

## 1995 ACF Nationals Questions by BYU A

1. Born in Thracia, in 460 B.C., he was a student of Leucippus. His works ranged from ethical philosophy, summed up in his Gnomae; to mathematics, where he thought of measuring volumes by counting infinitely small sections of an object and thus, came close to discovering calculus. But he is best known for extending Parmenides' idea that being is one seamless whole, by postulating that being is made up of an infinite number of such indivisible ones. For 10 points, identify this Greek philosopher who coined the word atom to describe those units.

Answer: Democritus

2. Augustine Birrell said of him, "Keen must be the critical faculty which can nicely discern where the novelist ended and the statesman began." Born in 1805, his writings include Infernal Marriage (1828), Sybil (1845), and Vivian Grey (1824) in which he states "In politics there is no honour." For 10 points, identify the first Earl of Beaconsfield, Prime Minister of Great Britain and favorite of Queen Victoria.

Answer: Benjamin Disraeli

3. He wrote guidebooks to Schoenberg's Gurrelieder, Pelleas und Melisande, and the Chamber Symphony. He taught Theodor Adorno composition. His own works include an early Piano Sonata and String Quartet, the Altenberg songs and the concert aria Der Wein, a setting of texts by Charles Baudelaire. For 10 points, identify this member of the Second Viennese School, a student of Schoenberg better known for his Violin Concerto, the Lyric Suite, and his unfinished opera, Lulu.

Answer: Alban Berg

4. He represented for Dante all the worst corruptions of the church, and the fires of hell awaited him in the pit of the Simoniacs where he was destined to replace Pope Nicholas III in the stone tube. He convinced Celestine V to abdicate the papacy and then succeeded him, but he was no match for Philip IV of France. For 10 points, identify this pope who brought the papacy's prestige to a new low as he was taken prisoner by French forces at Agnani in 1303.

Answer: Boniface VIII

5. It is an episodic tale of a group of friends, all of whom gather in the home of the carefree paisano Danny at meetings which the author said "were not unlike the Round Table." It was turned down by nine publishers before being accepted in 1935, allowing Americans to hear the story of Pilon, Pablo, Big Joe Portagee, Jesus Maria Corcoran, and the old Pirate. For 10 points, identify this novel by Steinbeck which uses the site near Monterrey where it is set as the title.

Answer: Tortilla Flat

6. It ranks fifth among elements both in the percent of the human body by weight and in approximate percent of Earth's crust by weight. First isolated by Sir Humphry Davy in 1808, this metal occurs in nature only in compounds, and it was thus that the ancient Egyptians, Greeks, and Romans knew it, making mortar of its compounds, chiefly carbonate, fluoride and sulfate. FTP, identify this element, vital in helping the blood to clot and the muscles contract, as well as in the growth and maintenance of bones and teeth.

Answer: Calcium

7. According to one tradition, he had to fetch the statue of Artemis from Taurus, whither he was accompanied by his friend Pylades. When they arrived, they were seized as strangers and about to be sacrificed when they were recognized by his sister, Iphigenia. He was spared in childhood by his sister who sent him to Phocis upon the murder of his father, which he would later avenge. For 10 points, identify this son of Clytemnestra and Agamemnon who slew his mother and her lover Aegisthus.

Answer: Orestes

8. He was a fervent rationalist and, when taxed with the unreason of displaying a horseshoe on the door of his country cottage he is supposed to have said, "Of course it is nonsense, but they say it works even if you don't believe it." The unit for measuring the magnetic moment of an atom is named for this physicist, one of the founders of quantum mechanics. For 10 points, name the scientist whose 1913 theory accurately predicted within .02% the wavelengths of hydrogen's spectral lines, but which proved less useful for more complex atoms.

Answer: Niels Bohr

9. Its development began in the 1970's with documents known as Strawman, Woodenman, Tinman, and Ironman. Four developers known as Green, Red, Blue, and Yellow competed to create it. Green, or CII Honeywell Bull, won out, with their Pascal-based design. For 10 points, identify this computer language, the standard for all Department of Defense computer work, named for the daughter of Lord Byron.

Answer: Ada

10. He was the son of an improvident Lichfield bookseller and magistrate. Ugly, uncouth, and a prodigy of learning during his brief period at Oxford, he married a widow twenty-one years his senior. His novel Rasselas was written in a week to pay for his mother's funeral. For 10 points, identify the essayist of The Rambler and The Idler who became the literary dictator of London but whose literary achievements are overshadowed by his biographer, James Boswell.

Answer: Samuel Johnson

11. His early paintings were figurative works, but he soon came to believe that references to anything specific in the physical world conflicted with the sublime idea of the universal, supernatural "spirit of myth," which he saw as the core of meaning in art. He gradually reduced his compositions to two or three large rectangles of hazily brushed color spreading almost to the edges of the canvas. For 10 points, name this Russian-born American artist, the best-known of the Color-Field painters.

Answer: Mark Rothko

12. In this play, Charles, the likable prodigal is portrayed as a libertine while his brother Joseph is held up as a model of prudence and virtue. Both pursue Maria, Charles for her love, Joseph for her money. When uncle Sir Oliver Surface arrives, the brothers are shown in their true light. For 10 points, identify this 1777 work which includes characters such as Sir Peter Teazle and Lady Sneerwell, a popular comedy by Richard Brinsley Sheridan.

Answer: The School for Scandal

13. Born in Ingersoll, Ontario, Canada in 1890, this once widowed and twice divorced woman went on to become the world's most pulchritudinous evangelist. She built the \$1,000,000 Angelus Temple in California before a phoney kidnapping story devised to hide a secret tryst ended her career. For 10 points, name this founder of the Foursquare Gospel Creed.

Answer: Aimee Semple McPherson

14. This 1898 battle ended Britain's Sudanese campaign when Kitchener finally avenged Gordon's defeat at Khartoum by defeating the Mahdi's successor, the Khalifa. The battle forms the background to the A. E.W. Mason novel and Alexander Korda film The Four Feathers. For 10 points, name this battle.

Answer: Omdurman

15. He wrote, "I care not whether my work be read now or by posterity. I can afford to wait a century for readers when God has waited six thousand years for an observer. I triumph. I have stolen the golden secret of the Egyptians. I will indulge my sacred fury." Such are the words of the theorist who realized that Tycho's observations of Mars could not be made to fit a circular orbit. For 10 points, name this successor to Tycho as imperial mathematician and first astronomer to openly uphold Copernicus' theories.

Answer: Johannes Kepler

16. The name is often restricted to the waters north of a line from Cape Pasley to Cape Carnot but in actuality it encompasses all the area from West Cape Howe in Western Australia to South West Cape near Tasmania. For 10 points, identify this bay of the Indian ocean known for its storms and rough seas.

Answer: Great Australian Bight

17. This author of the two volume history The European Discovery of America received the first Balzan Foundation Award in History in a worldwide competition with some 50 living historians in 1963. For 10 points, name this winner of Pulitzer Prizes in biography for John Paul Jones: A Sailor's Biography in 1960 and Admiral of the Ocean Sea: A Life of Christopher Columbus.

Answer: Samuel Eliot Morison

18. He and his co-workers at UC-Berkeley exposed photosynthesizing algae to radioactive carbon dioxide. They found that the radioactive carbon atom is first bound to a molecule of ribulose biphosphate which split immediately, forming two molecules of phosphoglycerate. ATP and NADPH are then employed as energy sources to build organic molecules. For 10 points, name the scientist for whose work this dark reaction and true cycle is named.

Answer: Melvin Calvin

19. His works include a structuralist criticism of fashion and clothing, published in 1964, and an essay on Japan, entitled The Empire of the Sign. His writings have influenced structuralism, post-structuralism, reader-response literary theory, introducing the ideas of intertextuality and the erotics of reading." For 10 points, identify this French critic, author of The Pleasure of the Text, whose best-known work is the analysis of Balzac's Sarrasine, entitled S/Z.

Answer: Roland Barthes

20. Of its original seven members only William Thaw, Bert Hall, and Elliot Cowdin survived the war. Its members flew single-seater Nieuport pursuit planes and their exploits were vividly portrayed in the U.S. Press. Following American entry into the war, it was absorbed as the 103rd Aero Squadron of the Third Pursuit Group of the US Air Service. For 10 points, identify this group of 38 American pilots that flew for France in World War I from 1916 to 1917.

Answer: Lafayette Escadrille

21. Because of its distance from its main source, this opera is often referred to in German-speaking countries as Margarete. Other characters include Valentine, Siebel, Wagner and Martha. For 10 points, identify this opera, the first performed at the Metropolitan Opera House, composed in 1859 by Charles Gounod and based on Goethe's similarly titled work.

Answer: Faust

22. Born in 1270, he was a popular teacher at Oxford and Paris before his early death in 1308. He earned the wrath of his fellow philosophers however, by daring to criticize Aristotle, and Augustine. For 10 points, identify this Aquinas antagonist, known as the subtle doctor in his day, but whose name is now more associated with the pejorative "dunce."

Answer: John Duns Scotus

23. This work is subdivided into four sections: Our Parish, Scenes, Characters, and Tales, and titles within it include Scotland Yard, Seven Dials, A Christmas Dinner, and The Boarding House, which had first appeared in various periodicals before being published in book form in 1836 with the subtitle Illustrative of Every-Day Life and Every-Day People. For 10 points, name this early work by Charles Dickens.

Answer: Sketches by Boz

24. This festival lasts all year long and sells all types of treasures and enjoyments. It was established by Apollyon, Legion, and Beelzebub, and was described in detail by John Bunyan in his 17th century work The Pilgrim's Progress. For 10 points, name this festival which lent its name to a novel by Thackeray.

Answer: Vanity Fair

25. He was said to have been born of a barren 100-year-old woman, crucified in the Kremlin (with Patriarch Nikon as Caiaphas and the author of the law code of 1649 as Pontius Pilate), and then resurrected from a tomb which was watched over by a faithful group of virgins dressed in white. Actually, he appears to have lived on in Moscow until his death at the age of nearly 100. For 10 points, identify this leader of the flagellants, whose followers called Jesus the "old Christ" and who served as a model for subsequent new Christs.

Answer: Ivan Suslov

26. Its author penned an opening poem, To The Hesitating Purchaser, to inform browsers of the subject matter. It takes its topography from Point Lobos in California, and a golf course named for its outstanding feature is one of three used in the AT&T Pro-Am every year. For 10 points, name this Robert Louis Stevenson classic.

Answer: Treasure Island

27. This region of 65,000 square miles with 300,000 inhabitants was part of Outer Mongolia until 1911 and was nominally independent until it was annexed by the Soviet Union in 1944. For 10 points, name this autonomous republic of Russia whose capital is Kyzyl, which is featured in the title of a book by Ralph Leighton, chronicling Richard Feynman's last adventure.

Answer: Tuva (accept also Tannu Tuva or Tuvinskaya ASSR)

28. This Russian-born German botanist believed that the close association between natural vegetation and climate permitted determination of climatic boundaries from the distribution of major plant associations. From that he developed a system of climatic classification using only temperature and precipitation data combined and compared in various ways. FTP name this scientist who developed the system of climatic classification which bears his name and is the most widely used system today.

Answer: Vladimir Koppen

29. An early version of this folktale appears in the apocryphal Old Testament book of Tobit. It is a story in which a young man buries a corpse at great personal risk, and then obtains a bride with the help of the deceased. FTP identify this folktale from which Jerry Garcia's rock group derives its name.

Answer: Grateful Dead

30. Raphael, Rembrandt, Rubens, and Titian were all painters, but they were also all brothers. Their father Charles was the founder of the first major museum in the United States, located at Independence Hall, and was the foremost portraitist of early America in his own right. For 10 points, name this family of painters.

Answer: Peale

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1. Gothic is extinct, due mostly to the historical misfortunes of the Goths. Identify these other East Germanic tribes from their fates, FTP each.

1. After establishing a kingdom at Worms in 406 under Gundahari or Gunther, they were defeated in 437 by the Huns. Survivors founded a kingdom in the Rhone valley that was conquered by the Franks in 534.

Answer: Burgundians

2. After leaving Spain in 428 under Geiserich, this tribe conquered North Africa and plundered Carthage in 439 and Rome in 455 before Byzantine forces destroyed their nation in 534.

Answer: Vandals

3. Members of this tribe settled in northern Italy in 568, which they ruled for 200 years until Charlemagne conquered them and ended their threat to the papacy.

Answer: Langobards or Lombards

2. All good Christians know that the Holy Ghost wrote the Good Book; all those Bible guys just held the pens. For 5 points apiece, who were the authors of these other "good" books?

1. The Good Companion

Answer: J. B. Priestly

2. The Good Earth

Answer: Pearl Buck

3. The Good War

Answer: Studs Terkel

4. The Good Soldier Schweik

Answer: Jaroslav Hasek

5. The Good Woman of Setzuan

Answer: Bertolt Brecht

6. The Good Soldier

Answer: Ford Maddox Ford

3. For 10 points apiece, identify each of the following painters.

1. His "Lady Elizabeth Keppel" and "Oliver Goldsmith" hang in a room named for him in Woburn Abbey.

Answer: Joshua Reynolds

2. One of the top British artists of the 1950's and 1960's, his works include "Portrait of Lucian Freud" and "Pope-Study after Velazquez."

Answer: Francis Bacon

3. This modern artist's works include "Self-Portrait with Picasso," "A Bigger Splash," "Peter Getting out of Nick's Pool," and "Rocky Mountain and Tired Indians."

Answer: David Hockney

4. 10 points for the first, 20 for the second, balance the following chemical equations using the simplest whole number ratios:

1.  $\text{N}_2\text{H}_4$  (liquid) +  $\text{N}_2\text{O}_4$  (liquid) yields  $\text{N}_2$  (gas) +  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (liquid)

Answer:  $2 \text{N}_2\text{H}_4 + \text{N}_2\text{O}_4$  yields  $3 \text{N}_2 + 4 \text{H}_2\text{O}$

2.  $\text{FeS}$  (solid) +  $\text{O}_2$  (gas) +  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  (liquid) yields  $\text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$  (solid) +  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  (liquid)

Answer:  $4 \text{FeS} + 9 \text{O}_2 + 4 \text{H}_2\text{O}$  yields  $2 \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3 + 4 \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$

5. FTP each identify the Joseph Conrad novel from a short description.

1. The story of an egocentric black sailor and his deterioration and death aboard a ship bound from Bombay.

Answer: The Nigger of the "Narcissus"

2. A story of revolution, politics, and financial manipulation in a South American republic whose theme centers upon the corruption of characters by the ambitions they set.

Answer: Nostromo

3. This novel describes the unsuccessful attempts of a detached and nihilistic observer of life to protect himself and his hapless female companion from the murderous plans of a trio of rogues on an isolated island.

Answer: Victory

6. The Battle of Fallen Timbers at which Mad Anthony Wayne massacred a forces of 900 Miami, Shawnee, Ottawa, Chippewa, Iroquois, and Sauk and Fox Native Americans signalled the beginning of the seizure of the lands of the indigenous peoples by the United States government. For 10 points apiece, answer the following questions about the Battle of Fallen Timbers.

1. In what year was it fought?

Answer: 1794

2. In what present day state did the fighting take place?

Answer: Ohio

3. Who was the Chief of the Miami who led the force against Wayne?

Answer: Little Turtle



7. For ten points each identify these divisions of the gymnosperms.

1. Not known anywhere as a wild plant, it was preserved in cultivation around the temples and in the gardens of Japan and China, where Europeans first encountered it several centuries ago. Its seeds resemble small plums.

Answer: Ginkgo (Ginkgophyta)

2. Seed plants with fernlike leaves, one of the most familiar varieties is the sago palm, not a true palm.

Answer: Cycads (Cycadophyta)

3. By far the most numerous division, its approximately 550 species include pines, spruces, firs, junipers and cedars.

Answer: Conifers (Coniferophyta)

8. Identify the author from a list of works, 30-20-10.

1. The 1,000,000 Pound Bank Note, Baker's Blue Jay Yarn

2. Letters from the Earth, Personal Recollections of Joan of Arc

3. The Mysterious Stranger, The Gilded Age

Answer: Mark Twain (accept Samuel Langhorne Clemens)

9. One of the all-time children's favorites of classical music is Sergei Prokofiev's Peter and the Wolf. To test your knowledge of this composition, for each character I name, you tell me the instrument or instruments that play its theme, for 10 points each.

1. The Wolf

Answer: French horn

2. The Cat

Answer: Clarinet (in a low register)

3. The Bird

Answer: Flute

10. Identify the following constellations on the first clue for 10 points or on the second for 5.

10: The Romans called it Diadema Coeli, the Arabs, Al Fakkah or "The Dish," while in Australia, it was Woomera, or Boomerang.

5: It was the crown of Ariadne, hurled into the sky by Bacchus after her death.

Answer: Corona Borealis or Northern Crown

10: It represents the King of Joppa, husband of Cassiopeia and father of Andromeda.

5: Variable stars investigated by Henrietta Leavitt take their name from a star in this constellation.

Answer: Cepheus

10: It is associated with the Leviathan of Psalm 104 as well as Job 41, and sometimes referred to as "Job's Coffin."

5: It was named for its resemblance to a porpoise or dolphin.

Answer: Delphinus

11. For 10 points each identify the island or group of islands

1. This island chain extends northeast from Japan and includes Kunashir, Iturup, and Shikotan. The Soviet Union took over in 1945.

Answer: The Kuriles

2. This chain extends from southern Japan to Taiwan.

Answer: The Ryukus

3. Daisetsuzan National Park, the largest of Japan's 27 national parks, is home to three volcanoes and is found on this island.

Answer: Hokkaido

12. 10 points each for answering these chemistry questions.

1. In 1808 this Frenchman discovered the law of combining volumes of gases.

Answer: Gay-Lussac

2. In 1811, after Dalton mistook particles for atoms, this Italian argued that Gay-Lussac's Law really implied that equal volumes of all gases at the same temperature and pressure contain the same number of molecules.

Answer: Amedeo Avogadro

3. Fifty years later this fellow countryman of Avogadro showed that Avogadro's hypothesis could be used to determine not only molecular weights but atomic weights as well.

Answer: Stanislaw Cannizzaro

13. Identify the Norse gods given their characteristic object for five points each.

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| 1. The necklace Brisingamen             | Answer: <u>Freya</u> (do not accept Frey, Freyr, or Frigg)  |
| 2. Gjallarhorn                          | Answer: <u>Heimdall</u>                                     |
| 3. Gullinbursti, a golden-bristled boar | Answer: <u>Freyr</u> or Frey (do not accept Freya or Frigg) |
| 4. The spear Gungnir                    | Answer: <u>Odin</u>   |
| 5. Mjollnir                             | Answer: <u>Thor</u>   |
| 6. The magic ship Skidbladnir           | Answer: <u>Frey</u> or Freyr (do not accept Freya or Frigg) |

14. Answer these questions about Franklin Roosevelt's early administration FTP each.

1. General Hugh Johnson, nicknamed Ironpants, led this organization symbolized by the blue eagle drawn by the general and the slogan "We Do Our Part."  
Answer: NRA (National Recovery Administration)
2. Major Eisenhower, Colonel George Marshall, and General MacArthur worked with this organization which AFL leader William Green said smacked of fascism, of Hitlerism and of Sovietism.  
Answer: CCC (Civilian Conservation Corps)
3. Young attorneys working in this cabinet department included Abe Fortas, Adlai Stevenson, and Alger Hiss.  
Answer: Agriculture.

15. Identify this famous philosophical work, 30-20-10

1. It is dedicated to the author's friend, David Pinsent, and was largely written during World War I.
2. Among its more famous lines are "Logic is not a theory, but a reflection of life," and "The world is the collection of facts."
3. This Cambridge Ph.D. thesis was written by Ludwig Wittgenstein.  
Answer: Tractatus-logico-philosophicus

16. Given the name of a great Renaissance artist, identify the other artist who is generally acknowledged as his teacher, for 10 points each. Take five points if you need the title of one of the teacher's paintings.

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| 10: Raphael   |                                     |
| 5: "Christ Delivering the Keys of the Kingdom to St. Peter" | Answer: <u>Perugino</u>             |
| 10: Leonardo da Vinci                                       |                                     |
| 5: "Bartolomeo Colleoni"                                    | Answer: Andrea Del <u>Verocchio</u> |
| 10: Titian  |                                     |
| 5: "The Pastoral Symphony"                                  | Answer: <u>Giorgione</u>            |

17. For 10 points apiece, identify each of these members of the Procyonidae Family--that's Raccoons to you and me.

1. Of scientific name Procyon gloveranni, this very rare raccoon is restricted to one small island of the Caribbean that lies east of St. Vincent and St. Lucia.  
Answer: Barbados Raccoon
2. Although now greatly overshadowed by the giant panda, this was for fifty years the only panda known to man. Ranging from the Himalayas to south China, their scientific name is Ailurus fulgens.  
Answer: Red Panda
3. Comprising four species in two genera, these procyonids of Central and South America, their males lead a solitary existence, while females live in highly organized groups. They come in Ringtailed, White-nosed, Island, and Mountain varieties.  
Answer: Coatis

18. Identify the Steinbeck works from the opening line, 10 points each.

1. "To the red country and part of the gray country of Oklahoma, the last rains came gently, and they did not cut the scarred earth."  
Answer: The Grapes of Wrath
2. "At daybreak Billy Buck emerged from the bunkhouse and stood for a moment on the porch looking up at the sky."  
Answer: The Red Pony
3. "A few miles south of Soledad, the Salinas River drops in close to the hillside bank and runs deep and green."  
Answer: Of Mice and Men

19. Answer the following questions from the realm of critical theory for the stated number of points.

1. 15 pts. Born in Algeria in 1930, he was a philosophy teacher at the Ecole Normale Supérieure for more than 20 years. Who is this French post-modernist who urges the importance of the unconscious rhetorical aspects of works, arguing that attention to the incidentals often subverts the principal doctrines of a text.

Answer: Jacques Derrida

2. 10 pts. What is Jacques Derrida's most influential work, published in 1967, in which he argues against the "phonocentrism" that privileges speech above writing by imagining that the presence of the author affords a fixed point of meaning and intention. This desire for a "centre" generates familiar oppositions which need to be dismissed. Instead the endless possibility of interpretation and reinterpretation opens up a receding horizon within which meaning is endlessly deferred, although the reader as much as the author is a creator of any provisional significance that is eventually found.

Answer: Of Grammatology

3. 5 pts. Of what critical method is Derrida considered the leader, emphasizing showing how the author's ostensible message is undermined by other aspects of its presentation.

Answer: Deconstruction

20. For ten points each answer these questions about the Joseph McCarthy.

1. Who was the chief counsel for his Permanent Investigations subcommittee?

Answer: Roy Cohn

2. Who, during the Army-McCarthy hearings asked the Senator, "Have you no sense of decency?"

Answer: Joseph Welch

3. What Utah Senator chaired the new hearings in which the Senate censured McCarthy by a vote of 67-22?

Answer: Arthur Watkins

21. Besides areas disputed with India, the nation of Pakistan is made up of four provinces. One, North-West Frontier Province, has its administrative capital at Peshawar. For ten points apiece, name the other three, with administrative centers at Karachi, Lahore, and Quetta.

Answer: Sind, Punjab, and Baluchistan

22. The EPR paradox was introduced in 1935 as an attempt by some scientists to show that quantum particles "really" had definite properties all along, and that the uncertainty principle was just a result of our inability to measure them. FTP each identify the three scientists who formulated this paradox for whom it is named.

Answer: Einstein, Podolsky, and Rosen

23. Three teams in NFL history have made it to the Super Bowl only once and lost in that trip. FTP each name those three teams.

Answer: Los Angeles Rams, Philadelphia Eagles, San Diego Chargers

Now for an additional five points each, identify the teams which defeated the Rams in 1980, the Eagles in 1981, and the Chargers in 1995.

Answer: Pittsburgh Steelers, Oakland Raiders, San Francisco 49ers

24. One of the great adventure novels of the late nineteenth century, King Solomon's Mines tells the story of a rescue and treasure seeking expedition into the African hinterlands. FTP each, identify:

1. The guide of the expedition and narrator of the novel.

Answer: Allan Quatermain

2. the English nobleman who organized the expedition.

Answer: Henry Curtis

3. the female witch doctor who almost thwarts the success of the expedition.

Answer: Gagool

25. With the success of the Charlie Chan films in the early 1930s, movie studios looked for other off-beat detective novels in order to begin their own series of films. Given the author who created the character and the actor or actress who first played the role, name the character.

1. John P. Marquand, Peter Lorre

Answer: Mr. Moto

2. Stuart Palmer, Edna May Oliver

Answer: Hildegard Withers

3. Hugh Wiley, Boris Karloff

Answer: Mr. Wong



26. Paintings on black velvet may be the height of kitsch, but sometimes velvet is good. For 15 points each, identify these singers identified by the word velvet.

1. The piano player, group leader, and balladeer who has been called "the man with the velvet voice."

Answer: Nat King Cole

2. The club singer, composer, and master of scat who reportedly dislikes the sobriquet "the velvet fog."

Answer: Mel Torme

27. Identify the Herman Hesse novel from their characters, 5-10-15.

1. 5 pts: Kamala, a courtesan; Kamaswami, a rich merchant; Vasudeva, a ferryman.

Answer: Siddhartha

2. 10 pts: Klingsor, a painter; Louis, a painter; Hermann or Tu Fu, a writer.

Answer: Klingsor's Last Summer

- 3: 15 pts: The Elder Brother, Thomas Van der Trave, The Magister Musicae, Magister Ludi.

Answer: The Glass Bead Game (accept also Das Glasperlenspiel)

28. Answer the following questions about WWII spying for ten points each.

1. By what one-letter ideogram was the ultra-secret head of the British Secret Intelligence Service known?

Answer: C

2. What British soldier was "C" during WWII?

Answer: Stewart Graham Menzies

3. What American, known as "Q," was Menzies' U.S. counterpart during the war, the head of the OSS?

Answer: William J. Donovan

29. Some books of the King James Bible, like Genesis, have titles exactly the same as that found in the Vulgate. Other books' titles are not so similar. Identify these books of the Old Testament given their Latin title, 5-10-15.

1. Regum
2. Qohelet
3. Threni

Answer: Kings

Answer: Ecclesiastes

Answer: Lamentations