

# VAMPIRE TRIVIA QUIZ

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1> Which of the following historical characters was the basis for some of today's vampire stories?

- a. Vlad the Impaler
- b. Tamerlane
- c. Kublai Khan
- d. Ivan the Terrible

2> Published in 1887, which of the following authors penned the book "Dracula"?

- a. Bram Stoker
- b. Ray Bradbury
- c. Mary Shelley
- d. Ian Fleming

3> What was the name of the vampire character that Brad Pitt played in the film "Interview with a Vampire - The Vampire Chronicles"?

- a. Lestat
- b. Vlad
- c. Louis
- d. Danielle

4> Which spice is reputed to repel vampires?

- a. Thyme
- b. Salt
- c. Garlic

d. Pepper

5> What is a group of vampires called?

- a. A herd
- b. A murder
- c. A pod
- d. A clutch

6> On which well-known television series might you see Count von Count?

- a. The Adams Family
- b. The Munsters
- c. Sesame Street
- d. Buffy the Vampire Slayer

7> Dating from the early Neolithic period (4000 to 3000 BC), what is a dolmen?

- a. A stone monument
- b. A knife
- c. A blessed gemstone
- d. A special casket

8> What animal can Chinese vampires transform into?

- a. Wolf
- b. Tiger
- c. Dragon
- d. Bear

9> Found in popular Chinese mythology, what does Chiang Shih translate to?

- a. Blood lover
- b. Undead monster

- c. Corpse hopper
- d. Grave robber

10> What was the first film to feature vampires?

- a. Secrets of House No. 5
- b. The Night of the Dead
- c. Nosferatu
- d. Dracula

11> What was the name of the female vampire in Joseph Sheridan Le Fanu's novel of the same name?

- a. Elizabeth
- b. Mary
- c. Sarah
- d. Carmilla

12> An unborn baby whose father is vampire is called what?

- a. A sinpire
- b. A demigog
- c. Glogalve
- d. A dejinn

13> Which of these events might change a person into a vampire?

- a. A seventh son
- b. A cat jumping on the body before burial
- c. All of the above
- d. Eating a sheep that was killed by a wolf

14> What kind of fruit did some people in the Balkans believe would turn into a vampire if not eaten before Christmas?

- a. Oranges
- b. Cranberries
- c. Apples
- d. Watermelon

15> With many stories, which attribute to her vampire-like tendencies, where did Elizabeth Bathory call home?

- a. Hungary
- b. Turkey
- c. Slovakia
- d. Romania

16> Who is credited with writing the first vampire story "The Vampyre"?

- a. Charles Dickens
- b. John Polidori
- c. Bram Stoker
- d. Mary Shelley

17> Which of these objects is said to repel a vampire?

- a. A bible
- b. A cross
- c. A silver candlestick
- d. A mirror

18> In the film Nosferatu, what is the name of the vampire?

- a. Count Orlok
- b. Emperor Bathory
- c. Lord Byron
- d. Duke Vlad

## Answers:

- 1> Vlad the Impaler - Vlad was born in about 1431.
- 2> Bram Stoker - Two years after Bram Stoker's death, a short story titled 'Dracula's Guest' was posthumously published.
- 3> Louis - Tom Cruise played the role of Lestat.
- 4> Garlic - Garlic worn around one's neck is said to keep vampires from biting.
- 5> A clutch - They have also been referred to as a pack, a coven, and a brood.
- 6> Sesame Street - Count von Count is a Muppet.
- 7> A stone monument - Dolmens have been found over graves in Europe. They are supposed to keep vampires from rising.
- 8> Wolf - Only very strong vampires have this ability.
- 9> Corpse hopper - Chiang Shih were said to have red eyes and claws.
- 10> Secrets of House No. 5 - Secrets of House No. 5 came out in 1912. Nosferatu appeared in 1922.
- 11> Carmilla - The novel was first published in 1871.
- 12> Glogalve - Glogaves are said to have the ability to slay vampires. The term Gloglave is Bulgarian.
- 13> A cat jumping on the body before burial - A person who was once a werewolf or practiced sorcery also could become a vampire.
- 14> Watermelon - This was also true of pumpkins. Some people felt that the fruit would turn if it was not eaten within ten days.
- 15> Hungary - Countess Elizabeth Bathory de Ecsed is known for being one of the most prolific serial killers in history.
- 16> John Polidori - 'The Vampyre' was first published on 1 April 1819 in the New Monthly Magazine.
- 17> A cross - In some stories, holy water can also be used.
- 18> Count Orlok - Nosferatu is known as the 'Bird of Death'.