VALENTINES TRIVIA QUIZ





- 1> What does the name Valentine mean?
- 2> When do Valentines and Valentinas in the Orthodox Church celebrate their name day?
- 3> How many calories do you burn while kissing?
- 4> Everyone knows the story of Romeo and Juliet. What was Juliet's last name?
- 5> People of which profession receive the most cards on St. Valentine's Day?
- 6> Who is Jack Valentine?
- 7> What is St Valentine's Day known as in Finland?
- 8> Who is the Roman goddess of love and beauty?
- 9> Who is Cupid's father?
- 10> Romans believed that roses grew only in specific places. Where?
- 11> Which type of love was known as the ideal type of love?
- 12> Who was the famous recipient of many of Napoleon's love letters?
- 13> Which state produces around 60 percent of American roses?
- 14> If a sparrow is watching a girl on St. Valentine's Day, what does that mean?
- 15> According to a legend, Cleopatra sailed to Rome in a ship full of roses. Why did she do that?

- 16> How long did Penelope wait for Odysseus?
- 17> The loving couple of Pablo and Francesca appeared in what book?
- 18> What is the pagan celebration preceding Valentine's Day?
- 19> When are the most Valentine cards purchased?
- 20> What is the current Guinness World record for the most people kissing simultaneously?

Answers:

- 1> Strong, worthy There are several saints in the Catholic Church known as Saint Valentine.
- 2> 14th of February In the Orthodox Church Saint Valentine's Day is celebrated on the 5th and 30th of July.
- 3> 1-2 per minute The number of burned calories can increase if you kiss more passionately.
- 4> Capulet The city of Verona receives more than 1000 valentine cards every year addressed for Juliet.
- 5> Teachers About 1 billion cards are sent on that day every year.
- 6> Character that leaves sweets for kids Jack Valentine originates from Norfolk in the UK.
- 7> Friend's day Estonians also call it a Friend's day.
- 8> Venus Venus is the Roman version of the Greek goddess Aphrodite.
- 9> Mars Cupid is the son of Mars and Venus.
- 10> Where Cupid spilled nectar It is thought that with his arrows, Cupid could inspire love just as much as hate.
- 11> Agape Agape is sometimes translated as 'Love of the soul'.
- 12> Josephine de Beauharnais Josephine's first husband was Alexandre de Beauharnais.
- 13> California Most of the roses sold in the USA on St. Valentine's Day are red.
- 14> A poor man is in love with her Sparrows are a family of small passerine birds.
- 15> So the Romans would know of her arrival before they could see the ship Cleopatra was the object of love for both Julius Caesar and Mark Anthony.

16> 20 years - While she was waiting for her husband to come back from the Trojan War, 108 suitors tried to take Odysseus' place.

17> The Divine Comedy - Dante Alighieri is known in Italy as the Supreme Poet.

18> Luprecalia - Lupercus is a Roman god of shepherds.

19> Two days before 2.14 - In Denmark and Norway, Valentine's Day is called Valentinsdag.

20> Almost 40 thousand people - Officially, there were 39,897 kissing for 10 seconds. However, the organizers did not explain why the number is not even.

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