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Golden Oldies

Estimated play time: Varies

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad

Suitable for visually impaired players.

Overview:

Given the first few words of a popular classic song, can you complete the line or stanza – without making a single mistake?

Instructions:

1. This game can be played by individuals or in teams.
2. Read the first clue. Discussion is permitted among teammates. Prior to the start of the game, a method to signal when a player/team is ready to answer must be determined. Ringing bells and New Year's blowers are just two inexpensive noisemakers. Raised hands work, but the host must be vigilant to watch for whose hand went up first. The host always has the final say in any disputes.
3. After a player/team is recognized as the first to signal, they may give an answer. If the first answer is incorrect, the others may 'buzz' in and answer.
4. Keep score (10 points for each answer) after each question is answered correctly. Play until all questions have been asked and answered.

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QUESTIONS

1. "You must remember this ..."
2. "Got no diamond, got no pearl, Still I think I'm a lucky girl ..."
3. "Oh, the shark, babe, has such teeth, dear ..."
4. "Them that's got shall get. Them that's not shall lose ..."
5. "Failing in love again ..."
6. "She gets too hungry for dinner at eight ..."
7. "Grab your coat ..."
8. "Well, since my baby left me, I found a new place to dwell ..."
9. "Someday, when I'm awfully low ..."
10. "I'll be seeing you in all the old, familiar places ..."
11. "You got to ac-cent-tchu-ate the positive ..."
12. "Missed the Saturday dance. Heard they crowded the floor ..."
13. "I found my thrill ..."
14. "When you walk through a storm ..."
15. "Folks are dumb where I come from. They ain't had any learnin' ..."
16. "Come on along and listen to ..."

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ANSWERS

1. “ ... a kiss is just a kiss, a sigh is just a sigh. The fundamental things apply, as time goes by.”
2. “... I got the sun in the morning and the moon at night.”
3. “ ... and it shows them pearly white.”
4. “... so the Bible said and it still is news. Mama may have, and Papa may have. But God bless the child that's got his own.”
5. “... never wanted to. What am I to do? Can't help it.”
6. “... she likes the theater, and never comes late. She'd never bother with people she'd hate. That's why the lady is a tramp.”
7. “... and get your hat. Leave your worries on the doorstep. Just direct your feet, to the sunny side of the street.”
8. “... It's down at the end of Lonely Street at Heartbreak Hotel.”
9. “... when the world is cold, I will feel a glow just thinking of you, and the way you look tonight.”
10. “... that this heart of mine embraces all day through.”
11. “... e-lim-i-nate the negative; latch on to the affirmative; don't mess with Mister in-between.”
12. “... I couldn't bear it without you. Don't get around much anymore.”
13. “... on Blueberry Hill. On Blueberry Hill, where I found you.”
14. “... hold your head up high, and don't be afraid of the dark. At the end of the storm is a golden sky, and the sweet silver song of a lark.”
15. “... Still they're happy as can be, doin' what comes natur'lly.”
16. “... the lullaby of Broadway. The hip-hooray and ballyhoo. The lullaby of Broadway.”