# Minnesota - Simmons, Rubenstein, Bacon, Barger, Schaumburg TOSSUPS 

1. It relates the dreams and nightmares of Humphrey Chimpden Earwicker and his family as they lie asleep at night, and by means of this central story the entire historic, psychological, religious, and artistic experience of mankind is told. For ten points identify this landmark 1939 novel written by James Joyce.

## Finnegans Wake

2. It sounds like the premise of a Gothic novel, but this year a prominent medical researcher has announced plans to inject himself with his own concoction, in this case a new AIDS vaccine. For ten points, who is this man who made headlines in 1953 as the discoverer of the first widely-used polio vaccine?

Dr. Jonas Edward Salk

3. "For in much wisdom is much grief: and he that increaseth knowledge increaseth sorrow." This quote offers poor tidings for College Bowlers, but who ever said we were wise? For ten points, identify the Old Testament book that is the source of this quote, whose name is derived from the Greek word for preacher.

## Ecclesiastes

4. Their unshod feet represented black poverty, one wore a scarf and the other beads to signify lynchings, and their gloved fists were raised in a gesture of black unity and power. Condemned by Avery Brundage, they were suspended from the U.S. team and ejected from the Olympic Village. For ten points, name these two athletes who were at the center of controversy in 1968 at Mexico City.

Tommie Smith and John Carlos
5. This metal may be obtained by heating cinnabar. Its atomic number is 80 , and most people know it as the only metallic element that is a liquid at room temperature. For ten points, name it.

Mercury

6. Artist Robert Demuth (di-MOOTH) painted this number in gold. Robert Indiana used Demuth's artwork as inspiration for his own painting which featured this single digit number. In his work, Indiana also included the words EAT, DIE, HOG, ERR, and USA in a design with militaristic overtones. For ten points, what is this artistically and mathematically prime number?

Five (Demuth, "I Saw the Figure Five in Gold," and Indiana, "The Demuth Five.")

7. He hit a home run in his last at-bat to round out a legendary baseball career. Although he was a two-time league MVP, his most renowned season left him second in MVP balloting in 1941. For ten points, who is this longtime Boston great?

Ted Williams
8. We all know that Republican George Bush came in first and that Democrat Michael Dukakis finished second in the popular vote for President in 1988. But for ten points, tell me both the candidate and party of the third place finisher in the popular vote in that same election.

Libertarian candidate Ron Paul
9. It turns out that he is his guardian's nephew. This is only discovered after a series of adventures at his guardian's estate, on the road after his banishment, and in London among the swells and minor nobility. Throughout, he is the not unwilling object of the amorous intentions of gentle and not-so-gentle women, and at one point he is horrified to discover that one of his liaisons may have been incestuous. For ten points, who is this hero and title character of a novel by Henry Fielding?

## Tom Jones

10. He lost the first presidential election of the Fifth Republic of France. Later, he was able to unify the leftist parties behind his own SFIB. For ten points, who is this man who eventually became President of France?

## François Mitterand

11. Safar (sa-FAR), Shawwal (sha-WALL), Muharram (moo-HARR-im), Zu'lkadah (zool-KAH-dah), Shaban (shah-BAHN), Zu'lhijjah (zool-HIJ-ah), and Ramadan (RAH-ma-DAHN) are all, for ten points, the names of what?

Months of the Islamic (or Moslem or Muslim) Calendar
12. He once used a $\$ 1,500$ Rockefeller Foundation check as a bookmark--and he lost the book. When he wasn't losing expensive page keepers, he was a Nobel Prize winner in physics. For ten points, who was this archetypical absent-minded genius noted for his discovery of the photoelectric effect?

Albert Einstein

13. According to folklore, fairies often substituted a changeling for a human child. Typically, the changeling was easily identified by its ugly appearance, low intelligence, or strange manner. This gave rise to a three-letter noun, related to the word elf, referring to any clumsy or stupid person. For ten points, what is the word?

## Oaf

14. One star of this show had to defend himself from his mother's charges that he was incompetent to handle his own affairs, another was convicted of narcotics-related offenses, and a third committed armed robbery in a video store holdup. For ten points, name this litigantstocked situation comedy which starred Gary Coleman, Todd Bridges, and Dana Plato.

## Diff'rent Strokes

15. She passed her days almost entirely within her family circle, and her novels, distinguished by her satirical wit, stick scrupulously to that narrow world. For ten points identify this great 19th century novelist, author of such works as Persuasion, Mansfield Park, and Pride and Prejudice.

Jane Austen

16. Mayor Mary Moran made headlines earlier this year when she ordered her city to file for bankruptcy, making it the largest American municipality ever to do so. For ten points name the city, which as of the 1980 census had the largest urban population in Connecticut.

## Bridgeport

17. It is etymologically related to the Latin word for "free." It was coined by Freud, and it refers to all of the instinctual energies and desires derived from the id. For ten points, unleash your instinctual energies and name the term.

## Libido

18. In the late sixties, Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara began a project that, due to the inattention of his successors Clark Clifford and Melvin Laird, snowballed from an attempt to answer a short list of questions concerning Vietnam to a comprehensive document on U.S. involvement in Southeast Asia. Thanks to a 1971 Supreme Court decision, these classified documents were published and became popularly known, for ten points, by what name?

## The Pentagon Papers

19. His first film was the forgettable "The Painted Desert." He made a bigger impression in later roles, notably causing undershirt sales to plummet when he went bare chested in "It Happened One Night." For ten points, if you give a damn, who was this leading man?

## Clark Gable

20. California's Sequoia National Park is justly known for such gigantic trees as General Sherman and General Grant, but the highest point in the park isn't a tree top, since the park's territory also includes the tallest section of the Sierra Nevada range. For ten points, what is the park's highest point, also the tallest peak in California, and also the tallest mountain in the contiguous forty-eight states?

Mount Whitney


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22. Russian poet Sergei Yesenin committed suicide in 1925, slashing his wrists and writing a farewell poem in his own blood. Remarkably, his sensational death was overshadowed by that of his ex-wife two years later. For ten points, name this woman, a world-renowned dancer, who was strangled to death when her long scarf accidentally got caught in the wheel of an automobile.

Isadora Duncan

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In 1861, U.S. soldiers unjustly hanged several of his relatives. For the next eleven years he battled relentlessly against the U.S. army, until finally he was promised a reservation on his native territory in 1872. When he died two years later, his people, the Chiricahua (CHIRR-i-KAH-wa) Apache, were removed from their land. For ten points, who was this leader, known for his courage and military skill?


#### Abstract

23 24. This city, among the world's busiest international trading centers, was purchased by the British East India Company in 1819, was ceded to Britain in 1824, and was occupied by the Japanese in World War II. Since then, it has been a British crown colony, a part of another nation, and since 1965 the capital of an independent republic named for itself. For ten points, what city is this?


Singapore
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25. On hearing that Clare Boothe Luce was always kind to her inferiors, she replied, "And where does she find them?" Her maiden name was Rothschild, and along with such figures as Alexander Woollcott, Harpo Marx, and Robert Benchley she sat at the Algonquin Round Table. For ten points, who was this famous woman?

## Dorothy Parker

25. There are six of them, written in Cöthen in the early 18th century. Number four features a solo group of one violin and two recorders with a string accompaniment, while number five has a solo group of violin, flute, and harpsichord and also uses a string accompaniment. For ten points, name this famous collection of instrumental music written by Johann Sebastian Bach.

## The Brandenburg Concertos

27. As a young man, he spent over a year in such western European countries as Holland and England, where he worked with his own hands and talked with political and business leaders on means of modernizing his own country. Upon his return he foiled a coup and went on to initiate reforms to westernize his nation's economy. For ten points, name this czar who ruled from 1682 to 1725.

Peter the Great or Peter I
28. According to legend, the first road in colonial Virginia contained a one-fourth mile straightaway that became a popular site for horse races. This is the reputed source, for ten points, of the name for what American breed of horse used for sprint races?

## Quarter-horse

29. "Fifty head of cattle" and "All hands on deck" are both examples of the literary device in which a part is used to represent the whole. For ten points, name this device which sounds similar to the name of a city in upstate New York.

## Synecdoche (sin-ECK-doe-KEE)

30. Its Latin name is Cucurbita pepo, and it is a large, edible fruit that grows on a coarse vine. Every year millions and millions are harvested and sold as decorations as well as for food. It is most commonly eaten in pies; as a decoration, it appears on doorsteps on the evening of October 31. For ten points, name the fruit.

## Pumpkin

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## BONUSES



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2. 25 POINT BONUS. For five points each, and a five point bonus if you get all four, identify the title of the literary work from its first line. As a hint, I will tell you that the authors are Voltaire, Tolstoy, Dostoyevsky, and Garcia Marquez.
a. "Happy families are all alike; every unhappy family is unhappy in its own way."

Anna Karenina by Leo Tolstoy
b. "There lived in Westphalia, at the country seat of Baron Thunder-ten-tronckh, a young lad blessed by nature with the most agreeable manners."

Candide, or Optimism, by Voltaire
c. "Towards the end of a sultry afternoon early in July a young man came out of his little room in Stolyarny Lane and turned slowly and somewhat irresolutely in the direction of Kamenny Bridge."

Crime and Punishment by Fyodor Dostoyevsky
d. "Many years later, as he faced the firing squad, Colonel Aureliano Buendia was to remember that distant afternoon when his father took him to discover ice."

One Hundred Years of Solitude by Gabriel Garcia Marquez
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8. 30 POINT BONUS. We've been hearing a lot about baseball lately, so asking you to name players would be too easy. Name the umpire for ten points each.
a. A former American League umpire, shot and paralyzed last July, who threw out the first pitch in game one of this year's World Series.

Steve Palermo
b. He was at first base in game two, calling Ron Gant out and sending him into a tantrum.

Drew Coble
c. Coble's call reminded many of a play at first base in game six of the 1985 series, in which Joaquin Andujar went ballistic. The umpire on that call worked behind the plate in game seven of this year's series. What's his name?

Don Denkinger

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4. 25 POINT BONUS. On May 27, 1905, ships emerged out of a heavy fog into a deathtrap. A terribly outwitted Russian fleet was pummeled by the Japanese navy, led by Admiral Togo. For twenty-five points, what is the name of this famous battle which led to the end of the RussoJapanese War?

## Tsushima

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8. 30 POINT BONUS. Railroads have played a large part in our American heritage. For ten points apiece, tell me the full name of the railroad given its initials and three stops.
a. SP; Los Angeles, San Antonio, El Paso Southern Pacific
b. ACL; Tampa, Atlanta, Richmond
c. NP; Fargo, Seattle, Butte

Atlantic Coast Line
Northern Pacific
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8. 20 POINT BONUS. While we have already endured Watergate, Koreagate, and Iran-Contragate, we have never before had as many headline-making Gates as in the past year. For five points each, identify the man named Gates who:
a. Is the Los Angeles Police Chief who has come under fire for the brutality of his officers. Daryl Gates
b. Is a noted African-American scholar at Harvard, is a frequent contributor to the New York Times Op/Ed page, and has made headlines for his defense of the artistic integrity of 2 Live Crew.

Henry Louis Gates
c. Is probably the most powerful man in the software industry as founder and head of Microsoft. William or Bill Gates.
d. Is President Bush's nominee for CIA Director, and is now awaiting Senate confirmation. Robert Gates .

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7. 30 POINT BONUS. Given the function of a part of the eye, name the part. Ten points each.
a. The contractile, circular diaphragm that controls the amount of light entering the pupil. Iris
b. This is the part that controls the blood vessels which nourish the retina. It also absorbs scattered light.

Choroid coat or membrane
c. The dense, white membrane that, along with the cornea, forms the outer coating of the eye. Sclera

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8. 25 POINT BONUS. One of these things is not like the others; one of these things just doesn't belong. For each of the following trios of artists, identify the one that was not a contemporary of the other two. Five points each.
a. Francisco Goya, Theodore Gericault, Antoine Watteau

Watteau =
b. Pablo Picasso, Georges Seurat, Paul Klee (CLAY)
c. Titian, Peter Paul Rubens, Raphael
d. William Hogarth, William Turner, John Constable
e. Jan Van Eyck, Frans Hals, Jan Vermeer

Seurat -RubensHogarth Van Eyck

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-. 25 POINT BONUS. Through most of the seventeenth century this was England's most populous colony in the new world. It was an important source of sugar cane for all the English colonies of the time, and rum and molasses have continued to be its major exports to the present day. For twenty-five points, identify this island member of the Commonwealth which has its capital at Bridgetown.

Barbados
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10. 30 POINT BONUS. Let's play Shakespeare. For each of the following, you will earn 10 points if you guess the play after one clue, but only five points if you need a second clue. The first clue will be a quote, and the second will be the character who speaks the line. You may guess after each clue.
a. 10 point clue: "Some are born great, some achieve greatness, and some have greatness thrust upon them."
5 point clue: Spoken by Malvolio.
Twelfth Night
b. 10 point clue: "Age cannot wither her, nor custom stale her infinite variety."

5 point clue: Spoken by Enobarbus
Antony and Cleopatra
c. 10 point clue: "O! How wretched is that poor man that hangs on princes' favors."

5 point clue: Spoken by Cardinal Wolsey
Henry the Eighth

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找. 20 POINT BONUS. Last summer, two volcanoes on the Pacific rim of Asia behaved in volcano-like fashion, erupting and consequently causing widespread death and destruction. For ten points each, name these volcanoes, one in Japan and one in the Philippines.

## Mount Unzen and Mount Pinatubo

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12. 20 POINT BONUS. Let's take a visit to the La-La land of science. For five points each, identify the following prominent scientists, each of whose names begins with the letters L-A. a. The French mathematician and physicist, 1736-1813, whose work extended Newtonian mechanics by exploiting relationships of potential energy.

Joseph Lagrange
b. The French naturalist, 1744-1829, who was a forerunner of Darwin in evolutionary theory.

Jean B. Lamarck -
c. The French physicist and astronomer, 1749-1827, who postulated the nebular hypothesis of the origin of the solar system.

Pierre S. Laplace -
d. The American physicist, 1901-1958, who invented the cyclotron.

Ernest O. Lawrence -

## 12

75. 25 POINT BONUS. So acute is his ear that he can hear the wool grow on a sheep's back. He requires less sleep than a bird, and sees by night and day a hundred miles around him. For twenty-five points, who is this Norse god, guardian of the bridge Bifrost (BIV-rost)?

Heimdall (HAIM-dahl)
13. 7 14. POINT BONUS. In 1939, Soviet intelligence officer Walter Krivitsky defected from the USSR while in New York. The next year, without using names, he identified three men as Soviet agents working in Britain. The year after that, Krivitsky was assassinated. For ten points each, name the members of the celebrated British trio known as the Cambridge Spies.

## Guy Burgess, Kim Philby, and Donald MacLean


#### Abstract

14 45. 20 POINT BONUS. In the plain weave pattern, one set of parallel threads are held lengthwise in the loom which then are filled by a thread passing alternately over and under the lengthwise threads. For ten points each, give the proper names of the lengthwise and filling threads.


## Warp and Weft

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18. 30-20-10 BONUS. Identify the author given the titles of three works; answer after the first clue for thirty points, after the second for twenty points, or after the third for ten points. Guess after each clue.
30 point clue: The short story collection Flowering Judas
20 point clue: The short novel Pale Horse Pale Rider
10 point clue: The long novel Ship of Fools
Katherine Anne Porter

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77. 25 POINT BONUS. We're all learning to be more conscious of our eating habits, but that's old hat for longtime calorie counters; here is their chance to shine. Given a list of five foods, put them in order from least to most calories, and you'll earn five points for each correct answer. The foods are: a hard boiled egg, three ounces of beef liver, one stalk of broccoli, one can of beer, and one popsicle.

Broccoli (45)-
Popsicle ( 70 )
Egg (80)
Beer (150)
Liver (195)
17. 25 POINT BONUS. Different agencies, bureaus, and departments of the U.S. federal government are under the auspices of the three different branches: executive, legislative and judicial. For five points each, identify the branch of government that controls each of the following.
a. General Accounting Office legislative -
b. U.S. Tax Court
c. Court of Military Appeals legislative
udicial
d. Office of Management and Budget executive -
e. Copyright Royalty Tribunal legislative
18. 20 POINT BONUS. Two time Pulitzer Prize-winning playwright August Wilson has set himself the task of writing a play set in each decade of the 20th century. Given the decade and a brief description, name the Wilson play.
a. Set in the 1950s, this is the story of Troy Maxson, a former baseball player in the Negro leagues who is too embittered to permit his teenage son a chance at an athletic scholarship.

## Fences

b. This play, set in the 1930s, is about a brother and sister and their struggle over a family heirloom. Bernice wants to keep the heirloom since portraits of their ancestors have been carved into it, while Brother Willie wants to sell it so they can buy a farm.
The Piano Lesson

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20. 30 POINT BONUS. Answer the following dirctional questions about world cities for five points each.
a. Which is farthest east: Tashkent, Karachi, or Islamabad? Islamabad -
b. Which is farthest south: Canberra, Windhoek (VINT-hook), or São Paulo?

Canberra -
c. Which is farthest west: Boise, Missoula, or Tucson?
d. Which is farthest north: Vilnius, Copenhagen, or Kaliningrad?
e. Which is farthest east: Hanoi, Jakarta, or Beijing?
f. Which is farthest south: Christchurch, Maputo, or Auckland?

Boise
Copenhagen
Beijing
Christchurch

## 20

21. 20 POINT BONUS. You can't go far in College Bowl without knowing your U.S. Presidents.

For five points each, given the middle name, identify the President.
a. Gamaliel
Warren Harding
b. Clark
c. Birchard
Herbert Hoover
Rutherford Hayes
d. Milhous
Richard Nixon

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22. 3 POINT BONUS. Be afraid. Be very afraid. For five points each, given the phobia, identify what it is the fear of.
a. Androphobia
men
b. Genophobia
sex
c. Hypnophobia
sleep
d. Phasmophobia
ghosts
e. Potophobia drinking alcohol or equivalent
fl Stygiophobia
Heal.
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23. 25 POINT BONUS. Name that Louis, Louis. For five points each, identify the appropriate Louis of France given a brief clue.
a. He had more wives than any other French king.

Louis the Fourteenth or XIV
b. He was monarch at the time of the first French Revolution.

Louis the Sixteenth or XVI
c. He was installed on the throne after Napoleon, when the monarchy was restored.

Louis the Eighteenth or XVIII
d. He was called the "Citizen King," and ruled during the July Monarchy. Louis Phillipe
e. The only president of the Second Republic. Louis Napoleon Bonaparte

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24. 25 POINT BONUS. The story of his martyrdom inspired many an artist interested in depicting blood, suffering, and puncture wounds. A centurion in Diocletian's army, he was bound to a tree and shot with arrows when it was discovered that he was a Christian. He survived becoming a human pin-cushion, but was later beaten to death. For twenty-five points, name this patron saint of archers and pin makers.

Saint Sebastian
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25. 20 POINT BONUS. When most people are asked to name any of the Channel Islands, they can only think of Jersey and Guernsey. You can show how much more knowledgeable you are than "most people" by naming any one of the other Channel Islands (which are all dependencies of Guernsey) for twenty points.

Alderney, Great Sark, Little Sark. Herm. Jethou, Brechou, Lihou

