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## Macalester Team 1

- The last summer Olympics were held in Seoul and the next ones will be in Barcelona. FTP, the first modern summer Olympics was held in what Mediterranean City? <u>Athens</u>.
- 2. Yoda lived in the Dagobah System. FTP, on what planet in the Star Wars movie did Luke's Uncle Owen farm? Tatooine.
- 3. "How wonderful is Death, Death and his brother Sleep" and "I met a traveller from an Antique Land." FTP, name the famous Romantic Poet that wrote the works including these lines, "Queen Mab" and "Ozymandias". Percy Shelley.
- 4. FTP, what treaty, signed to stop fighting in the war of 1812, was not relayed in time to stop the Battle of New Orleans from being fought? The <u>Treaty of Ghent</u>.
- 5. He was born in Norway and subsequently emigrated to the U.S. FTP, who was this St. Olaf professor who wrote <u>Giants in the Earth</u> in his native Norwegian? Ole <u>Rolvaaq</u>.
- 6. Not a lot of his work is recognizable in the Disney version. FTP, what storyteller originally wrote the story that was the basis for Walt Disney's classic "The Little Mermaid"? Hans Christian Anderson.
- 7. For a quick 10 points, where did basketball star and AIDS victim Magic Johnson attend college? Michigan State.
- 8. Although he had tremendous influence in the 80's and his deeds will reverberate long into the future, he appears to have become personally irrelevant for the 90's. FTP, who or what was named Time Man of the Decade for the 1980's? Mikhail Gorbachey.
- 9. Most film sequels are not worth filming or reviewing. FTP, what is the only sequel to win Best Picture honors at the Oscar Awards? Godfather Part II.
- 10. Roe vs. Wade is likely to be overruled in the next few Supreme Court terms, even though the author of that opinion is still on the court. FTP, who wrote the majority opinion in the landmark court case Roe versus Wade? Harry Blackmun.
- 11. Sputnik was the first man-made satellite. FTP, who led the first manned space flight that orbited the earth? Yuri Gagarin.

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- 12. He did a remarkable job of creating order out of what seems at first glance to be chaos. FTP, what Russian scientist predicted numerous new elements and left spaces for them on the periodic table that he is credited with creating? Dmitri Mendeleev.
- 13. FTP, name the officer in the Norwegian army whose name became synonymous with traitor after he sold out his country to Germany at the onset of WWII? Major Vidkun <u>Quisling</u>.
- 14. Luckily, it didn't end up the way it could have if Lionel Barrymore had had his way. FTP, name the fictional town that George Bailey was trying to escape from before he realized that his was "a wonderful life"? Bedford Falls.
- 15. He was considered insane and disposed of by the Praetorean Guard. FTP, who was this Roman emperor who succeeded Augustus and preceded Claudius. Caligula. (Tiberius Succeeded Augustus!)
- 16. He wrote, "If you give to a thief he cannot steal from you, and he is no longer a thief." FTP, who was this author of Armenian descent who wrote a story about an American town during World War II, <u>The Human Comedy</u>? William <u>Saroyan</u>.
- 17. FTP, what landmark sits on a 5,000 acre landfill at the head of Jamaica Bay, near New York City? <u>JFK</u> Airport.
- 18. D'artagnan is not one of the answers. FTP, what were the names of the Three Musketeers? Athos, Porthos, and Aramis.
- 19. Most coaches never get to a Super Bowl, and few do it twice. FTP, which current N.F.L. coach is the only one to guide two different teams to the Super Bowl? Don Shula.
- 20. This book of the Bible begins, "The book of the genealogy of Jesus Christ, the son of David, the son of Abraham." FTP, what is this book, first in the New Testament. <u>Matthew</u>.
- 21. At first she looked like a victim, then she looked like a villain. Finally, she ended up giving her name to a syndrome. FTP, who was allegedly kidnapped by the Symbionese Liberation Army? Patricia <u>Hearst</u>.
- 22. The Falkland Islands are farther south, but they are not independent. FTP, what is the southernmost capital of an independent nation in the world? Wellington, New Zealand.
- 23. His brother Prometheus had the gift of foresight. FTP, who was this titan, the husband of Pandora who was gifted with hindsight? Epimetheus.

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- 24. Hercules was allowed to take him away temporarily, on the condition he could not use any weapons to overcome him. FTP, what is the name of the three-headed dog that guards the gates of Hades? <u>Cerberus</u>.
- 25. It lies on the border of Peru and Bolivia. FTP, what is the highest navigable lake in South America? Lake <u>Titicaca</u>.
- 26. Atlanta is the home of CNN. FTP, what Eastern city is home to ESPN? <u>Bristol</u>, Connecticut.
- 27. The British comedy group Monty Python brought laughs and smiles to millions of people. FTP, name any four of the members of the Monty Python troupe. Graham <u>Chapman</u>, John <u>Cleese</u>, Terry <u>Jones</u>, Terry <u>Gilliam</u>, Eric <u>Idle</u> and Michael <u>Palin</u>.

## BONI QUESTIONS

## Macalester Team 1

- (30) 1. In 1990 a female reporter was denied access to a professional team's locker room setting off a controversy over women's rights as sports reporters. FTP each, name: 1) the team around which this controversy started, 2) the owner of that team that was sued for sexual discrimination and 3) the name of the female reporter. 1) The New England or Patriots, 2) Victor Kiam, 3) Lisa Olson.
- (20) 2. The Pirates and the Steelers both play their home games in the same stadium. F5P, name that stadium... Three Rivers Stadium....and F5P each name the three rivers that give it it's name. Ohio, Alleghany, and Monongahela.
- (25) 3. We'll give you the name of a famous Shakespearean character and for five points apiece, you name the Shakespearean work with which he is associated.

Donalbain
Polonius
Mercutio
Puck
Prospero

Macbeth
Hamlet
Romeo and Juliet
A Midsummer Nights Dream
The Tempest

- (25) 4. One country in South America borders all but two of the other South American countries. F5P, name this country. Brazil. FTP apiece, name the two countries that it doesn't border. Chile and Ecwador.
- (20) 5. Africa has never been considered a truly free continent because at some time or another most of its countries have been under European colonization. FTP apiece, name the two African nations never to be under European control. Liberia and Ethiopia.
- (20) 6. Every hero must have a nemesis. F5P apiece, I'll give you the villain, you give me the hero with whom they are associated.

Lex Luther

Professor Moriarty

Blofeld

Dr. Claw

Superman 
Sherlock Holmes 
James Bond 
Inspector Gadget

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(25) 7. F5P apiece, name the five front running Democratic candidates for president and their home states. You must pair the state with the candidate to receive points.

Tom Harkin
Paul Tsongas
Bill Clinton
Bob Kerrey
Jerry Brown

Iowa
Massachusetts
Arkansas
Mebraska
California

(30) 8. In 1991, the lead character of a certain comic book series revealed that he was a homosexual, marking the first time in comic book history a lead character has "come out of the closet". F5P, name the comic book company; FTP, name the series; and F15P, name the homosexual male character. Marvel, Alpha Flight, Northstar.

(20) 9. F5P apiece and five points bonus for all three, determine the temperature at which water boils in the following temperature scales.

Kelvin 373Celsius 100Fahrenheit 212

(20) 10. F5P each, give the Greek names of the following Roman gods.

Venus Aphrodite Y Mars Ares Tupiter Zeus Y Poseidon Y

(20) 11. For 20 points on the first clue, 10 points on the second clue, identify this saint.

He first converted one of the Slavic states, Moravia, to Christianity in 863.

b. His Greek-based alphabet is still used by many Slavic nations today.

St. Cyril.

(20) 12. FTP each, A) at what temperature will both a solid and a liquid exist? B) solid and vapor coexist?

a. melting or freezing point

b. <u>sublimation</u> point

(20) 13. List in chronological order the following civil wars for 20 points.

American Civil War Spanish Civil War English Civil War Korean War English, American, Spanish, Korean.

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(20) 14. Rocks are formed in three different ways. F5P, and 20 for all three, identify the kinds of rock that form in these ways. <a href="mailto:igneous">igneous</a>, <a href="mailto:metamorphic">metamorphic</a>, <a href="mailto:sedimentary">sedimentary</a>

(30) 15. FTP each, give the name of the psychologists which each is associated with

Oedipus complex
Collective unconsciousness
Classical conditioning

Freud
Jung
Pavlov

(20) 16. F5P each, name the author of the following plays.

Glass Menagerie Tennessee Williams
Dolls House Anton Chekov
Waiting for Godot Sam Beckett
The Crucible Arthur Miller

(20) 17. Name the group who performed the following songs:

Rock Around the Clock
White Rabbit
Take It Easy
Maneater

Maneater

Name the group who performed the following songs:

Bill Haley and the Comets

Jefferson Airplane

Eagles

Hall and Oates

(25) 18. F5P each, place the following books of the Bible as they appear in the Bible: Jonah, Malachi, Numbers, Lamentations, Psalms

Numbers, Psalms, Lamentations, Jonah, Malachi

(30) 19. Name the capital of these states, FTP each.

Nevada <u>Carson City</u>
Iowa <u>Des Moines</u>
Maine <u>Augusta</u>

(20) 20. FTP each, what 5-letter first names were given to the heroines in these Disney animated films?

Beauty and the Beast Belle

Beauty and the Beast <u>Belle</u>
The Little Mermaid <u>Ariel</u>

(30) 21. The STM was invented by Gerd K. Binnig and Heinrich Rohrer, which won them a 1986 Nobel Prize. Beside being capable of producing 3-dimensional images of atoms, this device can pick up and move individual atoms. FTP each, what three words are represented by the acronym STM? Scanning Tunneling Microscope.

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- (20) 22. The cable news channel, CNN, has battled critics that claim the network has an overly tolerant attitude toward wouldbe dictatorships. FTP each:
  - a. The head honcho himself, Ted Turner, interviewed what Communist leader for CNN? Fidel <u>Castro</u>.
  - b. What CNN reporter remained in Baghdad during the Desert Storm conflict to report the Iraqi point of view? Peter <u>Arnett</u>.
- (30) 23. George Bush has two women in his inner circle of advisers, and recently appointed a third. FTP each, name:

Secretary of Labor Trade Secretary Newly appointed Secretary of Commerce

Lynn <u>Martin</u> Carla <u>Hills</u>

Barbara Franklin

- (20) 24. Two major faults frame the San Francisco Bay. The better known of these is the San Andreas Fault. For 20 points, name the second. <u>Hayward</u> (although the recently discovered <u>Rodgers Creek</u> fault may also be accepted -- its importance is still to be determined)
- (30) 25. FTP each, identify the capital of these African nations:

Nigeria Chad Central African Republic

Abuja N'Djamena Banqui