

# GENERAL KNOWLEDGE TRIVIA QUESTIONS XVII



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- 1> Harrison Ford received his first Oscar nomination for what film?
- 2> Macbeth murdered which king?
- 3> Which two well-known brothers published folk tales in Germany during the 19th Century?
- 4> In the world of ballet, what term is used to describe spinning on one foot?
- 5> Where in the world would one find the Bridge Of Sighs?
- 6> In 2700 B.C., what medical practice was Chinese Emperor Shen-Nung using?
- 7> What was Casanova's first name?
- 8> Organ transplants have a long waiting list. Which organ is said to have the longest list?
- 9> Coke and Pepsi are the two most popular colas. Which cola is number three?
- 10> Which President had a dog called Grits?
- 11> When was Alcoholics Anonymous founded?
- 12> Moon bathing was a favourite pastime of which sit-com family?
- 13> The author Sir Arthur Conan Doyle was what kind of Doctor?
- 14> Which famous Roman had a wife named Fulvia?
- 15> Which gum company once sold Lotta gum?

## Answers:

- 1> Witness - The film was nominated for eight Academy Awards.
- 2> King Duncan - Shakespeare wrote the play sometime between 1603 and 1607.
- 3> The Brothers Grimm - The fame of the Grimm's collected folk tales has endured well beyond their lifetimes.
- 4> Pirouette - The word pirouette comes from the French. It means to whirl about.
- 5> Venice - The bridge has windows with stone bars and is made of white limestone.
- 6> Acupuncture - Acupuncture uses specially placed needles to reduce or eliminate pain.
- 7> Giovanni - Casanova was expelled from the seminary for his scandalous behaviour.
- 8> Kidney - The first kidney transplant was conducted in the United States. The patient was Ruth Tucker.
- 9> Crown Cola - Crown Cola only has three percent of the market.
- 10> Jimmy Carter - The dog was actually given to Jimmy's daughter Amy.
- 11> 1935 - The organization was founded by Bill Wilson and Dr. Bob Smith.
- 12> The Addams Family - The Addams had two children, Wednesday and Pugsley.
- 13> Ophthalmology - He studied in Vienna in 1890.
- 14> Mark Anthony - Fulvia was actually married three times. Mark was her third husband.
- 15> Wrigley's - Gum is not biodegradable.

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