

1994 Vanderbilt
Regional
Prep

Washington University B Team Tossups

1) When Angelo Giuseppe Roncalli was elected Pope in 1958, he decided to go by a name not used in over 600 years. Not necessarily a bad name, just a bit overused. For ten points, what is this most-often used papal name, shared by 23 popes?

Answer: JOHN

2) This packet might be considered apocryphal (ah-PAH-krih-full) if I didn't include at least one spelling question, so, for ten points, spell "apocryphal".

ANSWER: A-P-O-C-R-Y-P-H-A-L

3) This early economist developed the "Invisible Hand" theory, where individuals seeking economic self-interest benefit society more than those who try to benefit society directly. For ten points, name this author of "The Wealth of Nations"

Answer: Adam SMITH

4) This British prime minister was adamant in seeing to German retribution for World War I, calling for squeezing Germany "until the pips squeak." For ten points, who was this contemporary of Woodrow Wilson during World War I?

Answer: David Lloyd GEORGE

5) J.D. Salinger's "Catcher in the Rye" and John Steinbeck's "Of Mice and Men" both took their titles from the lines of this Scottish poet. For ten points, name the poet whose words are traditionally sung at the stroke of midnight, January 1st.

Answer: Robert BURNS

6) This Former Justice Department lawyer under President Carter was all set to return in 1993 until it was revealed that she and her husband employed illegal aliens, thereby sparking "Nannygate." For ten points, name this Clinton appointee who preceded Kimba Wood and Janet Reno.

Answer: Zoe BAIRD

7) In 1992, this European nation was the only non-former Soviet republic to gain admission to the United Nations General Assembly. For ten points, name this tiny nation completely surrounded by Italy.

Answer: SAN MARINO

8) Of David Robinson, Michael Jordan, Magic Johnson and Larry Bird, which NBA star, for ten points, never won the John R. Wooden award, given annually to the best college basketball player.

Answer: Magic JOHNSON

9) As they handed out the 1992 Academy Awards, Dustin Hoffman turned to Anne Bancroft and asked "Are you trying to seduce me?" to which she replied "Not anymore." For ten points, in what 1967 movie was the same question asked, with the original reply "Would you like me to seduce you?"

Answer: THE GRADUATE

10) The phenomena is when the sun is over the earth's equator, causing the day's and night's there to be of equal length. For ten points, what seven-letter word describes this astronomical occurrence. Vernaly it occurs on March 22nd; Autumnally it occurs on September 21.

Answer : EQUINOX

11) After aggressive lobbying, this professional skater finished second to Todd Davis at the U.S. Nationals, keeping his hopes alive for a second Olympic gold medal alive. For ten points, name the figure skater who won his first gold medal in 1988.

Answer : Brian BOITANO

12) "In the name of God, Amen. We whose names are undersigned, the Loyal Subjects of our dread Sovereign Lord, King James, by the grace of God..." so begins what is considered to be America's first written constitution. For ten points, name this document signed in Cape Cod in 1620 that first proclaimed self-government.

Answer: MAYFLOWER COMPACT

13) Up to now, the U.S. has only hosted the Summer Olympics three times: Los Angeles twice and, for ten points, what midwestern site which hosted the 1904 summer games?

Answer: ST. LOUIS

14) This is the unit of heat required to raise the temperature of one pound of water by one degree at sea level, and it is equivalent to 104.5 Joules.

For ten points, give the full name of this measure of energy.

Answer: BRITISH THERMAL UNIT (Prompt if BTU is given)

15) He invented the partial differential equation that is basic to quantum mechanics, left Germany in 1933 in protest of the treatment of Jews, and made his cat famous. For ten points, identify this Nobel prize winning physicist.

Answer: Erwin SCHRODINGER

16) Darius, Cyrus, Cambyses, and Xerxes were all emperors of the same ancient kingdom. For ten points, name the ancient empire which these men ruled.

Answer: PERSIA or PERSIAN EMPIRE

17) This actress has come out in support of legal prostitution after revealing that she had been a prostitute in Colorado in her youth. For ten points, name this comedienne.

Answer: Roseanne ARNOLD or ROSEANNE

18) This man won more Pulitzer Prizes for drama than any other. He won four prizes in all from 1920 to 1957. For ten points, name this author of "Anna Christie"

Answer: Eugene O'NEILL

19) He attended seminaries at Adelberg and Maulbronn before studying theology, philosophy, and mathematics at the University of Turbingen and in 1600 he was invited to be the assistant to Tycho Brahe in Prague. His works include "Cosmographic Mystery," "New Astronomy," and "Harmonies of the World." For ten points name this first strong supporter of the heliocentric theory of Copernicus and the discoverer of the three laws of planetary motion.

Answer: Johannes KEPLER

20) Derived from an Italian word meaning "little song," it is a form of poetry, written in iambic pentameter. For a quick ten points, name this 14 line poetic form.

Answer: SONNET

21) He lived from 1483 to 1546 and he even spent some time as an Augustinian Friar. However, after reading the Pauline letter to the Romans, he believed

that the proper relationship with God was based on faith and trust. For ten points, name this reformer who reduced the number of sacraments from seven to two and hammered the 95 theses on the door of the church in Whittenburg.

Answer: Martin LUTHER

22) Born in 1548, he gave up his job as a clerk in the exchange brokerage in Paris in order to become a professional painter and produced such works as the Yellow Christ and Jacob Wrestling with an Angel. For ten points, name this artist who rejected the complexity of European life in favor of the simpler life of the South Sea Islands.

Answer: Paul GAUGIN

23) Charged with using the state treasurer's office for political purposes, she has claimed that the indictment was merely political and plans on seeking reelection in 1994. For ten points, name this Senator who filled Lloyd Bentsen's seat.

Answer: Kay Bailey HUTCHISON

24) Ideas such as Charles I being an ally of the anti-Christ got him banished from Massachusetts on October 9, 1635. He subsequently bought land from the Narragansett Indians and later wrote "The Bloody Tenet of Persecution." For ten points, name this founder of Rhode Island.

Answer: Roger WILLIAMS

25) One of the best known civil liberties advocates in the United States, he has worked on appeals for Jim Bakker and Leona Helmsley. For ten points, name this Harvard professor who is currently handling Mike Tyson's case.

Answer: Alan DERSHOWITZ

26) The largest of the self governing Solomon Islands, it was the site of the first important Allied offensive in the Pacific during World War II. Finally, in February 1943, the Japanese were forced to evacuate and a major Allied base was established. For ten points, name this former British protectorate which became self-governing in 1976.

Answer: GUADALCANAL

27) Numerous football teams have moved in recent history, but the NFL owners have only once voted to allow a team to move. For ten points, name this team owned by Bill Bidwell.

Answer: St. Louis or Phoenix CARDINALS

28) He was thrown out of medical school after two years, but graduated from the divinity school at Cambridge. However, biology was his true love, and he accepted a position on an expedition to South America. For ten points, name this famous visitor of the Galapagos Islands.

Answer: Charles DARWIN

29) A former student at Brown University, he took his father's billboard advertising business and expanded it into a communications and advertising empire. He was named yachtsman of the year in 1970. In 1977, he successfully defended the America's Cup. For ten points, name this owner of the Atlanta Braves and Cable News Network.

Answer: Ted TURNER

30) She was the daughter of Agenor, the sister of Cadmus, and she eventually married Asterius, the king of Crete. For ten points, name this character of Greek mythology who was persuaded to mount the back of a white bull and who bore three sons by Zeus.

Answer: EUROPA

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1) (20) The 1992 senate elections saw many firsts: California was the first state to send two women; Illinois had the first African-American woman to be elected to the Senate.

1) First, for ten points what state sent the first Native American to the Senate?

Answer: COLORADO

2) Now, what is the name of this senator from Colorado?

Answer: Ben "Nighthorse" CAMPBELL

2) (20) Scientists now suspect fraud on the part of this scientist due to the fact that his numbers at the abbey were too perfect. For twenty points, name this founder of modern genetics.

Answer: Abbe Gregor MENDEL

3) (30) The early 1990's saw the return of several novelists who had not published a novel in over 15 years. For ten points each identify the following:

1) His 1991 novel "Sailor Song" was only his third, but his first since "Sometimes A Great Notion" appeared in 1964.

Answer: Ken KESEY

2) His 1991 novel "Lila" was the long-awaited sequel to the 1974 novel "Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance"

Answer: Robert PIRSIG

3) His 1990 novel "Vineland" was his first novel since 1973.

Answer: Thomas PYNCHON

4) (20) Ozone and Oxygen gas are different forms of the same element oxygen that have different properties. Similarly, diamonds, graphite, and buckyballs are all forms of pure carbon. For twenty points, what do scientists call different forms of the same element?

Answer: ALLOTROPES

5) (30) Identify this journalist after one clue for 30 points, 2 clues for 20 points, or after all 3 clues for 10 points.

1) He got the scoop on the French surrender to the Germans in 1940.

2) He believed the reason he was fired from CBS in 1947 was for his

"liberal" views.

3) He wrote "The Rise and Fall of the Third Reich".

Answer: William SHIRER

6) (25) This politician ran for president more than any other. For twenty-five points, identify this socialist candidate who ran in every election from 1928 to 1948.

Answer: Norman THOMAS

7) (30) Three Rivers Stadium is not just a cute name somebody thought up. It is derived from the fact that the stadium stands near the confluence of three in Pittsburgh. For ten points apiece, name the rivers which converge at the site of Three Rivers Stadium.

Answer: ALLEGHENY, MONONGAHELA, and OHIO

8) (30) Even though this author's name may sound Italian, she was a leading figure in the black consciousness literary movement of the 1960's. She received a National Book Nomination for her autobiography, "Gemini." For thirty points, identify this Virginia Polytechnic professor who wrote "Sacred Cows"

Answer: Nikki GIOVANNI

9) (20) Known for his crusading work in chemical bonding, he introduced the concept of hybrid orbitals and the use of quantum mechanical principals to molecular structure. For twenty points, identify this winner of Nobel Prizes in Chemistry and Peace.

Answer: Linus PAULING

10) (30) Senate races are often heated battles, but the race in Virginia is shaping up as quite an interesting contest. For ten points a piece identify the following.

1) The Iran-Contra figure who is likely to get the Republican nomination

Answer: Oliver NORTH

2) The current holder of the Senate seat

Answer: Charles or Chuck ROBB

3) The current governor of Virginia who recently announced that he

will not seek the democratic nomination.

Answer: Douglas WILDER

11) (25) Along with British Prime Minister John Major, this man developed a plan for Irish peace. For twenty-five points, name the Prime Minister of Ireland.

Answer: Albert REYNOLDS

12) (30) Many colleges in America are named after European monarchs, Georgia Tech for example is indirectly named after King George. However, only two schools are named after two European monarchs. For fifteen points each, identify these two colleges.

Answer: GUSTAVUS ADOLPHUS College and College of WILLIAM AND MARY

13) (25) The central square in Moscow is called Red Square. This is not because of the color. In early Russian, the word for red, krasni, had another meaning besides red. For twenty-five points, identify the other meaning, for which Red Square is named.

Answer: BEAUTIFUL

14) (30) Name this author after one work for 30 points, 2 works for 20 points, or after all 3 for 10 points.

1) King, Queen, Knave

2) Pale Fire

3) Lolita

Answer: Vladimir NABOKOV

15) (20) She was one of Arkansas's favorite citizens and was married to her fourth husband when she died in January. Her funeral was attended by some of our nation's top leaders. For twenty points, identify this woman once quoted as saying "There's no telling what I could have accomplished in life if I had just been born with eyebrows."

Answer: Virginia KELLEY

16) (30) Identify the state after 1 clue for 30 points, after 2 clues for 20 points and after all three clues for 10 points.

- 1) Its lower house has more legislators than any other state
- 2) During World War II, it lead the world in iron ore production
- 3) It contains the northern most point in the US, excluding Alaska

Answer: MINNESOTA

17) (25) Five movies dominated the 1993 Golden Globe nominations, earning four to six nominations each. For five points each, name the five movies.

Answer: SCHINDLER'S LIST, THE PIANO, REMAINS OF THE DAY, AGE OF INNOCENCE, and IN THE NAME OF THE FATHER

18) (25) In 1972, the Miami Dolphins won every game of the regular season and the postseason. No other team has ever done this. However, one team has twice won every game of the regular season, only to lose in the championship game. For twenty-five points, identify this team that fell short in 1934 and 1942.

Answer: Chicago BEARS

19) (20) For the past 25 years, Andrew Lloyd Webber has been one of the most prolific musical composers in the world. Many songs from his musicals even became popular singles. For five points each, identify the musical given the song.

- 1) I Don't Know How to Love Him

Answer: JESUS CHRIST SUPERSTAR

- 2) Don't Cry For Me, Argentina

Answer: EVITA

- 3) Memory

Answer: CATS

- 4) Close Every Door

Answer: JOSEPH AND THE AMAZING TECHNICOLOR DREAMCOAT

20) (25) This prophet to Israel married a prostitute in order to represent Israel's unfaithfulness to God. For twenty-five points, identify this mythical man.

Answer: HOSEA

21) (30) Identify the politician after 1 clue for 30 points, after two clues for 20 points, and for 10 points after all three clues.

- 1) He has been cleared of a grand jury probe investigating alleged bribery involving Vietnam.
- 2) He used to be the Democratic National Chairman
- 3) He is now the US Secretary of Commerce

Answer: Ron BROWN

22) (20) Options are a risky way for speculators in the stock market to reap large profits. They give the holder the right but not the obligation to cause a transaction to take place at a later date. For ten points apiece,

- 1) The type of option which gives the holder the right but not the obligation to buy a specified asset at a certain price.

Answer: CALL option

- 2) The type of option which gives the holder the right but not the obligation to sell a specified asset at a certain price

Answer: PUT option

23) (20) No one has met or defeated as many Republican opponents as Franklin Roosevelt. for five points each, name the 4 republican opponents FDR defeated.

Answers: Herbert HOOVER, Alfred LANDON, Wendell WILKIE, and Thomas DEWEY

24) (20) American beer companies have been complaining that all Canadian provinces except Alberta have not lived up to an agreement which would open up provincial beer distribution systems and outlets to American beer. For twenty points, name the U.S. trade representative who American brewers appealed to for aid.

Answer: Mickey KANTOR

25) (30) "Cheers" may be off the air now, but while they were on TV, they had numerous famous guest stars. For ten points apiece, name the following people who appeared on the show.

- 1) The former Speaker of the House who died in early 1994

Answer: Thomas "Tip" O'NEILL

2) The former Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff who was appointed to that position in 1985 and left in 1989.

Answer: William CROWE, Jr.

3) The former third baseman for the Boston Red Sox who now plays for the New York Yankees.

Answer: Wade BOGGS

26) (30) The Soviet Union was the only great power that lost territory in World War I to regain much of that territory in World War II. For five points each, name six of the eight European nations from which the Soviet Union gained territory from 1939 to 1945.

Answer: FINLAND, ESTONIA, LATVIA, LITHUANIA, GERMANY, POLAND, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, ROMANIA

27) (30) This document, signed by North Korea, allows regular inspections of a country's self-declared nuclear sites and challenge inspections of sites undeclared by the host country but suspected by the world of harboring nuclear bomb work. For thirty points, name this agreement which the Clinton Administration is hoping to get North Korea to comply with.

Answer: NUCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION TREATY

28) (30) The plot, set in Ancient Thebes, concerns Radames, a young Egyptian warrior chosen to lead his country against Ethiopia. However, he is tricked into giving military secrets to an Ethiopian slave's father and is sentenced to death.

1) For ten points each name the composer and title of this opera which premiered on December 24, 1871

Answers: Giuseppe VERDI and AIDA (ah - EE -duh)

2) Now, for an additional ten points, Verdi was commissioned to write Aida for the opening of what?

Answer: SUEZ CANAL

29) (25) A reanalysis of a scientific study has shown that injections of cortico-steroids may delay the onset of this disease whose diagnosis requires the separate development of two neurological problems such as memory loss, tremors, vision problems, or partial paralysis. For twenty-five points, name this disease which is linked to the appearance of patches in the brain where

myelin, the nerve cells' protective sheath has disintegrated.

Answer: MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS

30) (20) Along with Samuel Taylor Coleridge, this poet changed the English language when he wrote several poems in the common vernacular. for twenty points, name this author of "Lyrical Ballads"

Answer: William WORDSWORTH