

POP CULTURE TRIVIA QUESTIONS IV



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- 1> In the movie "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs", what do the dwarves mine, when it's off to work they go?
- 2> Mafia bodyguard Johnny Stompanato was stabbed to death by his girlfriend's teenage daughter. Who was the girlfriend?
- 3> I kid you not! Who played King Mongkut on Broadway, in a movie and in a short-lived 1972 TV series?
- 4> In 2000, the first outing for "Survivor" was set on the island of Pulau Tiga in which country?
- 5> Cecil B DeMille's "The Squaw Man" was thought to be the first movie made here, back in 1914, until DW Griffith's "In Old California" from 1910 was found. It was filmed near present-day 1713 Vine Street. Where?
- 6> Before its cowboy came along, what cigarette was marketed to women as "a cherry tip for your ruby lips"?
- 7> Which Johnny Weissmuller character's yell was apparently created by combining a violin G-string, a hyena's howl, a dog's growl and a camel's bleat?
- 8> What role was played by Brian Cox in 1986, Anthony Hopkins in 1991, 2001 and 2002, and Gaspard Ulliel in 2007?
- 9> According to TV Guide, the best episode ever was "Chuckles Bites the Dust", which aired Oct. 25, 1975, on what TV series?
- 10> As we learned in "Pulp Fiction", what hamburger is called a Royale in France?
- 11> In what movie do we become familiar with Ezekiel 25.17?
- 12> The term "jump the shark" refers to a particularly bad episode of what TV show, in which a water-skiing character literally jumps a shark?

13> Mayim Bialik ended up at UCLA, studying neuroscience and writing her thesis on Prader-Willi syndrome. In what TV show did she star?

14> Almost all telephone numbers in movies and TV shows start with the same three digits. What are they?

15> What Disney character was originally named Dippy Dawg in 1932, when it debuted in "Mickey's Review"?

Answers:

1> Diamonds - Perfectly polished diamonds, in fact ...

2> Lana Turner - On April 4, 1958, he was stabbed to death after an argument with Lana Turner, by Lana's daughter Cheryl Crane.

3> Yul Brynner - He played the king of Siam 4,625 times.

4> Malaysia - After mixed success exporting the format to Queensland and Kenya, the show has been set on tropical beaches ever since.

5> Hollywood - The barn it was filmed in, at 2100 North Highland, later became the Hollywood Heritage Museum.

6> Marlboro - Introduced in the mid-50s, the Marlboro Man boosted sales by 3,241 percent in just a year.

7> Tarzan - He says he created the yell himself.

8> Hannibal Lecter - In the books, he is from an aristocratic Lithuanian family who comes to America after losing his family in WWII.

9> Mary Tyler Moore Show - When Chuckles dies, Mary is outraged that her co-workers make jokes.

10> Quarter Pounder - It is called the Royal or McRoyal in most countries without ounces and pounds, although in Quebec is it called Quart de Livre.

11> Pulp Fiction - As it happens, the verse that Samuel L Jackson's character uses is actually a pastiche of Ezekeil 25.17, mixed with other bits of the Bible, to produce a line that in turn references a line used by Sonny Chiba in a couple of his movies.

12> Happy Days - Henry Winkler, who as Fonzie jumped the shark, later played a lawyer on Arrested Development, a show narrated by Ron Howard, and on one episode, his character literally hops over a dead shark while on his way to do a Burger King product placement.

13> Blossom - The syndrome is about people who destroy their own homes looking for food.

14> 555 - Specifically, the numbers 555-0100 to 555-0199 are set aside for Hollywood.

15> Goofy - He changed names in 1939, but was known briefly as Mr. Geef in the 1940s.