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The Ultimate History Quiz!  
Answer Sheet

1. Who was queen of England in 1900? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What year was the Battle of Hastings? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Who won the Battle of Hastings? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Why weren't the Olympic Games held in 1944? \_\_\_\_\_
5. In which country did Joan of Arc lead an army? \_\_\_\_\_
6. What took place for the first time in 1839 in Aintree?  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. What was Robert Peel famous for? \_\_\_\_\_
8. What sport did Babe Ruth play? \_\_\_\_\_
9. What was the name of the first person to set foot on the moon? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Who refused to give up her seat on the bus in 1955? \_\_\_\_\_
11. Which country held the first Olympic Games? \_\_\_\_\_
12. Which American city did Al Capone control? \_\_\_\_\_
13. Who invented the Model T car? \_\_\_\_\_
14. Which country did the Zulus come from? \_\_\_\_\_
15. What was Muhammed Ali famous for? \_\_\_\_\_
16. What was Florence Nightingale's job? \_\_\_\_\_
17. Which famous wall was built in 1961? \_\_\_\_\_
18. Which famous passenger ship was sunk in 1915? \_\_\_\_\_
19. This picture of a famous King is in the Walker Art Gallery in Liverpool. Who is he? \_\_\_\_\_
20. Who was the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic Ocean?  
\_\_\_\_\_
21. Who was Anne Hathaway married to?  
\_\_\_\_\_
22. Who shot JFK? \_\_\_\_\_
23. Which people wrote in hieroglyphics? \_\_\_\_\_
24. How many women was Jack the Ripper known to have murdered? \_\_\_\_\_
25. Where was Stalin the leader of? \_\_\_\_\_
26. When did WWII end? \_\_\_\_\_
27. Which country bombed Pearl Harbour? \_\_\_\_\_
28. Who shot Lee Harvey Oswald? \_\_\_\_\_
29. Who invented the telephone? \_\_\_\_\_
30. Who was the 1st ever President of the United States of America? \_\_\_\_\_
31. When did the Romans first invade Britain? \_\_\_\_\_





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32. What is the name of the only British female prime minister? \_\_\_\_\_
33. Which famous ship sunk in 1912? \_\_\_\_\_
34. In what year did the first man land on the moon? \_\_\_\_\_
35. What did Thomas Adams invent accidentally in 1869? \_\_\_\_\_
36. Which country was Napoleon the ruler of? \_\_\_\_\_
37. What was the name of Henry VIII's first wife? \_\_\_\_\_
38. No 59 Rodney Street in Liverpool was once occupied by Edward Chambre Hardman. What was he famous for?  
\_\_\_\_\_
39. What colour was Elizabeth I's wedding dress?  
\_\_\_\_\_
40. Why did Hiroshima become well-known during World War II?  
\_\_\_\_\_
41. Which band did John, Paul, George and Ring form? \_\_\_\_\_
42. In which year did Elizabeth II become queen? \_\_\_\_\_
43. Who discovered penicillin? \_\_\_\_\_
44. Which was the first country to give women the right to vote? \_\_\_\_\_
45. What was a Penny Black? \_\_\_\_\_
46. What year did WWI break out? \_\_\_\_\_
47. What famous book did J. M. Barrie write? \_\_\_\_\_
48. Who wrote the book 'Oliver Twist'? \_\_\_\_\_
49. Who was the last woman to be executed in Britain? \_\_\_\_\_
50. Benito Mussolini was the leader of which country? \_\_\_\_\_
51. Who is this famous American black civil rights leader? \_\_\_\_\_
52. In ancient Greece, who was the king of the Gods? \_\_\_\_\_
53. In which year were the twin towers destroyed? \_\_\_\_\_



Can you identify these famous people in history?

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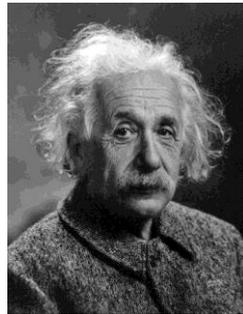
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ANSWERS

1. Queen Victoria
2. 1066
3. William of Normandy
4. World War II
5. France
6. Grand National
7. Created police force
8. baseball
9. Neil Armstrong
10. Rosa Parks
11. Greece
12. Chicago
13. Henry Ford
14. South Africa
15. boxing
16. nurse
17. Berlin Wall
18. Lusitania
19. Henry VIII
20. Amelia Earhart
21. Shakespeare
22. Lee Harvey Oswald
23. Egyptians
24. 5
25. Russia
26. 1945
27. Japan
28. Jack Ruby
29. Alexander Graham Bell
30. George Washington
31. 55 BC
32. Margaret Thatcher
33. Titanic
34. 1969
35. Chewing Gum



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36. France
37. Catherine of Aragon
38. Photography
39. She didn't have one!
40. Atomic bomb
41. The Beatles
42. 1952
43. Alexander Fleming
44. New Zealand
45. Stamp
46. 1914
47. Peter Pan
48. Charles Dickens
49. Ruth Ellis
50. Italy
51. Martin Luther King
52. Zeus
53. 2001
54. Elizabeth I
55. Winston Churchill
56. Tony Blair
57. John Lennon
58. Albert Einstein
59. Elvis Presley
60. Princess Diana