

MUSIC TRIVIA QUESTIONS

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1> Written by Michael McDonald and Kenny Loggins, which Doobie Brother's song won a Record of the Year Grammy Award in 1980?

- a. What a Fool Believes
- b. Listen to the Music
- c. China Grove
- d. Black Water

2> Probably best known for her massive hit, "You Light Up My Life," what singer is the daughter of Pat Boone?

- a. Debby Boone
- b. Tracy Boone
- c. Patty Boone
- d. Jackie Boone

3> Released in June of 2014, which band recorded the up-tempo pop rock track "Maps"?

- a. Maroon 5
- b. Imagine Dragons
- c. OneRepublic
- d. Coldplay

4> In the United States, how many copies of a record album must be sold for the album to be awarded a "Diamond Record"?

- a. 10,000,000
- b. 5,000,000
- c. 1,000,000
- d. 500,000

5> Of all the singles that the Beatles released, which one lasted longest at number one on the U.S. charts at 9 weeks?

- a. Yesterday
- b. The Long and Winding Road
- c. Hey Jude
- d. Strawberry Fields Forever

6> What is the last note on a standard piano's keyboard?

- a. B
- b. C
- c. D
- d. A

7> Born as Andreas Cornelis van Kujik, Elvis Presley's manager was better known by what name?

- a. Peter Guralnick
- b. Sam Phillips
- c. Brian Epstein
- d. Colonel Tom Parker

8> "Life is a mystery, everyone must stand alone. I hear you call my name and it feels like home" is a section of lyric from what Madonna hit?

- a. Express Yourself
- b. Like A Prayer
- c. Ray of Light
- d. Material Girl

9> Which American singer-songwriter won the "Best Pop Vocal Album" at the 2011 Grammy Awards for their album "The Fame Monster"?

- a. Madonna
- b. Katy Perry
- c. Lady Gaga
- d. Britney Spears

10> Other than "Sugar Sugar", what was the fictional garage band The Archies' only other top 10 hit?

- a. Bang-Shang-A-Lang
- b. This is Love
- c. Jingle Jangle
- d. Who's Your Baby?

11> Which American singer-songwriter was the first to be inducted into both the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and the Country Music Hall of Fame?

- a. Elvis Presley
- b. Johnny Cash
- c. Jimmy Buffett
- d. Neil Young

12> Which of the following bands was Neil Young once a member of?

- a. The Byrds
- b. Buffalo Springfield
- c. The Yardbirds
- d. The Hollies

13> How many members were in the Motown Record's female singing group The Supremes?

- a. 4
- b. 5
- c. 3
- d. 2

14> Known as a drum of healing and gathering, which of the following is a goblet-shaped hand drum?

- a. Djembe
- b. Snare
- c. Conga
- d. Damroo

15> Which of the following songs was not a hit for The Everly Brothers?

- a. Bye Bye Love
- b. Garden Party
- c. Wake Up Little Susie
- d. Cathy's Clown

Answers:

1> What a Fool Believes - According to Michael Jackson, he contributed one backing track to the recording.

2> Debby Boone - Debby also had a number one country hit with the song 'Are You on the Road to Lovin' Me Again'.

3> Maroon 5 - The song was written by Ammar Malik, Adam Levine, Ryan Tedder, Noel Zancanella and Benny Blanco.

4> 10,000,000 - A gold record requires 500,000 sales.

5> Hey Jude - According to Paul McCartney, he wrote the song to comfort John Lennon's son, Julian, during his parents' divorce.

6> C - A standard piano has 52 white keys and 36 black keys.

7> Colonel Tom Parker - Presley once said of Parker, "I don't think I'd have ever been very big if it wasn't for him. He's a very smart man."

8> Like A Prayer - Released in 1989 on the album Like a Prayer.

9> Lady Gaga - As of 2014, Lady Gaga has won five Grammy Awards out of fifteen nominations.

10> Jingle Jangle - Released on the album Everything's Archies, Sugar Sugar reached number one on the U.S. and U.K. charts.

11> Johnny Cash - Cash has also been inducted into the Gospel Music Hall of Fame.

12> Buffalo Springfield - Selling over a million copies, Buffalo Springfield's biggest hit was 'For What It's Worth'.

13> 3 - Formed in 1959, the Supremes were originally known as the Primettes.

14> Djembe - The djembe originated in Africa.

15> Garden Party - Garden Party was recorded by Ricky Nelson. The Everly Brothers were inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 1986.