## ONLINE QUIZ LEAGUE

FRIENDLY set by Andy Kravis
Do not play as official match!

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## Round 1

| 1a | What Texas-based regional fast-food chain is known for its trademark <br> orange-and-white-striped containers, patty melts served on Texas <br> toast, and Dr Pepper milkshakes? | WHATABURGER |
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| 1b | Which philosopher coined the term "deconstruction" to refer to a lens of <br> analysis that challenges widely understood binaries in Western <br> thought? He laid much of the groundwork for deconstructionism in his <br> seminal work "On Grammatology" (or "De Grammatologie" in his native <br> language. | JACQUES DERRRIDA |
| 2a | What alliterative breed of terrier native to Scotland has a distinctive <br> topknot of hair on its head, and is named for a character in Sir Walter <br> Scott's novel "Guy Mannering"? | DANDIE DINMONT TERRIER |
| 2b | Quarterback Bart Starr spent his entire 16-year NFL career playing for <br> what team that won Super Bowls I Ind II? | $\underline{\text { GREEN BAY PACKERS (accept }}$ either underlined portion) |

Round 2

| 1a | Straddling the Argentina-Chile border and standing over 22,600 feet <br> tall, what is the tallest active volcano in the world? | NEVADA OJOS DEL SALADO |
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| 1b | What American singer-songwriter was nominated for the 1989 Song of <br> the Year Grammy for her breakout hit "Fast Car"? Although she has <br> never publicly disclosed her sexuality, author Alice Walker has said <br> she was in a relationship with this singer in the nineties. | TRACY CHAPMAN |
| 2a | What is the American word for the vegetable the British call a <br> courgette? | ZUCCHINI |
| 2b | What eighties and nineties CBS series starred Joe Penny and William <br> Conrad as, respectively, a happy-go-lucky special investigator, and a <br> hardboiled Hawaiian cop-turned-district attorney? | JAKE AND THE FATMAN |
| 3a | The treaty ending the War of the Spanish Succession was signed in <br> what Dutch city in 1713? | UTRECHT |
| 3b | What "academic" video game character explores a "Curious Village" <br> with his assistant, Luke, in a 2008 puzzle adventure game that <br> spawned several sequels and spin-offs? | PROFESSOR LAYTON (his first <br> name is Hershel, if anyone tries to <br> show off) |
| 4a | "Send in the Clowns" is a melancholy solo number sung by Desiree <br> near the end of what 1973 Stephen Sondheim musical, which was <br> inspired by the Ingmar Bergman film "Smiles of a Summer Night"? | A LITTLE NIGHT MUSIC |
| 4b | While Bloemfontein is the judicial capital and Cape Town is the <br> administrative capital, what city is the executive capital of South Africa? | PRETORIA |

## Round 3

| 1a | Because it contains four Z's, what seven-letter word meaning "the <br> quality of being attractive, exciting, or glamorous" is impossible to play <br> in Scrabble, even with both blank tiles? | PIZZAZZ |
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| 1b | In 2018, a group of four freshman U.S. representatives, all left-wing <br> Democratic women of color, became collectively known as "The <br> Squad." Of those four Representatives, which one represents <br> Michigan's 13th congressional district? | RASHIDA TLAIB |
| 2a | In 2020, what Booker Prize-winning historical-fiction author released <br> "The Mirror and the Light," the last novel in her Thomas Cromwell <br> trilogy? | HILARY MANTEL |
| 2b | In human anatomy, what name is given to the section of the small <br> intestine that lies between the duodenum and the ileum? | JEJUNUM |
| 3a | What Scandinavian rock band has had only two Top 20 hits in the U.S.: <br> "Never My Love," and their 1974 cover of B.J. Thomas's "Hooked on a <br> Feeling"? | BLUE SWEDE |
| 3b | "To strive, to seek, to find, and not to yield"; "'Tis better to have loved <br> and lost than never to have loved at all"; and "Theirs is not to reason <br> why: Theirs is but to do and die" -- these are all lines written by what <br> English poet who lived from 1809 to 1892? | ALFRED, LORD TENNYSON |
| 4a | After English, Spanish, and Chinese, what language is the fourth-most- <br> commonly spoken language in U.S. homes? A common greeting in this <br> language is "Kamusta" [KAH-moo-STAH]. | TAGALOG (accept FILIPINO) |
| 4b | What South Korean educational brand created the most-viewed <br> YouTube video of all time? Their recording of "Baby Shark" has been <br> viewed over 7.25 billion times. | PINKFONG |

Round 4

| 1a | One of the foremost Color Field painters of the mid-20th century, what <br> American artist's works include the paintings "Colors for a Large Wall" <br> and "The Meschers," as well as the sculpture "White Curves"? He was <br> mentored by, and briefly in a relationship with, fellow artist Robert <br> Indiana. | ELLSWORTH KELLY |
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| 1b | Former "Queer Eye for the Straight Guy" cast member Carson <br> Kressley has, since Season 7, been a judge on what reality <br> competition show? On this show, contestants who are at risk of being <br> eliminated must "lip sync for their lives." | RUPAUL'S DRAG RACE |
| 2a | What 2018 horror film, the directorial debut of Ari Aster, stars Toni <br> Collette as Annie Graham, a woman haunted by mysterious events <br> following the death of her secretive mother? | HEREDITARY |
| 2b | What term, named for a Swedish physicist, is the SI derived unit of <br> equivalent dose of ionizing radiation? It is equal to 100 rem. | SIEVERT |
| 3a | Will Shortz has served as the editor of which feature of the New York <br> Times since 1993? | THE CROSSWORD PUZZLE <br> (prompt on "puzzles" or "games") |
| 3b | After remarrying, the title character begins seeing the ghost of her late, <br> free-spirited husband, in "Dona Flor and Her Two Husbands," a 1966 <br> novel by what celebrated Brazilian author of "Gabriela, Clove and <br> Cinnamon"? | JORGE AMADO |
| 4a | Sunni Ali established the capital of what African empire at Gao? This <br> empire dominated western Africa in the 15th and 16th centuries. | $\underline{\text { SONGHAI }}$ |
| 4b | Vrikshasana [vrik-SHAH-suh-nuh] is a yoga pose that involves <br> standing on one leg, with the other foot placed on the inner thigh, and <br> both hands reaching to the sky. This pose's English name comes from <br> its resemblance to what kind of natural object? | TREE |

## HALF TIME - SWITCH ORDER

## Round 5

| $1 a$ | After English, Spanish, Chinese, and Tagalog, what language is the <br> fifth-most-commonly spoken language in U.S. homes? A common <br> greeting in this language is "Xin chào" [SEEN-TCHAO]. |
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## VIETNAMESE

| 1b | What Indian music company has the most subscribers of any YouTube <br> channel worldwide, with over 160 million? | T-SERIES |
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| 2a | What Beethoven piano work, in C-sharp minor and marked Quasi una <br> fantasia, gets its popular name from music critic Ludwig Rellstab, who <br> wrote that its first movement mimicked the effect of a certain <br> phenomenon shining on Lake Lucerne? | MOONLIGHT SONATA (accept <br> PIANO SONATA NO. 14) |
| 2b | What eighties CBS series starred Bruce Boxleitner and Kate Jackson <br> as, respectively, as a secret agent and a housewife who become <br> professionally and romantically entangled? | SCARECROW AND MRS. KING |
| 3a | Straddling the Veracruz-Puebla border and standing over 18,400 feet <br> tall, what stratovolcano is the tallest peak in Mexico, and the third- <br> tallest in North America behind Denali and Mount Logan? | PICO DE ORIZABA (or <br> CITLALTÉPETL, prompt on <br> "Orizaba") <br> 3b <br> While Sucre is the constitutional capital, what city is the seat of <br> government and executive capital of Bolivia? <br> 4a <br> What alliterative dog breed native to Southern Africa is named for its <br> place of origin (which no longer exists) as well as a distinctive stripe of <br> hair on its body? <br> 4b <br> What Canadian folk singer was nominated for the 1993 Song of the <br> Year Grammy for her breakout hit "Constant Craving"? She came out <br> Yeat lesbian the same year, which led many radio stations to ban her <br> music. |

Round 6

| 1a | What is the American word for the vegetable the British call an <br> aubergine? | EGGPLANT |
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| 1b | With five golds and two silvers, Martin Fourcade is France's most <br> decorated Olympic athlete. In what winter sport did Fourcade earn <br> those medals before retiring in 2020? | BIATHLON (do not accept or <br> prompt on any individual skiing or <br> shooting events) |
| 2a | What Wisconsin-based regional fast-casual chain is known for its blue- <br> roofed restaurants, as well as serving "Butterburgers," cheese curds, <br> and frozen custard? | CULVER'S |
| 2b | In Judaism, what "h"-word is the book that is read during, and sets out <br> the proceedings of, the Passover Seder? It contains, among other <br> things, the Four Questions. | HAGGADAH |
| 3a | What Dutch rock band, despite having dozens of top ten hits in the <br> Netherlands, has had only two Top 20 hits in the U.S.: "Twilight Zone," <br> and 1973's "Radar Love"? | GOLDEN EARRING |
| 3b | What term, named for a German engineer, is the SI derived unit of <br> electrical conductance? It is equivalent to the reciprocal of ohms. | SIEMENS |
| 4a | Osei Tutu established the capital of what African empire at Kumasi? <br> The peak of this empire's power came in the 18th and 19th centuries, <br> and it was centered in what is now Ghana. | $\underline{\text { ASHANTI (or ASANTE or }}$ |
| 4b | Former "Queer Eye for the Straight Guy" cast member Ted Allen now <br> hosts what Food Network competition show? On this show, chefs must <br> create a dish using a basket of four mystery ingredients that usually do <br> not pair well together. | CHOPPED |

## Round 7

| 1a | "The Ladies Who Lunch" is a melancholy solo number sung by Joanne <br> near the end of what 1970 Stephen Sondheim musical, which saw a <br> gender-swapped revival premiere on the West End in 2018? | COMPANY |
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| 1b | "Hope springs eternal in the human breast"; "A little learning is a <br> dangerous thing"; and "To err is human; to forgive, divine" -- these are <br> all lines written by what English poet who lived from 1688 to 1744? | ALEXANDER POPE |
| 2a | In 2017, what Hugo Award-winning author released "The Stone Sky," <br> the last novel in her Broken Earth trilogy? | NORA KEITA (N.K.) JEMISIN |
| 2b | Which philosopher and social theorist coined the term "biopower" (or <br> "biopouvoir" in his native language) to describe the ways in which <br> nations control the bodies of their subjects? The term was first written <br> in the first volume of his seminal work "The History of Sexuality." | MICHEL FOUCAULT |


| 3a | What 2018 film, the directorial debut of Boots Riley, stars Lakeith <br> Stanfield as Cash Green, a young black telemarketer who adopts a <br> white-sounding accent in order to climb the corporate ladder? | SORRY TO BOTHER YOU |
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| 3b | Chakravakasana [SHAH-kruh-vuh-KAH-suh-nuh] is a yoga pose on <br> hands and knees that flows between two positions: one with an arched <br> spine called "cow pose," and the other with a rounded spine, whose <br> English name comes from its resemblance to what animal? | CAT |
| 4a | Because it contains four K's, what ten-letter word meaning "a small <br> object displayed for its attractiveness or interest" is impossible to play <br> in Scrabble, even with both blank tiles? | KNICKKNACK |
| 4b | In 2018, a group of four freshman U.S. representatives, all left-wing <br> Democratic women of color, became collectively known as "The <br> Squad." Of those four Representatives, which one represents <br> Massachusetts's 7th congressional district? | AYANNA PRESSLEY |

## Round 8

| 1a | Billy Wilder's final competitive Oscar nomination came for the <br> screenplay of what 1966 comedy, the first on-screen collaboration of <br> Jack Lemmon and Walter Matthau? It stars Matthau as a conniving <br> lawyer who encourages his brother-in-law, played by Lemmon, to <br> trump up a minor injury to win a big insurance settlement. | THE FORTUNE COOKIE |
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| 1b | In human anatomy, what adjective describes the twelve vertebrae that <br> lie below the cervical vertebrae and above the lumbar vertebrae? | THORACIC |
| 2a | One of the foremost Color Field painters of the mid-20th century, what <br> American artist's works include the "Onement" series of paintings, the <br> painting "Who's Afraid of Red, Yellow and Blue", and the sculpture <br> "Broken Obelisk"? | BARNETT NEWMAN |
| 2b | Before playing his final season with the Los Angeles Rams, <br> quarterback Joe Namath spent the first 12 seasons of his NFL career <br> playing for what team that won Super Bowl III? | NEW YORK JETS (prompt on <br> "New York") |
| 3a | Dame Anna Wintour has served as the editor-in-chief of what American <br> fashion magazine since 1988? | VOGUE |
| 3b | The title character suffers a psychological crisis after stepping on a <br> cockroach in "The Passion According to G.H.," a 1964 novel by what <br> celebrated Brazilian author of "Água Viva"? | CLARICE LISPECTOR |
| 4a | The treaty ending the War of 1812 was signed in what Belgian city in <br> 1814? | GHENT |
| 4b | What titular video game character, described as an "Ace Attorney," <br> squares off against prosecutor Miles Edgeworth in a 2001 visual-novel <br> adventure game that would spawn several sequels and spin-offs? | PHOENIX WRIGHT (prompt on <br> adhoenix") |

## Spare Questions

| 1 | Although its legislative capital is Sri Jayewardenepura Kotte, what city <br> is the executive capital of, and largest city in, Sri Lanka? | COLOMBO |
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| 2 | The 2020 single "Holiday" is the first release by what 21-year-old <br> rapper since his EP "7," which featured hits like "Panini" and "Rodeo"? | LIL NAS X |
| 3 | What actress starred as Dr. Sydney Hansen on the NBC drama <br> "Providence"? She would later go on to play Detective Stella Bonasera <br> on "CSI: NY." | MELINA KANAKAREDES |
| 4 | The L.A.B. is a term used by geophysicists to describe the boundary <br> between the Earth's crust and the upper mantle. The "L" in L.A.B <br> stands for lithosphere; what does the "A" stand for? | ASTHENOSPHERE |

