

2004 TRIVIA QUIZ

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1> According to the United Nations, 2004 was the international year of what?

- a. Child
- b. Wheat
- c. Rice
- d. Woman

2> What was the best selling US album in 2004?

- a. Under My Skin
- b. American Idiot
- c. How to Dismantle an Atomic Bomb
- d. Confessions

3> On the 26th of January 2004, what exploded in Taiwan?

- a. A fertilizer plant
- b. A fireworks factory
- c. A whale
- d. A car bomb

4> Which popular website was launched on the 4th of February 2004?

- a. Wikipedia
- b. Google
- c. Yahoo
- d. Facebook

5> What was the top grossing movie of 2004?

- a. Spider-Man 2
- b. I, Robot
- c. Shrek 2

d. The Passion of Christ

6> Whom did a landmine kill during a WWII memorial ceremony?

- a. Rajiv Gandhi
- b. Laurent-Desire Kabila
- c. George tiller
- d. Akhmad Kadyrov

7> Whom did Mary Donaldson marry on the 14 of May 2004?

- a. King Fahd
- b. Prince Edward
- c. King Juan Carlos
- d. Prince Frederick

8> What was the top selling book of 2004?

- a. Deception Point
- b. The South Beach Diet
- c. Angels and Demons
- d. The Da Vinci Code

9> Which spacecraft arrived at Saturn on the 1st of July 2004?

- a. Voyager
- b. Cassini-Huygens
- c. Explorer
- d. Sputnik VI

10> On August the 4th 2004, a market fire killed hundreds of people. Where was the fire?

- a. India
- b. Spain
- c. Chile
- d. Paraguay

11> Chechen terrorists took over a thousand people hostage in 2004. Where were they being held captive?

- a. A military base
- b. An embassy
- c. A hospital
- d. A school

12> The world's tallest bridge was opened on December 14th 2004. What was the name of the bridge?

- a. Millau
- b. Great Belt East
- c. Yi Sun-sin
- d. Stonecutters

13> Which nation hosted the Summer Olympic Games in 2004?

- a. Sydney
- b. London
- c. Athens
- d. Madrid

14> According to Billboard, what was the top song of 2004?

- a. If I Ain't Got You
- b. This Love
- c. The Way You Move
- d. Yeah!

15> Who received the Nobel Peace prize in 2004?

- a. Wangari Maathai
- b. Kim Dae-jung
- c. Jimmy Carter
- d. Shirin Ebadi

Answers:

- 1> Rice - The United Nations also designated this as the year to commemorate the Struggle Against Slavery.
- 2> Confessions - Recorded by Usher, Confessions sold 1.1 million copies in the first week of its release.
- 3> A whale - The whale exploded due to a build up of gas. It was being transported through the city of Tainan.
- 4> Facebook - The site was created by Mark Zuckerberg and his schoolmates, Facebook is a social networking site.
- 5> Shrek 2 - Shrek 2 grossed more than \$441 million worldwide.
- 6> Akhmad Kadyrov - Taking place in Gronzy, the mine was placed under the main stage.
- 7> Prince Frederick - Mary and Frederick were married in Copenhagen. Mary is now the Crown Princess of Denmark and the countess of Monpezat.
- 8> The Da Vinci Code - Written by Dan Brown, The Da Vinci Code is about murder clues that are left inside Leonardo Da Vinci art.
- 9> Cassini-Huygens - The robotic spacecraft was launched in 1997.
- 10> Paraguay - The fire started in a supermarket. The cause of the fire was thought to be a faulty barbeque chimney.
- 11> A school - This incident is referred to as the Beslan school hostage crisis. The captive included 777 children.
- 12> Millau - This bridge, which is located in France, is a cable-stayed bridge.
- 13> Athens - The Games opened on the 13th of August and closed on the 29th.
- 14> Yeah! - Yeah! was recorded by Usher and featured Lil Jon and Ludacris.
- 15> Wangari Maathai - Wangari Muta Maathai was a Kenyan environmental and political activist.