

# ONE HIT WONDERS OF THE 80s QUIZ



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1> Who sang 867-5309/Jenny?

- a. Animotion
- b. Gary Numan
- c. Tommy Tutone
- d. Billy Idol

2> 99 Luft Balloons was originally recorded in what language?

- a. English
- b. Spanish
- c. German
- d. French

3> The Vapors sang which of these songs?

- a. Turning Japanese
- b. Our House
- c. Funkytown
- d. When Doves Cry

4> Don't Worry, Be Happy was sung by which artist?

- a. Bruce Willis
- b. John Parr
- c. Bobby McFerrin
- d. Prince

5> Puttin on the Ritz was a song made famous by?

- a. Falco

- b. Taco
- c. Hugh Laurie
- d. The Bangles

6> Which of these songs had the first music video on MTV?

- a. Video Killed The Radio Star
- b. Let the Music Play
- c. Two of Hearts
- d. Love Shack

7> Which of these songs was not an 80s song?

- a. Smells like Teen Spirit- Nirvana
- b. Its raining me- weather girls
- c. I know what boys like- the waitresses
- d. Love is a Battlefield

8> Allannah Myles was famous for which song?

- a. Chicago
- b. Dynamite
- c. Black Velvet
- d. Every Breath You Take

9> Tainted Love was released in the 80s by which group?

- a. Toni Basil
- b. Soft Cell
- c. A-Ha
- d. Eurythmics

10> Which dirty song was made famous by Frankie Goes to Hollywood?

- a. Relax
- b. Sleep
- c. Our Time
- d. Whip It

## Answers:

- 1> Tommy Tutone - Did you know that Jenny got so many calls that she had to change her number? With the proper area code, Jenny's answering machine can still be reached!
- 2> German - Nena, the singer, was born in Germany and released the song in German first! It became a hit in the US a year later!
- 3> Turning Japanese - The band only lasted from 1979-1981.
- 4> Bobby McFerrin - He is a 10 time grammy winner!
- 5> Taco - Although, Fred Astaire performed it in the 40s.
- 6> Video Killed The Radio Star - Video Killed The Radio Star was the first music video! It was performed by the Buggles.
- 7> Smells like Teen Spirit- Nirvana - Smells like teen spirit was performed by Nirvana in the early 90s!
- 8> Black Velvet - Black Velvet! Black Velvet was released in 1989.
- 9> Soft Cell - It was originally recorded by Gloria Jones in 1965, but Soft Cell had more luck with it!
- 10> Relax - Relax. This is one of the best known songs of the 80s. Its real meaning was extremely inappropriate!