

## Richard Nixon

A Nixon-based bonus that doesn't ask any questions about his presidency.

### Part 1: Richard Nixon

Answer these questions about Nixon's life before his presidency.

1. Nixon was born in California. In what Orange County city was he born?
2. Nixon and Ken Starr are both alumni of the law school of what ACC basketball powerhouse?
3. Nixon married his wife, Pat, in 1940. However, Pat is a nickname. What is Pat Nixon's given name?
4. Name both of Nixon's daughters.
5. As a member of HUAC, Nixon worked with Whittaker Chambers to convict what alleged Soviet spy of perjury?
6. Nixon gave the Checkers speech in 1952 regarding a dog his kids had named. What breed of dog was Checkers?
7. In 1953, Nixon got promoted to what naval rank, equivalent to a lieutenant colonel in the US Army?
8. Nixon was elected Vice President in 1952 and 1956, defeating two Democratic candidates for Vice President. Name either.
9. Nixon lost the 1962 California gubernatorial race to what incumbent whose son was governor of California twice?
10. The 1968 Democratic National Convention was notoriously held in Chicago. However, Nixon received the 1968 Republican nomination at a much less eventful convention in what Florida city?

### Part 2: Fake Dick

Nixon has appeared a lot in fiction. Here are some quotes from works of fiction where Nixon has appeared. Please tell us what these quotes are from. (Oh, and one more thing: as a twist, one of these quotes is a real thing Nixon said!)

11. "I think the moon is far enough for now. Don't you, Mr. Delaware?"
12. "BASTARDS! It's okay if I say it."
13. "Five-card stud taught me a lot about mankind. Speak softly and don't show your hand became my motto."
14. "Could we please investigate some of the cocksuckers?"
15. "Yes! I, I can dig it!"
16. "One potato, two potato, three potato...BLAM!"
17. "Oh, no, no, no, no. I know of a much nicer hotel. It's brand new. Very modern. I'll have my people take care of it for you."
18. "YOU DON'T MESS WITH THE BIG BOYS!"

19. "I don't want to say anything negative about that Kennedy boy. I'm sure he's a real nice fellow. But do you really want that spoiled rich son-of-a-bitch fuck to be your next president?"
20. "Liking people. And being liked. That...facility you have with people. That lightness. That charm. I don't have it. Never have."

### Part 3: Richard Nixon Back Again

Answer these questions about Nixon's life after his presidency.

21. Fill in the six words from this quote from Gerald Ford's swearing-in ceremony regarding Nixon: "My fellow Americans, \_\_\_\_\_. Our Constitution works; our great republic is a government of laws and not of men. Here the people rule."
22. Speaking of Gerald Ford, he used *Burdick v. United States* to justify what Nixon-centric action?
23. The first book Nixon wrote after his presidency was subtitled "The Memoirs of Richard Nixon." What two letters comprised the main title?
24. Nixon lived in both Saddle River and Park Ridge, two New Jersey boroughs in what New York-adjacent county?
25. Nixon went with Ford and Carter to the funeral of what assassinated head of state?
26. Which living former US president did not attend the 1990 opening of the Richard Nixon Library and Birthplace?
27. Shortly before his death in 1994, Nixon founded the Nixon Center for Peace and Freedom. This think tank still exists, albeit under a different name. What's the new name?
28. At 19 years, 256 days, Nixon had the ninth-longest presidential retirement. For a half-point a piece, name the eight presidents with longer retirement periods.

### Part 4: You Remind Me Of Dick

Who's the only president, aside from Nixon, that...

29. ...had a surname that started and ended with the same letter?
30. ...was born in a state whose name starts with a C?
31. ...signed a SALT treaty?
32. ...was president when Jack Lemmon won an acting Oscar?
33. ...was president for between 5.5 and 6 years?
34. ...won 49 states in a single election?
35. ...served as vice president before he was 45?
36. ...died due to a stroke in New York City?
37. ...had an X somewhere in his first, middle, or last name?
38. ...appeared on five major party presidential tickets?
39. ...had a middle name that ended in S?
40. ...had a vice president resign while he was president?
41. ...was president when Cher had a solo #1 on the Billboard charts?



