 13 of *The Bachelorette*, this actor hosted a domestic obstacle course filled with tasks like changing a diaper. After having a daughter with his wife Abby, a character played by this actor likens the cost of having a baby to buying an Xbox; that character works for his Ronald Reagan-loving father who is played by (*) Sam Elliott. In an episode that marked a major casting change, a billionaire played by this man startles Alan Harper, causing him to spread his brother's ashes on the living room floor. Colt Bennett on *The Ranch* is played by, for 10 points, what former star of *That 70s Show* who replaced Charlie Sheen on *Two and a Half Men*?

ANSWER: Ashton <u>Kutcher</u> (rhymes with "butcher") [or Christopher Ashton <u>Kutcher</u>] < Andert>

10. A Legend of Zeldaitem of this name is a mask that grants Link sniper-like zoom when firing a bow. This is also the name of the camera technology that professional tennis uses to verify a ball's trajectory and exact impact site. A chief surgeon with this nickname has a mental breakdown in the TV episode "Goodbye, Farewell and Amen" after witnessing a (*) Korean mother smother her own baby; that character was played by Alan Alda on M*A*S*H. In Marvel Comics, Kate Bishop and Clint Barton both used, for 10 points, what nickname shared by the sports teams of the University of Iowa? ANSWER: Hawkeye [or Hawk-Eye] < Vopava>

11. While standing next to a shower, this character is stabbed by a pen stolen from his brother's briefcase. A knife sealed in a plastic bag is found next to this character's cell phone, which then receives the text "SURPRISE." This character gets a woman institutionalized by (*) slitting her sister's throat at a busy restaurant and then offers to free her if she agrees to have his child. After suspecting that this character is on a ladder into the attic, Cecilia reveals his presence by dumping white paint on him. For 10 points, name this title villain of a 2020 horror film starring Elizabeth Moss and based on an H. G. Wells novel.

ANSWER: The Invisible Man [or Adrian Griffin; accept either underlined portion] < Weiner>

12. Under head coach Sam Wyche ("why"-ch), this NFL team pioneered the modern no-huddle offense. It's not the Packers, but the Freezer Bowl, the coldest NFL game by wind chill ever played, was hosted by this team; in that game, Ken Anderson led this team to a win. Joe Montana led "The Drive" against this team in Super Bowl XXIII (23), which was quarterbacked at that time by (*) Boomer Esiason (eh-SIGH-uh-sen). More recently, this team employed outspoken wide receiver Chad Johnson and, starting in 2020, a quarterback drafted first overall out of LSU. Joe Burrow plays with, for 10 points, what team based in southern Ohio?

ANSWER: Cincinnati Bengals [accept either] < Andert>

13. Just before the release of this song's music video, its performer ominously tweeted "Earth is cancelled." That video for this song features groups of color-coded dancers including the "Kindness Punks" and was proudly noted to have been shot using an iPhone. Michael Polanksy may be the inspiration for this song, which claims (*) "you're the one that I've been waiting for" and repeats "freak out" and "get down." This song's success was eclipsed by its performer's subsequent single, "Rain on Me." The lead single from the 2020 album *Chromatica* is, for 10 points, what song in which Lady Gaga claims "I want" the title type of affection?

ANSWER: "Stupid Love" < Maharjan>

- 14. One member of this group changed his name upon joining since his former guardian Nicholas Galtry mocked his previous name with the Doom Patrol. This group was first established in a 1964 issue of *The Brave and the Bold*. In the storyline "The Judas Contract", a leader of this group became the newest figure to use the alias "Nightwing." An earth-wielding member of this group named (*) Terra served as a double agent for Deathstroke. Aqualad was an original member of this group, whose usual members also include Raven and Starfire. For 10 points, name this group of young DC heroes. ANSWER: <u>Teen Titans</u> [accept <u>Teen Titans Gol</u>] <Maharjan>
- 15. This character once had a pet turtle that hid in its shell and starved itself rather than confront him. After this man brings a series of sub-par key lime pies to Camilla Figg when she is on her deathbed, he uses the only good one to lethally poison her. To protect this man, Lila Tournay blows up the cabin in the Everglades where this man locks up Sgt. James Doakes. The "Trinity (*) Killer," played by John Lithgow, is thwarted by this character, who aids Miami police as an expert in blood spatter analysis. Michael C. Hall played, for 10 points, what title character of a Showtime series, a serial killer who hunts criminals?

ANSWER: <u>Dexter</u> Morgan [accept The <u>Bay Harbor Butcher</u>; prompt on <u>Morgan</u>] <Vopava>

16. In 2013 Elizabeth Merrill called this basketball player's relationship with his coach the "greatest love story in sports"; this player briefly filled in for that coach in 2020 as part of a short stint as an assistant. This man began playing basketball after Hurricane Hugo destroyed the only Olympic-size (*) swimming pool in his hometown. After believing this player was laughing at him, referee Joey Crawford controversially ejected him. After forming the "twin towers" with David Robinson, this Wake Forest alum formed a trio with Tony Parker and Manu Ginobili. For 10 points, name this notoriously mild-mannered San Antonio Spurs forward.

ANSWER: Tim **Duncan** [or Timothy Theodore **Duncan**] < Maharjan>

- 17. At a funeral home, the protagonist of this film has a flashback of approaching her dead father's casket. In this film, the names Louis Friend and Miss Hester Mofet turn out to be anagrams. The exotic death's-head (*) moth is a key clue in this film, in which Senator Ruth Martin's daughter is kept at the bottom of a pit, where she is told "it puts the lotion on its skin" by the serial killer Buffalo Bill. After escaping from prison, a horrifying villain claims "I'm having an old friend for dinner" at the end of, for 10 points, what 1990 thriller in which FBI trainee Clarice Starling consults the cannibal Hannibal Lecter? ANSWER: The <u>Silence of the Lambs</u>
- 18. One character on this show is rescued by miners who disguise themselves as judges after digging their way under a courthouse. After appearing repeatedly on this show, the 19th-century song "Bella ciao" resurged in popularity in Europe. Allison Parker was among the 67 (*) hostages taken by a group wearing Salvador Dali masks on this show, whose non-English title means "The House of Paper." To hide their identities, Sergio Marquina required that Silene Oliveira and other conspirators in this show go by the names of cities, such as "Tokyo." For 10 points, name this Spanish crime drama about robberies on the Royal Mint and the Bank of Spain.

ANSWER: <u>Money Heist</u> [accept <u>La casa de papel</u> before "House" but prompt on it afterwards] <Rao - Pothuraju>

19. A girl named for this figure "was young and an actress" according to a 2016 song. A disastrously expensive 1963 film about this historical figure nearly bankrupted 20th Century Fox. This woman is accompanied by the cyborg Brian in a 2020 Dreamworks Animated show titled for her (*) "In Space." This woman, who is depicted as a vapid cheerleader in the series *Clone High*, titles a 2016 album by The Lumineers that included their hit "Ophelia." Elizabeth Taylor iconically played, for 10 points, what woman who, in the game *Total War: Rome II*, leads Egypt?

ANSWER: <u>Cleopatra</u> [accept <u>Cleopatra In Space</u>] < Maharjan>

20. The title of this song was inspired by a person Gucci Mane says he's looking for after claiming "I'm hood like hot wings" in a 2006 song. The performer of this song is said to be "soundin' like a zillion bucks" in an outro performed by Nitt Da Gritt. This is the first of numerous singles by the same artist to mention the number (*) "1738" (seventeen thirty-eight). The greeting "Hey, what's up, hello" begins this song, whose performer claims "I can ride with my baby" in reference to the song's central figure. A supposed ruler of a drug house is the title woman of, for 10 points, what song by Fetty Wap whose title also reflects its genre of hip hop?

ANSWER: "Trap Queen" < Andert>

- 1. Brazilian model Natalia Garibotto commented "At least I'm going to heaven" after a strange October 2020 incident involving this man. For 10 points each:
- [10] In that incident, one of her racy Instagram photos was liked by @franciscus ("at" fran-SISS-kuss), the official account of the current holder of this office.

ANSWER: (the) **Pope** [accept **Pope** Francis]

[10] On Twitter, Pope Francis goes by this other handle derived from another name for his position.

ANSWER: @Pontifex

[10] Pope Francis's other forays into social media include the app "Click to Pray," a free prayer network app whose logo contains one of these things. The "votive" variety of these things is common in Catholicism.

ANSWER: <u>candle</u>s [accept votive <u>candle</u>] <Vopava>

- 2. The novel on which this series is based is written in-universe by the protagonist's future son. For 10 points each:
- [10] Name this horror series in which the friends Tic and Letitia search for Tic's father in Jim Crow America while encountering monsters from a literary mythos.

ANSWER: **Lovecraft Country**

[10] One of Lovecraft Country's key creative forces is this director of the films Us and Get Out.

ANSWER: Jordan (Haworth) Peele

[10] On Lovecraft Country, Letitia is played Jurnee Smollett, who played the slave Rosalee in this 2016 WGN show about the "Macon 7" in Antebellum Georgia. It was cancelled after two seasons following an attempt by Sinclair to purchase WGN.

ANSWER: *Underground* < Weiner>

- 3. Before she went purely country, Wanda Jackson was known as the "Queen of" this 1950s genre. For 10 points each:
- [10] Name this upbeat genre that, as its name suggests, fused elements of rock and roll, blues, and western styles like bluegrass. Among its most prominent artists were Bill Haley & His Comets and Carl Perkins.

ANSWER: rockabilly

[10] One of the earliest rockabilly hits, Perkins's "Blue Suede Shoes," was notably covered in 1956 by this "King of Rock and Roll."

ANSWER: Elvis (Aaron) Presley

[10] Two rockabilly stars, Buddy Holly and the Big Bopper, died in a 1959 plane crash known as "the day the music died," which is recounted in this 1971 song. Its chorus recounts how "them Good Ol' Boys were drinking whiskey and rye."

ANSWER: "American Pie" < Vopava>

4. For his 50th birthday, Barack Obama invited numerous pro basketball players to play a game at the White House. For 10 points each:

[10] This legendary player, who led the "Showtime"-era L.A. Lakers, came out of retirement to play in the game. He retired after contracting HIV in 1992.

ANSWER: Magic Johnson [or Earvin Johnson Jr.]

[10] The youngest NBA player in the game was this point guard who won the league's 2011 MVP Award at age 22. He was traded to Detroit in 2019 from the Timberwolves.

ANSWER: Derrick (Martell) Rose

[10] The game also featured this now-retired Bulls big man who led the Florida Gators to two NCAA titles. He has played for France at the international level by virtue of his father having been a French tennis great. ANSWER: Joakim (ZHOH-uh-keem) (Simon) Noah <Vopava>

- 5. After departing one of these vehicles, the majority of a high school baseball team is killed by zombies in a 2016 film. For 10 points each:
- [10] Name this form of transportation, which is traveling "to Busan" (boo-SAHN) in a Korean thriller in which a man tries to get his daughter to safety during a zombie outbreak. *Murder on the Orient Express* is also set on one of these vehicles.

ANSWER: <u>train</u> [accept <u>Train to Busan</u> or <u>Busanhaeng</u>]

[10] *Train to Busan* was followed up by this disappointing 2020 sequel that sees survivors of the outbreak return to Korea in search of a truck full of cash.

ANSWER: <u>Peninsula</u> [or <u>Bando</u>; accept Train to Busan Presents: <u>Peninsula</u>]

[10] This 2013 English-language Korean-Czech film about a frozen-over Earth also predominantly takes place on a train. It was adapted into a TV series starring Daveed Diggs and Jennifer Connelly in 2020.

ANSWER: <u>Snowpiercer</u> [or <u>Seolgungnyeolcha</u>; accept: Le <u>Transperceneige</u>] < Weiner>

- 6. A piano ostinato endlessly repeats for over seven and a half minutes of this band's song "All My Friends." For 10 points each:
- [10] Name this indie rock band formed by James Murphy, whose supposed "final" concert is documented in the film *Shut Up and Play the Hits*. Their name alludes to both color and audio.

ANSWER: **LCD Soundsystem**

[10] The single release of "All My Friends" included a cover of the song by this Scottish rock quartet behind "You Could Have It So Much Better" and "Take Me Out."

ANSWER: Franz Ferdinand

[10] In an early song by LCD Soundsystem, Murphy claims that this electronic duo is "Playing at My House." This group is known for performing as a pair of robots.

ANSWER: <u>Daft Punk</u> [accept "<u>Daft Punk</u> Is Playing at My House"] <Vopava>

7. The only surviving version of this film added a "video joker" that screams random lines like "Action packed movie!" in its background. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this extremely low-budget 2010 Ugandan action film that became a surprise internet hit in the ensuing years. Its title question remains unanswered to this day.

ANSWER: Who Killed Captain Alex?

[10] "Do you know da way?," a line from *Who Killed Captain Alex?*, is often attributed to a sloppily-drawn "Ugandan" version of this red friend of Sonic the Hedgehog.

ANSWER: Knuckles the Echidna [accept Ugandan Knuckles]

[10] Two years after the release of the film, Uganda was the subject of another viral video, in which the group Invisible Children brought attention to this Ugandan leader of the Lord's Resistance Army.

ANSWER: Joseph Kony [accept Kony 2012] < Maharjan>

8. This character's ungodly powerful attack "Supernova" straight up destroys several planets. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this villainous member of SOLDIER, born to professor Hojo's wife Lucretia Crescent after she was injected with the cells of Jenova.

ANSWER: Sephiroth

[10] Sephiroth, the antagonist of *Final Fantasy VII*, wields a preposterously large one of these weapons. Cloud Strife, the game's protagonist, also uses a large, "buster" variety of this weapon.

ANSWER: **sword** [prompt on answers like <u>blade</u>, do not accept or prompt on answers like "knife" or "dagger"]

[10] Sephiroth is also a villain in this franchise, where in the Dark Depths in Hollow Bastion, he fights the protagonist to test the power of his keyblade.

ANSWER: Kingdom Hearts < Maharjan>

9. For 10 points each, answer the following about depictions of characters named Popeye:

[10] The detective Jimmy "Popeye" Doyle was played by Gene Hackman in this landmark 1971 film, which features one of cinema's greatest car chases.

ANSWER: The French Connection

[10] Nicholas Aaron played "Popeye" Wynn, a member of the title group in this legendary miniseries about a parachute infantry during World War II.

ANSWER: **Band of Brothers**

[10] A 1980 film based on the sailor Popeye was the first film to star this beloved comic actor, who voiced the genie in the animated film *Aladdin*. He passed away in 2014.

ANSWER: Robin (McLaurin) Williams < Weiner>

10. While Boise State's bold blue field is likely the best known, several other collegiate teams also have fields of unusual colors. For 10 points each:

[10] A similarly blue field is used at the The University of New Haven, a Division II school that is just down the road from this Ivy League university.

ANSWER: Yale University

[10] This Division I FBS school has played on a teal-colored turf since 2015. They went undefeated in the 2020 season but lost to Liberty in the 2020 Cure Bowl.

ANSWER: **Coastal Carolina** University [accept **Chanticleers**]

[10] Estes Stadium, the home of this FCS school, has a field with gray and purple stripes. This school, which is in the city of Conway, may be most notable as the alma mater of basketball star Scottie Pippen.

ANSWER: University of **Central Arkansas** [do not accept or prompt on "Arkansas"] <Nelson>

11. Jason Mendoza on *The Good Place* is often touted as the Platonic ideal of this character type. For 10 points each:

[10] Give this portmanteau that, in recent years, has come to identify male characters who are kind-hearted and good-looking but also comically gullible and airheaded.

ANSWER: **himbo** [accept **bimboy**]

[10] Among the many TV himbos listed in GQ's 2012 article on "The Rise of the Himbo" is Bobby Cobb, the ex-husband of the Courteney Cox-played Jules on this sitcom that ran until 2015.

ANSWER: <u>Cougar Town</u>

[10] A less brawny but still oft-cited exemplar of the himbo is this non-bender older brother of Katara on Avatar: The Last Airbender and The Legend of Korra

ANSWER: **Sokka** < Vopava>

- 12. This character insists that you should use your finger to measure quantities while watching an egg-fried rice tutorial. For 10 points each:
- [10] Name this character played by comedian Nigel Ng (ang), who usually wears an orange polo shirt. After watching the tutorial's instructor fail to wash the rice, he notes that the rice is now stinky "like you".

ANSWER: <u>Uncle Roger</u> [prompt on <u>Roger</u>]

[10] The egg-fried rice video was created by the food division of this network, which also aired *Monty Python's Flying Circus* and *Merlin*.

ANSWER: **BBC** [or **British Broadcasting Corporation**]

[10] While watching a different egg-fried rice tutorial, Uncle Roger's mind is blown after finding out that this chef has two woks. In 2019, it was revealed that one of this man's restaurants, the Foxtrot Oscar, serves heated up, pre-prepared food.

ANSWER: Gordon (James) Ramsay < Andert>

13. The classic film genre known as "screwball comedy" prominently featured strong female leads who spend much of the film feuding with their male counterparts. For 10 points each:

[10] Classic screwball comedies thrived and died out during the first years of this decade, when early *film noirs* like *Laura* and *Out of the Past*resonated with post-World War II unease.

ANSWER: **1940**s [prompt on 40s]

[10] Carole Lombard played the lead in an Alfred Hitchcock screwball comedy with this name. It is completely unrelated to a 2005 action film of the same name in which a pair of married assassins are hired to kill each other.

ANSWER: Mr. & Mrs. Smith

[10] This actor played the male lead in many screwball staples, including *His Girl Friday* and *Bringing Up Baby*. He also starred in Hitchcock's *Notorious* and *North by Northwest*.

ANSWER: Cary **Grant** [or Archibald Alec **Leach**] < Weiner>

14. For 10 points each, answer following about one of the most important traditions in baseball--pranking your teammates:

[10] A common prank involves lighting a teammate's shoe on fire, which is typically known by this specific term. Bert Blyleven's love of doing this led to his nickname, the "Frying Dutchman."

ANSWER: **hot foot** [accept **hot foot**ing or **hot feet**]

[10] This team's manager Charlie Manuel once arranged a fake press conference to tell Kyle Kendrick that he had been "traded to Japan." Bryce Harper signed a colossal deal with this team in 2019.

ANSWER: **Philadelphia Phillies** [accept either]

[10] In 1992, Dave Winfield and this fellow Blue Jay arranged a fake contest in which rookie Derek Bell's car would be given to a fan. This player hit a walk-off home run to win the 1993 World Series for the Jays.

ANSWER: Joe <u>Carter</u> [or Joseph Chris <u>Carter</u>] < Andert>

15. This song's music video pays homage to 1970s soul music by having its three artists perform in glittering suits around a sweet vintage microphone. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this song by Gucci Mane. Its chorus includes the hook "You can't tell me I ain't fly / I know I'm super fly."

ANSWER: "Wake Up in the Sky"

[10] This other artist, who released the album *Bill Israel* while in federal prison, appears on "Wake Up in the Sky." His prison sentence was commuted in January 2021, though he currently faces charges for additional crimes.

ANSWER: <u>Kodak Black</u> [prompt on a partial answers; accept Bill Kahan <u>Kapri</u> or Dieuson <u>Octave</u>] [10] The chorus of "Wake Up in the Sky" is sung by this Hawaiian-born singer. Gucci Mane guested on this man's song "That's What I Like."

ANSWER: Bruno <u>Mars</u> [accept Peter Gene <u>Hernandez</u>] <Andert>

16. This character's boyfriend Brandon Wright is hunted down and tortured to death by Stringer Bell's crew. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this much-feared character on an acclaimed crime drama, whose whistling of "The Farmer in the Dell" ominously warns criminals that he's "comin'."

ANSWER: Omar (Devone) Little [prompt on "Little"]

[10] Criminals like Omar and Stringer Bell are the focus of this 2000s HBO series that is frequently cited as one of the greatest TV dramas of all time.

ANSWER: The Wire

[10] Stringer's men track down Omar's boyfriend Brandon thanks to a tip from Wallace, a small-time drug dealer played by this then-teenage actor. Sixteen years later, he would play Erik Killmonger in *Black Panther*.

ANSWER: Michael B. Jordan [or Michael Bakari Jordan]

<Vopava>

17. The cover of one book by this author places a Polaroid photo captioned "...if one is dead" underneath the book's title. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this young adult fiction author, whose 2019 book *Two Can Keep a Secret* is one of her several books about teenagers being mysteriously killed.

ANSWER: Karen M. McManus

[10] The title of McManus's breakthrough novel claims that "One of Us Is" taking this action. The comic book series *Saga* depicts a cat that can detect and call out this action.

ANSWER: lying [accept lies or other forms; accept One of Us Is Lying

[10] A 2020 novel by McManus is centered on and named for characters with this relationship to each other. Eustace has this relationship to the Pevensie children in the *Chronicles of Narnia*books.

ANSWER: <u>cousins</u> [accept *The <u>Cousins</u>*] <Nelson>

18. According to the title of a 2008 song, Rihanna wants you to "Sell" her some of this substance. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this general type of food. A man partially named for it is described as "sweet talkin' sugar coated" in a song by Christiana Aguilera.

ANSWER: <u>candy</u> [accept "<u>Sell Me Candy</u>" or "<u>Candyman</u>"]

[10] This actress, who now stars as Rebecca Pearson on *This Is Us*, first rose to prominence as the singer of the pop song "Candy."

ANSWER: Mandy Moore [or Amanda Leigh Moore]

[10] The song "I Want Candy" has been recorded by the Strangeloves, Bow Wow Wow, and this former heartthrob, who describes a basketball player that was "twelve-foot three" in his song "That's How I Beat Shaq".

ANSWER: <u>Aaron</u> (Charles) <u>Carter</u> [prompt on <u>Carter</u>] < Andert>

19. For 10 points each, answer the following about films depicting Fred Hampton, a leader of the Black Panther party:

[10] Hampton's betrayal at the hands of Bill O'Neal is depicted in this 2021 film starring Daniel Kaluuya and Lakeith Steinfeld. It is essentially titled for a pair of biblical figures.

ANSWER: Judas and the Black Messiah

[10] In a 2020 Aaron Sorkin film, Hampton was played by Kelvin Harrison Jr. in a brief appearance. That film is titled for the trial of a group of seven individuals in this Midwestern city, where Hampton was based.

ANSWER: Chicago [accept The Trial of the Chicago 7]

[10] The Trial of the Chicago 7stars this actor as Tom Hayden, the leader of the SDS group. He won an acting Oscar for his portrayal of Stephen Hawking in The Theory of Everything

ANSWER: Eddie **Redmayne** [or Edward (John David) **Redmayne**] < Weiner >

20. Despite being perfectly legal, this action often elicits boos from tennis spectators who believe it is used unsportingly to catch an opponent off-guard. For 10 points each:

[10] Name this unusual variety of serve, which saw an inexplicable spike in popularity on the pro tennis circuit in 2019 and 2020.

ANSWER: <u>underhand</u> serve [accept equivalents that indicate the ball is served <u>underhand</u>ed or <u>underarm</u>]

[10] This already-infamous player garnered even more notoriety for using underhand serves in 2019, the same year he set a record by incurring \$113,000 in fines for unsportsmanlike conduct at the Cincinnati Masters.

ANSWER: Nick <u>Kyrgios</u> (KEER-ee-oss) [or Nicholas (Hilmy) <u>Kyrgios</u>]

[10] Kyrgios hails from this country, which hosts the first Grand Slam tournament of the calendar year by virtue of it having summer in January.

ANSWER: Australia [accept Australian Open] < Vopava>