

# AMERICAN IDOL TRIVIA QUIZ



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1> Which American Idol finalist was disqualified in season two due to his criminal record?

- a. Ace Young
- b. Corey Clark
- c. Lisa Tucker
- d. George Huff

2> In what year did the show American Idol debut?

- a. 2002
- b. 1998
- c. 2000
- d. 2005

3> Who won American Idol season one?

- a. Ruben Studdard
- b. Kelly Clarkson
- c. George Tamyra
- d. Gray Huff

4> Which of these individuals was not among the finalists in season one?

- a. EJay Day
- b. Lee DeWyze
- c. Ryan Starr
- d. R.J.Helton

5> Which year did Steven Tyler become a judge on the hit show American Idol?

- a. 2005
- b. 2011
- c. 2007
- d. 2009

6> Which of these people was not a judge on American Idol in season one?

- a. Ellen DeGeneres
- b. Simon Cowell
- c. Randy Jackson
- d. Paula Abdul

7> Who was the host of American Idol in the first season?

- a. Ryan Seacrest
- b. Simon Cowell
- c. Scotty McCreery
- d. Jim Verras

8> Which individual spoke out against American Idol on The Howard Stern show?

- a. Brian Dunkleman
- b. Bo Bice
- c. Randy Jackson
- d. Adam Lambert

9> Which American Idol finalist recorded the song Inside Your Heaven?

- a. Josh Gracin
- b. Blake Lewis
- c. Bo Bice
- d. Clay Aiken

10> Which American Idol finalist married hockey superstar Mike Fisher?

- a. Katherine McPhee
- b. Crystal Bowersox
- c. Carrie Underwood
- d. Lauren Alaina

11> Do I Make You Proud was written for which American Idol finalist?

- a. Jessica Sierra
- b. Taylor Hicks
- c. Anthony Fedorov
- d. Lindsey Cardinale

12> Which American Idol finalist was told to remove any reference to his homosexuality from his online site?

- a. A.J. Gill
- b. Rickey Smith
- c. Jim Verraros
- d. Charles Grigsby

13> Who placed second to Jordin Sparks in the sixth season of American Idol?

- a. Blake Lewis
- b. Lauren Alaina
- c. Gina Glocksen
- d. Erika Van Pelt

14> Which American Idol finalist released an album called Brand New Shoes?

- a. Thia Megia
- b. Kris Allen
- c. Danny Gokey
- d. Casey James

15> Which American Idol winner sang "Home", "Stand by Me", and "Movin' Out" on the finale?

- a. Phillip Phillips
- b. Jacob Lusk
- c. James Durbin
- d. Colton Dixon

## Answers:

- 1> Corey Clark - Clark wrote a book about his experiences on the show.
- 2> 2002 - In the first season, there were ten finalists.
- 3> Kelly Clarkson - Ruben won season two.
- 4> Lee DeWyze - Lee won season nine.
- 5> 2011 - Steven is the lead singer for the band Aerosmith.
- 6> Ellen DeGeneres - Ellen was a judge in 2010.
- 7> Ryan Seacrest - Ryan co-hosted the show with Brian Dunkleman.
- 8> Brian Dunkleman - Brian claimed he left the show due to the way in which contestants were treated. He has since stated that he regrets his decision.
- 9> Bo Bice - Bo was the runner -up on American Idol in the fourth season.
- 10> Carrie Underwood - Mike Fisher played for the Ottawa Senators.
- 11> Taylor Hicks - Taylor was the winner of American Idol season five.
- 12> Jim Verraros - Jim married his boyfriend in 2009.
- 13> Blake Lewis - Blake released his debut album in 2007.
- 14> Kris Allen - Kris won season eight of American Idol.
- 15> Phillip Phillips - Phillip is from Georgia.

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