

# GENERAL KNOWLEDGE TRIVIA QUESTIONS XLVII



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1> Which of these cities boasts the "Loop"?

- a. San Diego
- b. Houston
- c. Chicago
- d. Miami

2> In the 1962 film The Miracle Worker, who played the role of Helen?

- a. Ingrid Bergman
- b. Patty Duke
- c. Judy Garland
- d. Joan Bancroft

3> Whose autobiography was entitled "To Hell and Back"?

- a. John Wayne
- b. Winston Churchill
- c. Joseph Stalin
- d. Audie Murphy

4> In the card game Euchre, what is the most powerful card?

- a. The nine of trump
- b. The right bower
- c. The left bower
- d. The ace

5> Which famous person spent the majority of his life searching for the fountain of youth?

- a. Pissarro
- b. Montezuma
- c. Cousteau
- d. Ponce de Leon

6> Which famous author penned the Prince and the Pauper?

- a. Alexander Dumas
- b. Charles Dickens
- c. Mark Twain
- d. Hans Christian Anderson

7> What city would you be in if you were touring The Guggenheim?

- a. New York
- b. Paris
- c. Athens
- d. San Francisco

8> Who patented the golf tee in 1899?

- a. George Grant
- b. Arnold Palmer
- c. Paul Hogan
- d. Jack Nikolas

9> If you wanted to see Mount McKinley, which state would you have to visit?

- a. Montana
- b. Washington
- c. Alaska
- d. Colorado

10> Frankfort is the capital of which state?

- a. Kentucky
- b. Wyoming
- c. Idaho
- d. Nebraska

11> What was the name of King Arthur's sword?

- a. Shannara
- b. Almace
- c. Excalibur
- d. Curtana

12> If you were watching Olga Korburt, what sport would you be watching?

- a. Skiing
- b. Gymnastics
- c. Swimming
- d. Cycling

13> Brian Wilson was one of the founding members of which band?

- a. Supertramp
- b. The Beach Boys
- c. ACDC
- d. The Everly Brothers

14> Who was Lizzie Borden accused of killing?

- a. Her husband
- b. Her father
- c. Her doctor
- d. Her daughter

15> In 1871, whose cow is believed to have started the Chicago fire?

- a. Mr. MacDonald
- b. Mrs. O'Leary
- c. Mrs. Horner
- d. Mr. Brown

## Answers:

- 1> Chicago - The 'Loop' is the name of the historic center of downtown Chicago.
- 2> Patty Duke - This film was directed by Arthur Penn.
- 3> Audie Murphy - Audie Murphy served in the Europe and Mediterranean campaigns of World War II.
- 4> The right bower - The right bower is the jack of the suit that is called trump.
- 5> Ponce de Leon - Juan Ponce de Leon was a Spanish explorer. He thought that the fountain might be located in Florida.
- 6> Mark Twain - Mark Twain also wrote Tom Sawyer.
- 7> New York - Completed in 1959, the Guggenheim was designed by Frank Lloyd Wright.
- 8> George Grant - George was a Dentist. He died in 1910.
- 9> Alaska - This mountain is also referred to as Denali, which translates to mean 'The High One'.
- 10> Kentucky - Although Frankfort is the capital, the largest city in the state is Louisville.
- 11> Excalibur - According to the legend, King Arthur pulled this sword out of a stone.
- 12> Gymnastics - Olga won a gold medal at the 1972 summer Olympic Games.
- 13> The Beach Boys - Brian's brother Dennis was also in the band.
- 14> Her father - Lizzie was accused of killing both her mother and father. She was later acquitted.
- 15> Mrs. O'Leary - Mrs. Catherine O'Leary's cow kicked over a lantern, which is thought to be the cause of the great Chicago fire.