

1996 BOAT  
The Kilborns  
Edited by Samer T. Ismail

#### TOSS-UPS

1. His early works were written under the pseudonym V. Sirin. "Pale Fire" is mock commentary on a poem supposedly written by a recently deceased American poet, which on another level becomes the confession of a mad king exiled from his country. For ten points, who was this author of "Bend Sinister", "Ada", and "Lolita"?

Vladimir \_Nabokov\_ [nah-BAW-kawv]

2. This baseball player was most famous for his work as a Yankees coach in the early 1960s. His innovations prompted Jim Bouton to call him "the greatest pitching coach ever". For ten points, name this pitcher who flourished during the late 40s as part of the "pray for rain" pitching combination with Warren Spahn.

Johnny \_Sain\_

3. A student of Antisthenes, this Greek philosopher lived during the 4th century BC and is credited with the development of the moral epigram. He believed in the ideal of self sufficiency and a life independent of luxury. FTP, name this famous cynic, said to have gone about Athens with a lantern in the daytime claiming to be looking for an honest man.

\_Diogenes\_ of Sinope

4. This zoologist was murdered in 1985 at the Karisoke Research Center she founded in Rwanda in 1967. Encouraged in her work by anthropologist Louis Leakey, she began field studies of the rare mountain gorilla in east central Africa, studies she believed would provide insight into the practices of early humans. For ten points, who was this author of "Gorillas in the Mist"?

Dian \_Fossey\_

5. Much used during the 1980s in criminal and civil cases involving securities fraud and other white-collar crimes, its assets-seizure provision raised questions about possible civil rights violations. It allows for seizure of assets illegally gained or used at the time of indictment before a conviction has been received. For ten points, what was this act passed in 1970 to fight organized crime?

\_RICO\_ Act (\_Racketeer-Influenced and Corrupt Organizations\_)

6. To prevent entry of foreign DNA, prokaryotic cells use these enzymes that cleave foreign DNA at certain specific sequences. This also makes these enzymes suitable tools for genetic identification tests, such as RFLP. For ten points, name this class of enzymes, which includes EcoR I [E-co-R one] and BamH III [Bam-H three].

\_restriction\_ enzymes

7. During World War I, this leader joined the Jewish Legion and became a corporal during the final Middle Eastern campaigns of the war. He became an important figure of the Zionist labor movement in Palestine, and helped found the Histadrut and the Mapai Labor party. For ten points, who was this first prime minister of Israel?

David \_Ben-Gurion\_



8. This city was founded in 1900 as a French military post known as Fort Lamy [lah-MEE]; its colonial origins are reflected in its separate French and African quarters. The population of this agricultural trading center is half a million, and it lies near the eastern border of Cameroon, 85 miles south of Lake Chad. For ten points, name this city, Chad's capital.

\_N'Djamena\_ [uhn-JAH-may-nah]

9. A pair of aliens, angered by Earth's "stupid minds", set up shop in a California cemetery. Their goal: to animate an army of the dead to march on world capitals. Trying to stop them is the intrepid Inspector Clay, portrayed by Swedish wrestler Tor Johnson. For ten points, name this movie written and directed by Ed Wood?

\_Plan 9 from Outer Space\_ (or \_Graverobbers from Outer Space\_)

10. Early exponents of this style included Pontormo and Rosso Fiorentino. Dominant during the late Renaissance, it emphasized highly refined grace and elegance, in which display of individual virtuosity provoked intense rivalry between individual artists. For ten points, name this movement which derived its name from the Italian word for style

\_Mannerism\_

11. This English playwright wrote a 1981 autobiography entitled "A Better Class of Person". Though later works, like "Epitaph for George Dillon" and "Watch It Come Down", were less widely acclaimed than his early plays, this angry young man still established a loyal following with tense and dramatic works like "The Entertainer" and the historical "Luther". For ten points, who is this author of "Look Back In Anger"?

John \_Osborne\_

12. This 1979 play originally starred Blythe Danner as Emma, Roy Scheider as Robert, and Raul Julia as Jerry. The emotional impact of the lies used by Emma and Jerry to conceal their affair is exposed as the play runs backwards in time over a 7 year span. For ten points, what is this play by Harold Pinter?

\_Betrayal\_

13. 56-year-old Otis Gabriel still has his \$59,000 salary and corner office, but claims this organization has deprived him of his job title and placed him in a "phase-out position". Ironic, as Gabriel helped form this organization's age discrimination policies, and his employer is a leader in the fight against age bias. For ten points, what is this organization which publishes "Modern Maturity"?

\_AARP\_ (\_American Association of Retired Persons\_)

14. Introduced in 1963, this member of the benzodiazepine group of drugs is also known generically as diazepam. It is often used in treatment of acute alcohol withdrawal and of lower back pain, because it relieves spasms in skeletal muscle. For ten points, what is this widely prescribed minor tranquilizer?

\_Valium\_

15. This New York politician had little schooling, but had been admitted to the bar at age 23. He served as a US Representative until 1843, lost the 1844 election for governor of New York, and was the 1856



presidential candidate of the Know Nothing Party. For ten points, name this man, the 13th president of the US.

Millard \_Fillmore\_

16. The "Collier leaf", a sheet of paper believed to be in this playwright's handwriting, contains several fragments from his play "The Massacre at Paris", which survives only in a shortened, corrupted form. This University Wit was killed in a 1593 duel, but not before gaining acclaim on the English stage for works like "Edward II". For ten points, who was this dramatist, author of "Doctor Faustus"?

Christopher \_Marlowe\_

17. Currently 2,667 feet above sea level, its name is a corruption of the native name Rakata. In 1883, it produced a massive dust cloud, 120 foot high tidal waves, and an explosion heard 3,000 miles away. For ten points, what is this active volcano located in the Sunda Strait west of Java?

\_Krakatoa\_ or \_Krakatau\_

18. This opera met hostile reception at its premiere on February 17, 1904, and withdrawn from production. The libretto by Luigi Illica and Giuseppe Giacosa, based on a story by John Luther Long, recounts the life and death of Cio-Cio-San and her marriage to an American naval officer. For ten points, what is this Puccini opera?

\_Madama Butterfly\_

19. Some innovations made to try to popularize this sport include allowing fans to watch from the sides of the playing area as well as behind and hiring cheerleaders to perform from the sidelines. Norm Duke and Walter Ray Williams are among its professional tour's top players. For ten points, what is this sport famous for its splits, turkeys, gutters, and strikes?

\_Bowling\_

20. After the decline of the Abbasid caliphate, these leaders established an empire centered in Baghdad which included Iran, Iraq, and Syria. Their power was at its zenith during the reigns of Alp-arslan and Malik Shah, who with their vizier Nizam Al-Mulk, revived Sunni Islamic administrative and religious institutions. For ten points, name these nomadic Turkish warrior leaders from Central Asia.

\_Seljuks\_

21. After World War II, this filmmaker entered the State Film School at Lodz. His first feature film, "Knife in the Water", treated the subject of sexual tension, as did many of his later works, including "Cul-de-sac", "Repulsion", and "Bitter Moon". After the murder of his wife, Sharon Tate, he moved to France, but returned to the US to make "Chinatown". For ten points, who is this director of "Tess", "Frantic", and "Rosemary's Baby"?

Roman \_Polanski\_

22. Converted by her first husband, Robert, she joined him in revival campaigns. After his death, she remarried and opened Angelus Temple, headquarters of her "foursquare movement", built around the four roles of Christ as savior, baptizer, healer, and coming king. For ten points, name this flamboyant evangelist, known for her month-long disappearance in 1926?



Aimee Semple \_McPherson\_

23. This musician, born in Kansas City in 1929, composed film scores for "Promises, Promises" and "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid". He teamed with lyricist Hal David in 1957, and together they wrote "Walk On By" and "I'll Never Fall in Love Again" for Dionne Warwick. For ten points, who is this composer of "Raindrops Keep Falling On My Head"?

Burt \_Bacharach\_

24. Also known as Renmin Ribao, this publication's estimated circulation is over 6 million. Founded in 1948, this 6- to 8-page newspaper carries official reports but no editorials and uses only the New China News Agency as an international news service. For ten points, what is this chief newspaper of the Chinese Communist Party?

The \_People's Daily\_

25. This organization takes its name from an Italian phrase and has experienced a 30-year decline in power due to the defection and subsequent testimony of such members as Joseph Valachi and Sammy "the Bull" Gravano, leading to the conviction of John Gotti. For ten points, what organization, whose past crime bosses have included Al Capone, is the American version of the Italian mafia?

La \_Cosa Nostra\_ [prompt on "LCN"]

27. It gained full independence from Great Britain in 1984. Discovery of oil and natural gas gave this Islamic sultanate power far greater than its tiny area and population would indicate. Many people are immigrating there primarily near the oilfields in its western corner near the South China Sea. For ten points, name this sultanate sandwiched between Malaysian Sarawak and Sabah on Borneo.

State of \_Brunei\_ Dar-es-Salaam (\_Negara Brunei Dar-es-Salaam\_)

28. The year this architect won the Pritzker Prize, he completed the Sainsbury extension to London's National Gallery. Along with his wife, Denise Scott Brown, he designed unorthodox buildings which displayed his contempt for the International Style. For ten points, who is this leader of Postmodernism and author of "Complexity and Contradiction in American Architecture"?

Robert \_Venturi\_

29. Believed to be carriers of the strong nuclear force, these subatomic particles are theorized to exist in eight kinds, corresponding to the eight transformations that can change the colors of quarks. They can also bond with one another to form composite particles called glueballs. For ten points, what are these particles which bind together the quark constituents of protons and neutrons?

\_Gluons\_

30. Born circa 636 BC, this man gained renown as a military advisor and engineer, but is remembered today as a philosopher, though none of his writings are extant. His primary beliefs, such as the idea that the Earth floats on water, and that water is the basic element of existence, are known only through works attributed to him and his student Anaximander by later thinkers. For ten points, who was this first figure in the Milesian school of natural philosophy?

\_Thales\_ of Miletus



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BONUS QUESTIONS

1. For ten points each, identify each country given its former name.

A. British Honduras

\_Belize\_

B. Upper Volta

\_Burkina Faso\_

C. Dutch Guyana

Republic of \_Suriname\_ (or \_Republiek Suriname\_)

2. Identify the authors of the following philosophical works,  
For ten points each.

A. "Being and Nothingness"

Jean Paul \_Sartre\_

B. "Either/Or"

Soren Aabye \_Kierkegaard\_

C. "Dialogues Concerning Natural Religion"

David \_Hume\_

3. Answer these questions about the civil war between Russia and  
Chechnya [CHECH-ni-ya], for the stated number of points.

A. For ten points, in what town in the republic of Dagestan did a bloody battle between Russian troops and Chechnyan rebels with hostages result in major loss of life, civilian casualties, and international outrage?

\_Permavaskaya\_

B. FOR FIFTEEN POINTS, name the rebel chief who signed a cease fire in May, which was intended to bring 17 months of fighting to an end.

Zelimkhan \_Yanderbieyev\_

4. For ten points each. name the alternative rock bands that released these  
albums.

A. "Gish" and "Siamese Dream"



\_Smashing Pumpkins\_

B. "Superunknown" and "Down on the Upside"

\_Soundgarden\_

C. "Gentlemen" and "Black Love"

The \_Afghan Whigs\_

5. For the stated number of points, identify the following saints.

A. For five points, feast day August 28, this saint wrote the semiautobiographical "Confessions" and "City of God", a Christian version of history.

Saint \_Augustine\_

B. For ten points, feast day December 29, Henry II exiled this saint from England because he refused to accept the Constitutions of Clarendon.

Saint Thomas [a] \_Becket\_

C. For fifteen points, feast day July 25, this saint was a 3rd century Christian martyr of Austolia known only through legend. He was said to have carried Christ across a river.

Saint \_Christopher\_

6. For ten points each, identify the Shakespearean plays containing these famous lines.

A. "The better part of valor is discretion"

\_Henry IV, Part I\_ [prompt on "Henry IV"]

B. "I have set my life upon the cast/And I will stand the hazard of the die"

\_Richard III\_

C. "Cowards die many times before their deaths/The valiant never taste of death but once"

\_Julius Caesar\_

7. For ten points each, identify the psychologists from clues.

A. This German established the first psychology laboratory and wrote "Contributions to the Theory of Sense Perception", considered to be the first work of experimental psychology.

Wilhelm \_Wundt\_ [VUNT]

B. This psychologist provided a source of the functionalist movement with his paper "The Reflex Arc Concept in Psychology". He developed applications of the concept in the books "How We Think" and "Democracy and Education".

John \_Dewey\_



8. For the stated number of points, identify the explorer.

A. For five points, this Spanish conquistador was the first European to reach the Eastern shore of the Pacific Ocean.

Vasco Nunez de \_Balboa\_

B. For ten points, this Scottish explorer became the first European to cross North America north of Mexico, when he followed the river bearing his name to the Arctic Ocean.

Sir Alexander \_Mackenzie\_

C. For fifteen points, this English navigator led the third circumnavigation of the globe, during which he discovered Cape Desire.

Thomas \_Cavendish\_

9. For ten points each, given a work with a literary source, name the composer.

A. The symphony "Harold in Italy"

Hector \_Berlioz\_

B. The symphonic suite "Scheherazade"

Nikolai \_Rimsky-Korsakov\_ [DNA: Maurice Ravel]

C. The opera "Faust"

Charles Francois \_Gounod\_ [goo-NO]

10. Name the author from works, 30-20-10.

30. "The Edible Woman" and "The Circle Game"

20. "Survival" and "Cat's Eye"

10. "The Handmaid's Tale" and "The Robber Bride"

Margaret \_Atwood\_

11. Answer the following questions about eclipses, For ten points each.

A. What type of eclipse occurs when Mercury or Venus comes between the Earth and the Sun?

\_transit\_

B. What is the name for an eclipse of a star by the moon?

\_occultation\_

12. Identify the following chemical processes, For ten points each.

A. Transition of a solid to a gas state without passing through a liquid state.



\_sublimation\_

B. Separation of a mixture of chemicals based on boiling points.

\_distillation\_

C. Movement of a charged particle caused by application of an external electric field.

\_electrophoresis\_

13. For ten points each, given a city, name the Major League Soccer team located there.

A. Columbus

The \_Crew\_

B. Kansas City

The \_Wiz\_

C. Los Angeles

The \_Galaxy\_

14. Identify the invention, 30-20-10.

30) Invented by Arthur Wayne, the first one appeared December 21, 1913.

20) For thirty years, they were considered a "fad" by the editors of the New York Times and did not appear in the paper.

10) It is believed that Margaret Farrar first enforced the 1/6-"black square" rule to increase their quality.

\_Crossword\_ puzzles

15. Identify the novel from plot developments, 30-20-10.

A. Kolya Krasotkin [COAL-yah krah-SOT-kin] finds the dog Juchka [ZHUCH-kah].

B. Smerdyakov [SMAYR-dyah-kov] falls down the cellar stairs and has an epileptic seizure.

C. Dmitry is wrongly convicted of his father Fyodor's murder.

The \_Brothers Karamazov\_

16. Name the artists from works, For ten points each.

A. "The Island of the Dead"

Arnold \_Bocklin\_

B. "Black Spot"

Wassily \_Kandinsky\_

C. "Nude Descending a Staircase"



Marcel \_Duchamp\_ [DU-champ]

17. FOR FIVE POINTS EACH and a five point bonus for all five, name the five beaches used for landings by Allied forces at Normandy.

\_Gold\_, \_Juno\_, \_Sword\_, \_Utah\_, \_Omaha\_

18. Identify the following calculus rules and theorems, For fifteen points each.

A. If  $f$  is continuous on the closed interval  $[a,b]$ , and differentiable on the open interval  $(a,b)$ , and if the value of  $f$  at  $a$  equals that of  $f$  at  $b$ , then there exists a number  $c$  between  $a$  and  $b$  such that the derivative of  $f$  at  $c$  equals zero.

\_Rolle's\_ Theorem [RAH-lee]

B. The limit of a quotient of functions is equal to the limit of the quotient of their derivatives, if both functions are differentiable and if the denominator's derivative does not equal zero.

\_L'Hopital's\_ Rule [LOW-pee-tahl]

19. Given the capital, identify the Arab nation, For ten points each.

A. Sana [SAA-na]

Republic of \_Yemen\_ (\_al-Jumhuriyah al-Yamaniyah\_)

B. Manama [MAH-nah-mah]

State of \_Bahrain\_ (\_Dawlat al-Bahrayn\_) [BAH-rain]

C. Doha [DOE-hah]

State of \_Qatar\_ (\_Dawlat Qatar\_) [KUH-tuhr]

20. Given the years of their rule, identify the Chinese dynasty, For ten points each.

A. 1644-1911

\_Manchu\_ or \_Qing\_ or \_Ch'ing\_

B. 202 BC - AD 220

\_Han\_

C. 221 - 206 BC

\_Qin\_ or \_Ch'in\_

21. Identify the region of the atmosphere from a description, For ten points each.

A. This lowest layer contains 99 percent of the atmosphere's water vapor.



\_Troposphere\_

B. The high temperatures in this layer, usually found 30 to 33 miles above sea level, are caused by UV absorption by ozone.

\_Stratosphere\_

C. This region of constant temperature lies between the troposphere and stratosphere.

\_Tropopause\_

22. Answer the following questions for the stated number of points.

A. For ten points, which mathematician's Incompleteness Theorem shows that there are questions in any formal system which cannot be proven within that system?

Kurt \_Godel\_

B. FOR FIVE POINTS, which artist created such paradoxical works as "Relativity" and "Metamorphosis"?

Maurits Corneille \_Escher\_

C. FOR FIVE POINTS, which composer wrote "The Well-Tempered Clavier"?

\_J\_ohann \_S\_ebastian \_Bach\_

D. And For ten points, who wrote the Pulitzer Prize-winning "Godel, Escher, Bach"?

Douglas R. \_Hofstadter\_ [DNA: Richard Hofstadter]

23. For ten points each, identify the authors of these stream-of-consciousness works.

A. "Tristram Shandy"

Lawrence \_Sterne\_

B. "Mrs. Dalloway"

Virginia \_Woolf\_

C. "The Jilting of Granny Weatherall"

Katherine Anne \_Porter\_

24. For ten points each, answer these questions.

A. What empire on the Mekong river occupied contemporary Cambodia between the 6th and 15th centuries?

\_Khmer\_ empire



B. What city, Khmer's capital, renowned for its elaborate temples, was lost in the jungle for centuries until rediscovered by French missionaries?

\_Angkor\_

C. What great temple, built under Suryavarman II in the early 1100s, was intended to house the deified spirit of a dead king?

Angkor \_Wat\_

25. Identify the sculptor from works, 30-20-10.

A. "The Age of Bronze"

B. "The Kiss"

C. "The Thinker"

Auguste \_Rodin\_

26. For ten points each, identify these pioneers in the field of sociology.

A. This thinker coined the term sociology and espoused the theory that humanity had passed through three stages: the theological, the metaphysical, and the positive.

Auguste \_Comte\_

B. This author of "Principles of Sociology" conceived his evolutionary theories before Darwin.

Herbert \_Spencer\_

C. This "New Christianity" author devised the theory of "evolutionary organicism", which postulated that history is an orderly progression towards an industrial, harmonious society.

Claude Henride de Rouvroy, Comte de \_Saint-Simon\_

27. For ten points each, name each of the described Greek gods.

A. God of fire and patron of craftspeople.

\_Hephaestus\_

B. Goddess of the hunt.

\_Artemis\_

C. Patron of writers, athletes, merchants, and thieves.

\_Hermes\_

28. Name the five players selected in the 1996 NBA draft after number 1 pick Allen Iverson, FFPE and a five point bonus for giving them in order from 2 to 6.

Marcus \_Camby\_, Sharif \_Abdur-Rahim\_, Stephon \_Marbury\_, Ray \_Allen\_, Antoine \_Walker\_ [in order]



29. For the stated number of points, answer these questions related to the recent elections in Israel.

A. FOR FIVE POINTS, which incumbent Prime Minister succeeded Rabin?

Shimon \_Peres\_

B. For ten points, name Peres' challenger, the Likud Party nominee.

Benjamin \_Netanyahu\_

C. FOR FIFTEEN POINTS, on the eve of the election, political graffiti supporting Peres was sprayed on the grave of Israel's 7th Prime Minister. Who was this Likud leader who ordered the 1982 invasion of Lebanon?

Menachem \_Begin\_

30. For ten points each, give the team name of the triple A baseball teams in these cities.

A. Louisville

\_Redbirds\_

B. Richmond

\_Braves\_

C. Toledo

\_Mud Hens\_