

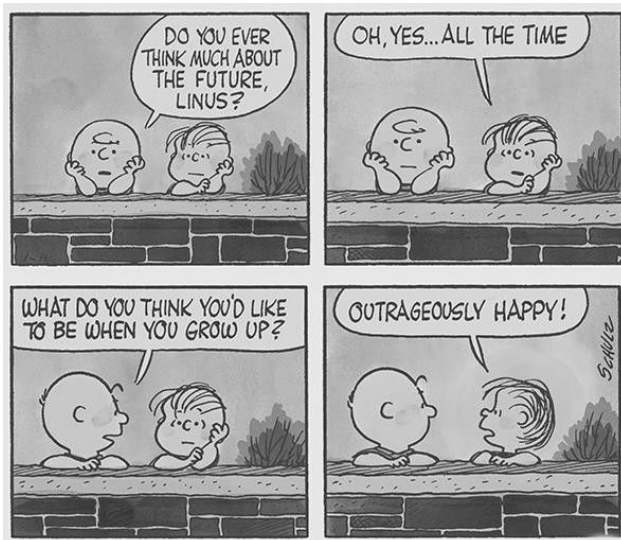
**Dear friends,**

Well, we finally got back to church last weekend and not only were we very happy to be with our church family again (part of them, at least), it was also a sign that America might be finding its way back to some kind of normalcy after all. This we earnestly hope and pray.

But, of course, the quarantines are still keeping us from one of our best reasons for happiness; namely, presenting our “When Swing Was King” shows to you and so we are sending out the latest of our “activity packets” with hopes you are finding them interesting, a stimulant to your memories, and a bit of fun too. Please know we miss you all and you are all still very much in our hearts.

And speaking of being happy, here are a couple of Peanuts cartoons that speak to that.

*Denny & Claire Hartford*



## Multiple Choice Questions

1) This car model began its very brief “career” in 1958. Being overpriced and with a bizarre looking grill, it turned out to be a huge flop. What was it?

- A) Yugo
- B) Edsel
- C) DeLorean
- D) Cimarron

2) According to the Frank Sinatra song, “Saturday night is...”

- A) “the loneliest night of the week.”
- B) “strawberry pie & coffee night.”
- C) “my date with Bridgette.”
- D) “the last chance for love.”

3) The WWII African-American and Caribbean-born pilots who served in the 332nd Fighter Group & the 477th Bombardment Group of the U.S. Army Air Forces were called...

- A) The Liberators
- B) Freedom Brigade
- C) The Tuskegee Airmen
- D) Washington’s Aces

4) Rita Hayworth’s marriage to this Hollywood legend lasted only 4 years:

- A) Spencer Tracy
- B) Marlon Brando
- C) Orson Welles
- D) Tyrone Power

5) In 1965 this singer had two hit albums, *Strangers in the Night* and *My Way*.

- A) Frank Sinatra
- B) Jerry Vale
- C) Tom Jones
- D) Wayne Newton

6) The award given annually to the outstanding player in college football is:

- A) The Davis Cup
- B) The Knute Rockne Award
- C) The Heisman Trophy
- D) The Presidential Medal

7) Which of these songs was **NOT** a hit for Patsy Cline?

- A) “Walkin’ After Midnight”
- B) “I Fall to Pieces”
- C) “Crazy”
- D) “Stand By Your Man”

8) What would Popeye the Sailor say is the best “super food” of all?

- A) Ritz Crackers
- B) Spinach
- C) V-8 Juice
- D) Granny Smith apples

9) What famous mystery author gave us the characters of Miss Marple and Hercule Poirot?

- A) Erle Stanley Gardner
- B) G. K. Chesterton
- C) Arthur Conan Doyle
- D) Agatha Christie

10) Duke Ellington’s signature song was “Take the A Train.” What exactly was the A Train?

- A) The East River ferry
- B) A San Francisco trolley car
- C) A New York subway route
- D) The California Zephyr

11) Chase & Sanborn, Maxwell House, and Hills Brothers all have this in common:

- A) Coffee
- B) Raisins
- C) Bourbon
- D) Chocolate

12) Which of these animals was **NOT** a part of the Bing Crosby song, "Swingin' On A Star"?

- A) Mule
- B) Dog
- C) Pig
- D) Fish

13) Which bandleader specialized in "champagne music"?

- A) Shep Fields & His Rippling Rhythm Orchestra
- B) Lawrence Welk
- C) Eddie Howard
- D) Guy Lombardo

14) Many people are surprised to learn there are two books in the Bible that are **longer** than the Psalms. Those two books are:

- A) 1st and 2nd Chronicles
- B) Isaiah & Exodus
- C) Jeremiah & Genesis
- D) Matthew's Gospel & Acts

15) This Caribbean island is known for cigars, rum, and a Communist dictator who (backed by the Soviet Union) took his country to the brink of war with the U.S. in 1962:

- A) Cuba
- B) Haiti
- C) Nicaragua
- D) Dominican Republic

16) This popular singer has several movies to his credit including two westerns with John Wayne, *Rio Bravo* and *The Sons of Katie Elder*.

- A) Elvis Presley
- B) Dean Martin
- C) Glen Campbell
- D) Sammy Davis Jr.

17) Which of the following was **NOT** a television news anchorman?

- A) David Brinkley
- B) Walter Cronkite
- C) Chet Huntley
- D) Howard Cosell

18) This Lerner & Loewe musical about King Arthur, Queen Guinevere, and Sir Lancelot opened on Broadway in 1960 starring Richard Burton, Julie Andrews, and Robert Goulet. It was...

- A) *Carousel*
- B) *The King and I*
- C) *Camelot*
- D) *Kismet*

19) Which of these was **NOT** a profoundly patriotic song of WWII?

- A) "Comin' In on a Wing and a Prayer"
- B) "The White Cliffs of Dover"
- C) "Praise the Lord and Pass the Ammunition"
- D) "Blue Skies"

20) The Mole, Pruneface, Flattop, The Brow, and Mumbles were just some of the criminal villains fought by:

- A) Dick Tracy
- B) The Lone Ranger
- C) Sgt. Preston of the Yukon
- D) The Shadow

21) "Amapola," "Green Eyes," and "So Rare" were among the big hits of the:

- A) Harry James Orchestra
- B) Jimmy Dorsey Orchestra
- C) Billy May Orchestra
- D) Guy Lombardo Orchestra

22) This radio and TV show was based on real cases from the Los Angeles Police Department. "Only the names have been changed to protect the innocent." It was:

- A) *Starsky & Hutch*
- B) *Coronado 9*
- C) *Dragnet*
- D) *The Big Heat*

23) He was "the first multimedia star" being a leader in record sales, radio ratings, and movie ticket sales from 1931 to 1954. And he was immensely successful (and beloved) for years after.

- A) Bing Crosby
- B) Louis Armstrong
- C) Al Jolson
- D) James Cagney

24) What cartoon animals are Rocky and Bullwinkle?

- A) A dog and a cat
- B) A dog and a bull
- C) Two bears
- D) A flying squirrel and a moose

25) Which is the "Show Me" state?

- A) Missouri
- B) California
- C) Texas
- D) Virginia

26) Which of these was **NOT** a popular toy for kids in the 1950s?

- A) Hula Hoop
- B) Frisbee
- C) Cabbage Patch dolls
- D) Slinky

27) Who portrayed Moses in the movie *The Ten Commandments*?

- A) Peter O'Toole
- B) Charlton Heston
- C) Gary Cooper
- D) Richard Burton

28) Fred & Wilma, Barney & Betty, Pebbles, and Dino (a pet dinosaur that acted like a dog) all come from what 1960's animated TV series?

- A) *Johnny Quest*
- B) *Huckleberry Hound*
- C) *The Flintstones*
- D) *Alley Oop*

29) This singer's hits included "I Want to Be Wanted," "All Alone Am I," "Break It to Me Gently," and "Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree." She is:

- A) Brenda Lee
- B) Leslie Uggams
- C) Connie Francis
- D) Tammy Wynette

30) If you saunter into Dodge City and find Miss Kitty tending bar at the Long Branch Saloon, you know you're in what TV show?

- A) *Wagon Train*
- B) *The Wild, Wild West*
- C) *Tombstone Territory*
- D) *Gunsmoke*

## Match the Song Title to the Musical Artist

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|--|-------|---------------------|
| 31) "Raindrops Keep Falling<br>On My Head" | _____ | A) Vaughn Monroe    |
| 32) "Wheel of Fortune"                     | _____ | B) Bing Crosby      |
| 33) "Route 66"                             | _____ | C) The Ink Spots    |
| 34) "I'm Getting Sentimental<br>Over You"  | _____ | D) Rosemary Clooney |
| 35) "Ghost Riders In The Sky"              | _____ | E) B. J. Thomas     |
| 36) "Lipstick On Your Collar"              | _____ | F) Dean Martin      |
| 37) "That's Amore"                         | _____ | G) Kay Starr        |
| 38) "White Christmas"                      | _____ | H) Connie Francis   |
| 39) "Come on-a My House"                   | _____ | I) Nat King Cole    |
| 40) "If I Didn't Care"                     | _____ | J) Tommy Dorsey     |



**Connie Francis**



**Kay Starr**



**Rosemary  
Clooney**

## Match the Names of These Singers to their Photo



41) Nat King Cole \_\_\_\_\_

46) Vaughn Monroe \_\_\_\_\_

42) Robert Goulet \_\_\_\_\_

47) Tennessee Ernie Ford \_\_\_\_\_

43) Bobby Darin \_\_\_\_\_

48) Perry Como \_\_\_\_\_

44) Andy Williams \_\_\_\_\_

49) Frankie Laine \_\_\_\_\_

45) Buck Owens \_\_\_\_\_

50) Which of these was the co-host of *Hee-Haw*? \_\_\_\_\_

## Fill in the Blank Questions

51) In the movie *The Wizard of Oz*, how does Dorothy destroy the Wicked Witch of the West?

52) What became the most famous telephone number in the world after Glenn Miller used it as the title of a huge hit song in 1940?

53) What Chicago gangster was the primary target of G-Man Elliot Ness?

54) What is the title of the Jimmy Driftwood song (made famous in 1959 after being recorded by Johnny Horton) that begins, "In 1814 we took a little trip?"

55) Beginning in the 1940s and 1950s, the initials "D.J." were frequently used of radio announcers. What do those letters stand for?

56) Marcus Welby, Ben Casey, Rex Morgan, and "Bones" McCoy were all in what profession?

57) Dooley Wilson sang "As Time Goes By" in what classic 1942 movie starring (among others) Humphrey Bogart and Ingrid Bergman?

58) What is the theme song of Roy Rogers and Dale Evans?



59) What children's game is illustrated in the photo at left?

60) In what city would you find Big Ben, Tower Bridge, and St. Paul's Cathedral?

## **The Answers!**

- 1) B
- 2) A
- 3) C
- 4) C
- 5) A
- 6) C
- 7) D
- 8) B
- 9) D
- 10) C
- 11) A
- 12) B
- 13) B
- 14) C
- 15) A
- 16) B
- 17) D
- 18) C
- 19) D
- 20) A
- 21) B
- 22) C
- 23) A

- 24) D
- 25) A
- 26) C
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- 29) A
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- 31) E
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- 33) I
- 34) J
- 35) A
- 36) H
- 37) F
- 38) B
- 39) D
- 40) C
- 41) 6
- 42) 2
- 43) 7
- 44) 5
- 45) 8
- 46) 4

- 47) 1
- 48) 9
- 49) 3
- 50) 8
- 51) She threw water on her and the witch melted.
- 52) "Pennsylvania 6-5000"
- 53) Al Capone
- 54) "The Battle of New Orleans"
- 55) Disc Jockey
- 56) Medical doctors
- 57) *Casablanca*
- 58) "Happy Trails"
- 59) Hopscotch
- 60) London, England