

MUSIC TRIVIA QUESTIONS XVI



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- 1> Which of the following songs was NOT a hit record for Cliff Richard?
 - a. My Love
 - b. Devil Woman
 - c. We Don't Talk Anymore
 - d. Dreaming

- 2> What is the English translation of Santana's hit single "Oye Como Va"?
 - a. Get Into My Bed
 - b. Let's Dance
 - c. You've Got to Change Your Evil Ways
 - d. Hey How's it Going

- 3> Which band had an album titled "In Search of the Lost Chord"?
 - a. Led Zeppelin
 - b. Pink Floyd
 - c. The Who
 - d. Moody Blues

- 4> Which of the following is not the title of a Graham Parker album?
 - a. Squeezing out sparks
 - b. Mona Lisa's Sister
 - c. Discovering Japan
 - d. Howlin' Wind

- 5> What song on the "Double Fantasy" album by John Lennon is about Sean Lennon?

- a. Watching the Wheels
- b. (Just Like) Starting Over
- c. Beautiful Boy
- d. Kiss Kiss Kiss

6> In 1983, who sang 'Too Shy'?

- a. The Tubes
- b. Talking Heads
- c. Madness
- d. Kajagoogoo

7> Who recorded the hit song "Machine Gun" in 1974?

- a. The Commodores
- b. Ohio Players
- c. Latimore
- d. War

8> Who was country music's "Singing Brakeman", one of the first inductees into the Country Music Hall of Fame?

- a. Jim Reeves
- b. Faron Young
- c. Jimmie Rodgers
- d. Hank Williams

9> How did the rock band "Lynard Skynard" get its name?

- a. Ronnie Van Zant's mother
- b. Through a road sign
- c. A band member's family name
- d. Lynard was their school gym teacher

10> "Auld Lang Syne" was the theme song for what famous bandleader?

- a. Doc Severinsen
- b. Guy Lombardo
- c. Glenn Miller
- d. Benny Goodman

11> In 1980, who hit a top 10 hit song with "Cars"?

- a. Gary Numan
- b. Billy Idol
- c. B52's
- d. The Cars

12> What well-known country artist sang backup vocals on the song "Don't Cry Daddy" with Elvis Presley?

- a. Ronnie Milsap
- b. Chet Atkins
- c. Jerry Reed
- d. Johnny Cash

13> The song "Telephone Man" was a top 20 hit for which artist?

- a. Cher
- b. Helen Reddy
- c. Electric Light Orchestra
- d. Meri Wilson

14> In the 1940's, which blues legend did Memphis Slim build his career under?

- a. Jelly Roll Morton
- b. Robert Johnson
- c. Duke Ellington
- d. Big Bill Broonzy

15> Which of the following songs was NOT a 'Top 20' U.S. single for Del Shannon?

- a. Keep Searchin' (We'll Follow the Sun)
- b. Hats Off to Larry
- c. Little Town Flirt
- d. Runaround Sue

Answers:

- 1> My Love - 'My Love' is a song recorded by Justin Timberlake. It can be found on his second studio album, FutureSex/LoveSounds (2006).
- 2> Hey How's it Going - Santana's 1970 cover of the song can be found on their album Abraxas.
- 3> Moody Blues - In Search of the Lost Chord is a concept album about quest and discovery. It features 33 different instruments all played by band members.
- 4> Discovering Japan - Graham Parker is a rock singer and songwriter from England.
- 5> Beautiful Boy - The album was released three weeks before Lennon's murder.
- 6> Kajagoogoo - 'Too Shy' reached number one on the UK Singles Chart in 1983.
- 7> The Commodores - Jimi Hendrix also recorded a song named Machine Gun.
- 8> Jimmie Rodgers - Jimmie has also been referred to as 'The Blue Yodeler' and 'The Father of Country Music'.
- 9> Lynard was their school gym teacher - Formed in 1964, Lynard Skynard was originally called the 'Noble Five'.
- 10> Guy Lombardo - The song is traditionally used to celebrate the start of the New Year.
- 11> Gary Numan - As of 2013, Gary has released 19 albums.
- 12> Ronnie Milsap - Milsap has had 40 number one country hits during his career.
- 13> Meri Wilson - Meri died in 2002 after she lost control of her car. She was 53 years old.
- 14> Big Bill Broonzy - Born as John Len Chatman, he made over 500 recordings before his death in 1988.
- 15> Runaround Sue - 'Runaround Sue' was a US Number one hit for Dion in 1961.