

# WHO AM I TRIVIA QUIZ III

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1> I was born in 1849 in the Soviet Union and since that time, my works have been performed all over the world. I was at the inaugural of Carnegie Hall and was also honoured by the Tsar of Russia. Who am I?

- a. Franz Schmidt
- b. Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov
- c. Pyotr Tchaikovsky
- d. Johann Bach

2> I am a convicted killer. The press dubbed me "The Angel of Death". I killed my victims by injection. Who am I?

- a. Kristen Gilbert
- b. Martha Ann Johnson
- c. Lizzie Borden
- d. Dorothea Puente

3> I was the only designer on Time's Most Important People of the Century. I was born on the 19th of August in France. Who am I?

- a. Coco Chanel
- b. Guccio Gucci
- c. Giorgio Armani
- d. Calvin Klein

4> I was born in 1775 in Hampshire, England. I penned a novel entitled Emma. Who am I?

- a. Emily Dickens
- b. Charlotte Bronte
- c. Jane Austen
- d. Mary Shelly

5> I was issued over 400 patents in the United States for my inventions in television and motion pictures. I also was the first person granted a commercial television licence. Who am I?

- a. Chester Greenwood
- b. Boris Rosing
- c. Charles Francis Jenkins
- d. Nils Bohlin

6> I am the chancellor of Germany. I assumed office in 2005. Who am I?

- a. Walter Scheel
- b. Angela Merkel
- c. Helmut Schmidt
- d. William Brandt

7> Competing on behalf of the United States, I won seven Olympic gold medals in 1972. Who am I?

- a. Carl Lewis
- b. Michael Phelps
- c. Mark Spitz
- d. Sugar Ray Lenard

8> I was born in 1798, in Ireland. I spent time exploring the Swan River in Australia and learning the languages of the Indigenous tribes. I wrote a book about my experiences. Who am I?

- a. Wilfred Thesiger
- b. David Livingstone
- c. George Fletcher Moore
- d. John Carpini.

9> I played Donna in the movie Mamma Mia. I have been nominated for 17 academy awards. Who am I?

- a. Bette Midler
- b. Barbra Streisand
- c. Meryl Streep
- d. Susan Sarandon

10> I was in the Canadian military during the WWI. During that time, I composed the poem In Flanders' Fields. Who am I?

- a. John McCrae
- b. Jonathon Swift
- c. Marl Twin
- d. Robert Service

11> I was born in 1891 in Iowa. I painted the piece entitled, American Gothic in 1930. Who am I?

- a. Joseph Glasco
- b. Paul Freely
- c. Grant Wood
- d. William Draper

12> Photography was my life. I compiled a book entitled In the American West. Who am I?

- a. Man Ray
- b. Bruce Weber
- c. Richard Avedon
- d. Ralph Gibson

13> I am an actor who was born in Lexington, Kentucky in 1961. I played Danny Ocean in the movie Ocean's Twelve. Who am I?

- a. Casey Affleck
- b. George Clooney
- c. Eddie Jemison
- d. Paul L. Nolan

14> I am the lead singer for the group Blondie. I played Madison in the film, A Good Night to Die. Who am I?

- a. Ann Wilson
- b. Chrissie Hynde
- c. Deborah Harry
- d. Christine McVie

15> I was born in Modesto, California in 1944. I was raised on a walnut farm. I

wrote and directed American Graffiti. Who am I?

- a. George Lucas
- b. Steven Spielberg
- c. Ron Howard
- d. Francis Ford Coppola

**Answers:**

- 1> Pyotr Tchaikovsky - Pyotr Tchaikovsky was a conductor and composer. Swan Lake and The Nut Cracker are among his most famous works.
- 2> Kristen Gilbert - Gilbert was a registered nurse. She was arrested in 1996 and was given a life sentence.
- 3> Coco Chanel - I started my career designing hats. This hobby evolved into one of the most famous fashion houses in the world.
- 4> Jane Austen - Jane was one of six children. She died in 1817, at the age of 41.
- 5> Charles Francis Jenkins - At one time Jenkins referred to his invention as a 'motion picture projecting box'.
- 6> Angela Merkel - I am also the Chairwoman of The Christian Democratic Union.
- 7> Mark Spitz - Mark won these medals at the Games held in Munich.
- 8> George Fletcher Moore - George wrote the book Diary of Ten Years Eventful Life of an Early Settler in Western Australia.
- 9> Meryl Streep - Meryl has won three academy awards. The first academy award she won was for her role in Kramer VS. Kramer.
- 10> John McCrae - John died in 1918 of pneumonia.
- 11> Grant Wood - American Gothic hangs in the Art Institute of Chicago.
- 12> Richard Avedon - Richard died in 2004.
- 13> George Clooney - George Clooney tried to join the Cincinnati Reds baseball team.
- 14> Deborah Harry - Deborah Harry was born on the 4th of July 1945.
- 15> George Lucas - George also wrote and directed Star Wars.