

Toss-ups
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Elvis 1996

1. His works, such as *No Name in the Street*, reflect the belief that the American black person is an object of suffering and that abuse symbolizes universal conflict. FTP-name the Harlem author whose works include *The Amen Corner*, *Blues for Mr. Charlie*, and *Go Tell it on the Mountain*.

ANS: James Baldwin

2. A plastic or glass container rests on a block of dry ice, and a piece of cloth soaked in alcohol is placed around the inside of the container. A radioactive source is placed in the eye of the needle suspended from a cork placed on the lid of the container. FTP- what invention of Charles Wilson that makes the paths of ionizing particles visible have I described.

ANS: Cloud Chamber

3. Having worked as a teacher and director of nursery schools, in 1953 she decided to enter politics serving in the New York State Assembly from 1964 to 68. After 3 years as a representative, she ran unsuccessfully for the Democratic presidential nomination in 72. FTP- name this Mount Holyoke College professor and first black woman elected to Congress.

ANS: Shirley Chisholm

4. Elton John, Jack Nicholson, Eric Clapton, and Ann-Margret starred in the 1975 movie version of this group's rock opera. In the 70's the members split to work on solo albums but reunited for Live Aid in 1985. FTP- name the group which has included Keith Moon, Kenny Jones, Roger Daltrey, John Entwistle, and Peter Townshend.

ANS: The Who (accept: "Tommy" before saying "this group's")

5. He graduated from Harvard in 1933 and that was when his father said, "I'm going to leave you a lot of money, do you want it now or when I die?". He responded now and went on to found the School of American Ballet. FTP- identify the partner of George Balanchine who died on January 5th.

ANS: Lincoln Kirstein

6. Its name literally means "armpit." If it were placed in the middle of our solar system it would engulf Mercury, Venus, Earth, and Mars as it varies from 419-580 million kilometers in diameter. FTP- name this red star in the right shoulder of Orion.

ANS: Betelgeuse

7. Born in Rhode Island, he moved to London in 1775 where he became the pupil of expatriate Benjamin West. His works also show the influence of Thomas Gainsborough and Sir Joshua Reynolds. FTP- identify this artist known for his Vaughn half-length portrait of George Washington.

ANS: Gilbert Stuart

8. Her third collection of poetry is a series of narrative poems that explore the lives of the two main characters who were modeled after her grandparents, Thomas and Beulah. FTP- name this Ohio born writer of The Yellow House on the Corner and who was poet laureate from 1993 to 1994.

ANS: Rita Dove

9. He joined the British army in 1771 and was sent to Canada in 1774. His advancement was rapid as he made adjutant general of the British forces in America and was an aide to general Henry Clinton. FTP- identify the British major captured in Tarrytown with the plans to capture West Point in his boots.

ANS: John Andre

10. She responded to critics' claims that her works were feminist by saying she had begun dealing with themes such as growing up in the 50's before the women's liberation movement. FTP- identify the author of The Edible Woman and The Handmaid's Tale.

ANS: Margaret Atwood

11. The concept was first advanced in the 19th century by the French physiologist Claude Bernard and was given its name by the American physiologist Walter Cannon. Examples include cell growth and regulation of hormones. FTP- name the overall term for the tendency of an organism to maintain a state of equilibrium.

ANS: Homeostasis

12. Section 2 is subtitled Privileges, Immunities, and Fugitives. Section 3 is Admission of New States. Section 1 is Faith and Credit Among States, and Section 4 is the Guarantee of a Republican Government. FTP- name the article of the Constitution with these sections.

ANS: Article IV

13. In 1974, this country made a peaceful detonation of a nuclear bomb, thus being the only time the country has done so which is small compared to the United States 1054 times. FTP- name this country whose plans to detonate another bomb are being halted by the United States.

ANS: India

14. Throughout his life he worked to further the case of civil rights, serving on the board of the NAACP for 22 years, earning the Spingarn Medal in 1940. FTP- name this participant in the March on Washington and the first black to win the Nobel Peace Prize.

ANS: Ralph Bunche

15. Blontschli, a swiss mercenary soldier, i the anti-hero of this play whose theme is that the glamour of war and military heroism is a civilian fiction. FTP- identify this play by George Bernard Shaw that sound more like an anatomy class.

ANS: Arms and the Man

16. John Locke was the first to give it systematic expression

although Francis Bacon had anticipated some of its characteristic conclusions. Its opponents were Spinoza, Leibniz, Descartes, and other rationalists. FTP- name the doctrine that affirms that all knowledge is derived from experience.

ANS: Empiricism

17. After graduation in 1975, he was the first draft pick and signed a record deal for rookies. He led the NFL in rushing a year later and was voted to the Pro Bowl for the first of nine times. FTP- identify the MVP in 77 and 85, the man with the most career rushing yards.

ANS: Walter Payton

18. It originated in New England when poor stage shows opened during Thanksgiving, but which, because of the season, still had good attendance. The term was later applied to any losing show. FTP- name this fowl term closely associated with Thanksgiving dinner.

ANS: Turkey

19. For lead it is 1.57×10^{10} , for aluminum its 6.96×10^{10} , and for tungsten 35.5×10^{10} . It is named after the English physicist that first demonstrated interference of light. FTP- name this correlative of Hooke's Law which is the ration of stress to strain.

ANS: Young's Modulus

20. In 1914 she married her cousin Baron Bror and went to live in British East Africa, on a coffee plantation. Her first book of stories, Seven Gothic Tales, dealt with the supernatural, as did most of her works. FTP- name the author of The Angelic Avengers and Shadows on the Grass.

ANS: Isak Dinesen

21. He was lord mayor of Cologne and member of the Prussian legislature from 1917 to 1933. A member of the Catholic Center Party, he opposed the Nazis and when Hitler came to power he retired. FTP- name the founder of the Christian Democratic Union and first chancellor of West Germany.

ANS: Konrad Adenauer

22. Born in Maryland and raised on a tobacco farm he received little schooling, yet demonstrated exceptional scientific ability. At 22, he constructed a clock made entirely of wood, each gear hand carved. FTP- name the partner of Major Andrew Ellicott in surveying the site of our national capital.

ANS: Benjamin Banneker

23. He was member of the court of Dionysius II, ruler of Syracuse Sicily. He attended a large feast hosted by Dionysius to teach him a lesson. FTP- name this man who had a large sword dangled above his head by a single hair.

ANS: Damocles

24. His works include 500 concertos, over 70 sonatas, and 45 operas. FTP- identify the Italian composer of The Four Seasons.

ANS: Antonio Vivaldi

25. He served in the Union Army and as a result of distinguished service went west with a military expedition, finally settling in San Francisco. He moved to London in 1872 and wrote Cobwebs from an Empty Skull under the name Dod Griller. FTP- name the author of the Devil's Dictionary.

ANS: Ambrose Beirce

26. He was known for his habit of sitting among fans during home games and for lighting a cigar when he knew his team had won. FAQTP- name this 1966 electee to the NBA Hall of Fame as the 16 year head coach of the Boston Celtics.

ANS: Arnold "Red" Auerbach

27. Some of his decedents claimed that he was the lost dauphin, but it was later proven he was born in Les Cayes on Haiti. At the age of 4 he moved to France to attend military school and then studied art under David. FTP- name this co-author of The Ornithological Biography and the artist of Birds of America.

ANS: John James Audubon

Bonii
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1. This bonus should be easy unless you're a spineless loser. The backbone is a series of different groups of bones. For 5 pts each and a bonus if they are in order from most to least bones name these groups.

ANS: Thoracic, Cervical, Lumbar, Sacral, Coccyx or Coccygeal

2. It is both the right and the imperative duty of Congress to prohibit in the territories those twin relics of barbarism. This quote is from the Republican national platform on 1856. For 15 pts each name these twin relics.

ANS: Slavery & Polygamy

3. To crack the safe you need the combination and this combination involves literary works. For the given number of points, provide the combination of works given the two authors. For example 15 pts Arthur Miller and D. H. Lawrence equals All My Sons and Lovers.

a. 5 Johann Wyss & Daniel Defoe

ANS: Swiss Family Robinson Crusoe

b.10 Jonathan Swift & John Steinbeck

ANS: Gulliver's Travels with Charley

c.15 Sir Arthur Conan Doyle & Nathaniel Hawthorne

ANS: A Study in Scarlet Letter

4. This year the Cowboys faced the Steelers in the Super Bowl for the third time. In their two previous meetings one player played for the Cowboys in one game and the Steelers in the other. For 25 pts name him.

ANS: Preston Pearson

5. A tumor is an abnormal mass of cells that results from ungoverned cell division and can be classified as either benign or malignant. For ten pts each identify these malignant tumors.

a. Tumors that originate from epithelium, such as skin

ANS: Carcinomas

b. Tumors that originate from connective tissues, such as bone and muscle

ANS: Sarcomas

c. Solid tumors that grow in tissue that forms blood cells

ANS: Lymphomas or Hemangiosarcomas

6. Given the court case, you provide the year the decision was handed down in.

a. Baker v. Carr	1962
b. Escobeda v. Illinois	1964
c. Mapp v. Ohio	1961
d. Gideon v. Wainwright	1963
e. Miranda v. Arizona	1966

7. Recently the Israeli military eliminated one of its enemies by executing him. For 10 pts each identify:

- a. the name of the Palestinian bomb maker executed

ANS: Yehya AYASH

- b. his nickname

ANS: The Engineer

- c. The Israeli leader who said we can breathe easier knowing Ayash is no longer alive.

ANS: Moshe SHAHAL

8. This year there have been three outbreaks of flu in the United States, each the result of a different strain. For 10 pts each name these strains named after a US state, South African city, and Chinese city.

ANS: Texas, Johannesburg, Beijing

9. For 10 pts each name the three characters involved in a love triangle in Dostoevsky's The Brother's Karamazov.

ANS: Dimitri, Katerina, Grushenka

10. For 10 points apiece identify the artists of these works depicting events in American History.

- a. The Rough Riders Charge up San Juan Hill

ANS: Frederic Remington

- b. Gassed in trench warfare

ANS: John Singer Sargent

- c. The Dust Bowl

ANS: Alexandre Hogue

11. Recently a Republican presidential candidate debate was held in South Carolina. For 5 points name the six candidates that showed up for the debates.

ANS: Pat Buchanan, Phil Gramm, Lamar Alexander, Morry Taylor, Alan Keyes, Richard Lugar

12. Identify the system of writing on a 30-20 10 basis.

30- It first came into use with notae Tironianae or Tironian notes, a system invented by Marcus Tullius Tiro

20- Versions include the Pittman, Gregg, and Machine

10- It is used by secretaries because it allows them to keep up with normal speech.

ANS: Shorthand

13. In order to answer this bonus you will need the help of the muses. for 5 points apiece name the muse given the area she

presided over.

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| a. history | Clio |
| b. tragedy | Melopomene |
| c. comedy | Thalia |
| d. astronomy | Urania |
| e. sacred poetry | Polyhymnia |
| f. choral songs | Terpsichore |

14. Identify the famous director on a 30-20-10 basis, given films that he directed.

- 30- The Day of the Flight, Flying Padre, Killer's Kiss
20- The Killing, Paths of Glory, Barry Lyndon
10- Lolita, 2001: A Space Odyssey, Full Metal Jacket
ANS: Stanley KUBRICK

15. For 5 pts each identify the following related to the Boston Tea Party:

- a. on what date in what month of what year did it occur?
ANS: December 16, 1773
b. what series of laws placed taxes on the tea.
ANS: Townshend Acts
c. who was the governor of Massachusetts at the time
ANS: Thomas Hutchinson
d. what patriot and brewer was the prime instigator of the tea dumping.
ANS: Samuel ADAMS

16. It's the dream of all researchers to make a unique discovery , thus insuring there everlasting life as a college bowl question. For 5pts each given a discovery you name the discoverer.

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| a. Neutron | James CHADWICK |
| b. Ozone | Christian SCHONBEIN |
| c. Speed of Light | Olaus ROEMER |
| d. Quantum Theory | Max PLANCK |
| e. Oxygen | Joseph PRIESTLEY |

17. It's nothing new for a celebrity to be stalked by a crazed fan, but it is news when the star is ordered to appear in court and face the stalker. For 10pts each identify these figures in the stalking case involving Madonna.

- a. The man accused of stalking her
ANS: Robert Dewey HOSKINS
b. The judge that ordered her to appear in court
ANS: Andrew KAUFFMAN
c. The Waterhole Tavern bartender who knew of Hoskins' plan
ANS: Tim WHITNEY

18. This bonus can be summed up by the phrase " The play's the thing". On a 30-20-10 basis given a character name the play.

- 30- Torvald Helmer
- 20- Nils Krogstad
- 10- Nora

ANS: A Doll's House

19. For ten points each identify these terms related to books of the bible.

a. The series of books not considered authoritative by Judaism or Protestantism.

ANS: Apocrypha

b. The first five books of the Hebrew Bible containing the Law of Moses.

ANS: Torah

c. A record of oral law compiled by rabbis in the 1st century.

ANS: Talmud

20. O captain my Captain! Given the name of the ship, it's your chore to identify the captain of that ship for 5pts each.

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| a. Endeavor | James COOK |
| b. Judith | Sir Francis DRAKE |
| c. Victoria | Ferdinand MAGELLAN |
| d. Gabriel | Sir Martin FROBISHER |
| e. Matthew | John CABOT |

21. Some might say that it's better to be dead than alive, we might be able to tell if this is true if we could talk to the people in these works depicting their deaths. For 5pts each name the artist that painted the death scene.

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| a. Death of Socrates | Jacques Louis-DAVID |
| b. Death of General Wolfe | Benjamin WEST |
| c. Death of Montgomery at Quebec | John TRUMBULL |
| d. Death of Sardanapalus | Eugene DELACROIX |

22. If you were born in Naples it might help you answer this bonus, as this man was also born there. Identify the man on a 30-20-10 basis.

30- His German historical methods teacher was Johann Joseph Ignaz von Dollinger.

20- He succeeded John Henry Newman as editor of the English Roman Catholic periodical The Rambler until the church condemned his views.

10- He is most famous for the statement " Power tends to corrupt, absolute power corrupts absolutely"

ANS: Lord John ACTON

23. If the candidates are going to get out and meet the people, the need some sort of transportation. For ten points each given the CEO and company you provide the candidate that is using the company jet.

- a. Carl Linder American Financial
 ANS: Bob DOLE
- b. John Stafford American Home Products
 ANS: Phil GRAMM
- c. Carl Bouckaert Textile Rubber and Chemical
 ANS: Lamar ALEXANDER

24. For ten points each name the software company responsible for the following products.

- a. WordPerfect 6.1 Novell
- b. Quicken Intuit
- c. The Beast Within Sierra