

Stewart



Colbert

The Epic Hour Bonus

The Daily Show with Jon Stewart

From the picture, name the “Daily Show” correspondents, past and present:



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In what recurring segment does/did Stewart...

11. ...cover the campaign season during which Bush sought re-election?
12. ...report upon unrest in the Fertile Crescent?
13. ...reveal fascinating oddities about the previous Vice President?
14. ...show off the superlative qualities of his team of correspondents?
15. ...give advice to his younger viewers?

From the description below of an uncomfortable interview, name the person(s) with whom Stewart spoke:

16. Guest A, a cable news personality, having feuded with Stewart in response to Stewart's skewering of his network for giving poor financial advice, comes on the show to explain himself. Despite his apologetics, Stewart tells him that the economy is "not a fucking game."

17. Guest B, another cable news personality, comes on promoting a book in which he claims that the perception that Presidents care about their constituents is more important than them actually caring about them. Stewart calls this attitude Machiavellian and anti-democratic. (The next night, Stewart is chewed out by Ted Koppel.)

18. Stewart is interviewed by Hosts C on their show, and abruptly and angrily tells them that program's style of squabbling over sound bites and talking points is "hurting America." The program is cancelled soon after.

19. Former government official D arrives on the show to debate healthcare legislation, and the two spend fifteen exacerbating minutes debating the semantics of one small subsection that purportedly creates "death panels."

20. Former government Official E arrives on the show, discussing the moral conflicts surrounding a set of legal briefs he had prepared. Stewart attempts to trip him up, but fails and later compares the interview to "interviewing sand" and "wrestling with Jello."

America: The Book

21. Who pens the book's introduction?
22. What British royal intermittently is quoted making obscene comments about our national history?

23. Why does the book label its “fun fact” sidebars “Were You Aware?”, rather than the usual title for such tidbits?

Miscellaneous

24. When the show revamped its set, the giant heads of what two news personalities appeared intermittently behind Stewart’s desk?

25. Stewart got into a weeklong mini-spat with the hosts of what show over their overt product placement? What product were they endorsing?

The Colbert Report

Name these alter-egos of Stephen Colbert:



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In which recurring segment does/did Stephen...

31. ... interview sitting Congresspeople?

32. ... attempt to sell the products of Prescott Pharmaceuticals?

33. ... speculate on the details of his top-secret, Army-sponsored visit to the Middle East?

34. ... discuss the 3-5 things of which you should most be terrified?

35. ... report on his efforts to qualify for the American Olympic team?

Colbert and Music

36. What was the name of the restraining-order-inducing New Wave hit that Stephen recorded in the 1980s?

37. What rock group did Stephen challenge to a guitar duel? Who arrived at the last minute to take Stephen's place and play for him?

38. What song did Stephen record to one-up his Asian pop-star rival Rain? How did the two settle their feud?

39. In his Christmas special, Stephen sang backup to a sultry ballad about...what? With whom did he duet?

40. For what song, performed by what musical interviewee, did Stephen (clad in a Brooks Brothers hoodie) rap a guest verse about upper-middle-class commuters?

41. Of what singer was Stephen immensely jealous for beating him out of an Emmy, until the two signed a peace treaty?

I Am America (And So Can You!)

42. On the inner flap on the hardcover edition, Stephen is depicted as what fictional character, doing what?

43. Why does the book use several differently-sized typefaces in one chapter?

44. Each chapter begins with Stephen in a different pose/costume—except for two that start with the same picture. What two chapters are these, and what does Stephen wear in the picture?

Miscellaneous Colbert

45. Who is Stephen's "life partner"?

46. In what state did Stephen attempt to run for president in 2008? What company attempted to sponsor his campaign?

47. What was the name of the "cause" to which Stephen devoted a bracelet campaign?

48. What is Stephen Colbert's "Formula 401"?

49. What three things do Stephen and Prescott recommend you stockpile during an economic recession?

50. In 2006, Stephen caused a particular Wikipedia article to be flooded with attempted edits, causing Wikipedia editors to "lock" that article for some time. What was the article, and what change did people keep trying to make to it?

BONUS—JOINT STEWART-COLBERT QUESTIONS!

51. Give the two different names Stewart and Colbert gave to their respective coverages of the 2008 Democratic primaries.
52. During the writers' strike, Stewart and Colbert got into a mock feud, culminating in a comically violent three-way showdown, with what other comic? Over what were they purportedly fighting?
53. While on *The Daily Show*, Colbert had a recurring segment with Steve Carrell entitled what?
54. Colbert most prominently made Stewart crack up on-air by claiming his father had once held what humble profession?
55. *The Daily Show* was threatened with a lawsuit about a Colbert-led segment in which they compared what to Nazi Germany?