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- 1) Warning: year and team required. Throughout the season, this team wore a decal with the number 91 in memory of defensive end Marquise Hill. This team's quarterback openly admitted that they were trying to "kill" and "blow out" their opponents. In December, Mercury Morris went onto *Sportscenter* to perform a "diss" rap aimed at this team. In September, the Jets accused them of videotaping defensive signals, touching off the Spygate scandal. Wes Welker had 1,175 yards receiving while Randy Moss caught 23 of Tom Brady's 50 touchdown passes. For ten points, name the only NFL team to ever finish a regular season 16-0. ANSWER: 2007 New England Patriots
- 2) In this film, Whitey Duvall saves the protagonist from jail by convincing the judge to sentence him to community service coaching basketball, while Rob Schneider makes a minor appearance as the voice of a Mr. Chang, a waiter. The title of this movie comes from the fact that, throughout the course of this movie, several characters celebrate Hanukkah. Davey antagonizes fraternal twin midgets Whitey and Elanor in, for ten points, what animated film starring Adam Sandler?

ANSWER: Eight Crazy Nights

3) The name's the same. David McCullough released a book by this name in 2005. That book revolves around the same events as an Avalon Hill wargame of this name, in which you can invade Canada. Sherman Edwards composed the music for the musical of this name, which was later turned into a film of the same name starring William Daniels and Howard Da Silva. Minor characters in the musical and film include Richard Henry Lee, Edward Rutledge, and John Hancock. All of these share, for ten points, what title, a reference to the year in which the Declaration of Independence was signed?

**ANSWER: 1776** 

- 4) An early version of this song appeared on the album *Hotel for Women*. Often misattributed to *They Might be Giants*, several parodies of this song have been created, such as Luke Ski's version about characters on The Simpsons, or David Nielsen's version about the Presidents. Singer Marc Campbell tells us that Deborah was a Catholic girl, Xylla was the voodoo queen of rap, Linda was an alcoholic, Brenda had a a fetish for long fruits, and that Judy was a scientist. The Nails became a one-hit wonder with, for ten points, what new-wave techno song which consists entirely of two-sentence statements about the titular number of women? ANSWER: "88 Lines About 44 Women"
- 5) The protagonists of this TV show use a communication system embedded in Harry's brain to report back to their boss, The Big Giant Head. Kristen Johnson plays Sally, while Joseph Gordon-Levitt and French Stewart play Sally's children Tommy and Harry. The title of this television show refers to Earth, the planet on which this show is set. Centering on a team of alien researchers disguised as a Jewish family in Ohio, this is for ten points what NBC sitcom also starring John Lithgow as High Commander Dick?

ANSWER: 3rd Rock from the Sun

6) In 1909, Neal Ball became was the first person to accomplish this feat. Between June 1927 to September 1992, only one person did it, although seven more people have done it since then. In 1920, Bill Wambsganss [Wah-mmms-grass] became the only person to do it in the World Series. This feat is rarer than a perfect game, and it is almost always done by a second baseman or shortstop. Only twice has it caused a game to end, including the most recent one, by Eric Bruntlett in August 2009. For ten points, what is this play in which one person makes all three outs in an inning?

ANSWER: <u>Unassisted Triple Play</u> (do not accept <u>Triple Play</u>)

- 7) This concept album, set in Detroit, is named for the song on its second track. This album is a rock opera divided into three acts, the second of which, Charlatans and Saints, centers on the singer's concerns about reaching middle-age. The first act, Heroes and Cons, consists of songs such as "Before the Lobotomy", "Christian's Inferno", and "Know Your Enemy." Five years in the making, this album followed up the band's previous album, *American Idiot*. Featuring the songs "21 Guns", "East Jesus Nowhere", and "American Eulogy" and written by Billie Joe Armstrong, this is for ten points what Green Day album set in its titular century? ANSWER: 21st Century Breakdown
- 8) One of this television show's titular objects prohibits honking the car's horn, and another prohibits complaining about time spent waiting. Based on a book by W. Bruce Cameron, minor characters on this show include Coach Scott, Missy Kleinfeld, and Kyle Anderson, who frequently hangs around with Rory Hennessy. Centering on Paul Hennessy's concerns for his daughters Bridget and Kerry, this is for ten points what 2002-2005 ABC sitcom starring John Ritter?

ANSWER: 8 Simple Rules for Dating My Teenage Daughter

9) The second level of this video game features a murder which later turns out to have been faked. This game contains two bonus stages, "Aztec Complex" and "Egyptian Temple," that are unlocked after the game has been beaten on various levels of difficulty. Among the missions undertaken by the main character of this game are the investigation of a satellite control station located on an island off the coast of Siberia and a late-night rendezvous in a St. Petersburg park with the head of the Janus crime syndicate. For ten points, name this 1997 first-person shooter developed by Rare and released on the Nintendo 64 that shares its name with the James Bond film that it is based on.

ANSWER: GoldenEve 007

10) Anonymous, an anti-Scientology protest group, grew out of this website, which was founded in 2003 as an English-language version of the Futaba ["foo-tah-bah"] channel. Founded by moot, discussions occur in various forums known by their letter abbreviations, including the infamous /b ["slash-bee"] forum. The origin of many internet fads including lolcats and pedobear, this is for ten points what image board famed for its randomness and anonymity? ANSWER: 4chan.com

11) Rowan Atkinson makes a small cameo appearance in this film as the inexperienced priest Father Gerald. At the last of the titular events, Carrie tells Charles that she has divorced Hamish Banks. In an earlier scene, Matthew recited W.H. Auden's *Funeral Blues* during the funeral for Gareth, who died of a heart attack during Carrie and Hamish's wedding. Andie MacDowell plays Carrie in, for ten points, what Hugh Grant film involving five ceremonies?

ANSWER: Four Weddings and a Funeral

12) Norman Fell and Audra Lindley played Stanley and Helen Roper, landlords to the titular characters. Based on the British show *Man About the House*, this series ran on ABC from 1977 until 1984. Jack Tripper pretends to be gay in order to live with Janet Wood and Chrissy Snow. Starring Joyce DeWitt, Suzanne Somers, and John Ritter, this is for ten points what sitcom about three roommates?

ANSWER: Three's Company

13) Now sponsored by Kia, Bobby Jones won the first one in 1983. Ricky Pierce, Detlef Schrempf, and Kevin McHale are the only players to have won it twice. Ben Gordon is the only player to win it as a rookie. Only two Hall of Famers have won this award, because in order to be eligible a player must come off the bench more times than he has started. For ten points, name this basketball award named after the first player off the bench.

ANSWER: NBA Sixth Man of the Year Award

14) It was remade in Chile as My Great Years and as Days Like These in the UK, which used a verbatim script. Christina Moore played Laurie Forman for one season, after which Lisa Robin Kelly took back the role. Recurring elements on this show are the water tower, dream sequences, split screens, and a circle scene. Most of the cast left after the seventh season, and the focus of the show switched to Randy Pearson, played by Josh Meyers. Airing on Fox from 1998 until 2006, and starring Mila Kunis and Ashton Kutcher, this is for ten points what television series set in the titular decade?

ANSWER: That 70s Show

15) This book contains plenty of shootouts, including in a bank in Bern, a villa in Austria, and a theme park in Spain. This book ends with a shootout in a Brazilian rainforest, as the titular group of people hunt down environmentalists bent on releasing a modified version of Ebola nicknamed "Shiva." This book begins with three members of the titular group, Alistair Stanley, Ding Chavez, and John Clark foiling an attempted hijaking of a plane. A multinational group of soldiers combat terrorism in, for ten points, what Tom Clancy novel which inspired several video games of the same name?

ANSWER: Rainbow Six

16) In the pilot episode of this show, the family of protagonists moves from Kansas to the titular location. The father takes a job as principal of the local high school, where he deals with people like Naomi Clark, Erin Silver, and Ryan Matthews. Gabe Sachs created this show, which centers on Harry, Annie, and Dixon Wilson. Set in the same fictional universe as *Models* 

*Inc* and *Melrose Place*, this is for ten points what television series named for the zip code in Beverly Hills?

ANSWER: **90210** (Do not accept or prompt on Beverly Hills 90210)

17) An early version of this game, a favorite of Captain James Cook, was known as Captain's Mistress. It was once rumored that David Bowie created this game, but it was first sold by its current company in 1974. Milton Bradley recently released a three dimensional version of this game, which was first solved by James D. Allen in 1988. Pop Out is a variation of this game in which a player can remove his own pieces from the bottom row. This game is played on a 7 by 6 grid using colored disks. This is for ten points what game where you win by getting the titular number of disks in a row?

ANSWER: Connect Four

18) This band's 1998 album *Naked Baby Photos* consists of outtakes from their first two studio albums, including an outtake suggesting that this band's song "Philosophy" is about the frontman's penis. "Philosophy" can be found on this band's self-titled debut album, which also featured "Julianne", a song with an opening line about a girl who looks like Axl Rose. This band broke up amicably after releasing their final album, *The Unauthorized Biography of Reinhold Messner*, but re-united for a one-off concert in 2008. This was for ten points what band featuring Robert Sledge, Darren Jessee and its namesake frontman?

**ANSWER:** Ben Folds Five

- 19) In 2004, Jan Dinsdale became the first blind person to do it in at a major event. North Korean media claims that Kim Jong II routinely accomplishes this feat three or four times in a match. Norman Manley did it 59 times, the most of anyone on record. John Merrick, Greg Norman, and Tim Clark all did it at the 2009 Masters. The chances of an amateur doing it are roughly 1 in 33,000, according to the US Golf Registry. This is, for ten points, what rare accomplishment in golf in which the player hits the ball from the tee to the hole in a single shot? ANSWER: Hole in one
- 20) Cedric Yarbrough and David Koechner appear in this film during a scene that also featured the lead's wife. It marked the film debut of Mindy Kalings as Amy, the estranged exgirlfriend of David. The titular character has a poster of the band Asia, whose song *Heat of the Moment* is played during the chase scene at the end of the movie. Trish owns Net2Auction, a store which exists to sell other people's stuff on ebay. Net2Auction is located across the street from SmartTech, where the protagonist, Andy Stitzer, works. Written by Judd Apatow, this is for ten points what Steve Carell film about a middle aged virgin?

ANSWER: The 40-Year-Old Virgin

21) In 2007, this band left Universal following a nasty dispute in which they accused the label of badly pricing and distributing *Year Zero*. This band's debut album, *Pretty Hate Machine*, included the songs *Head Like a Hole*, *Terrible Lie*, and *Down in It*. Since leaving Universal, this band formed Null Corporation to release their two most recent albums, *Ghosts I–IV* and *The Slip*. Josh Freese and Alessandro Cortini are occasionally members of, for ten points, what band fronted by Trent Reznor?

## ANSWER: Nine Inch Nails

22) This Los Angeles heavy metal band was founded by guitarist Zoltan Bathory in 2005, and released their debut album, *The Way of the Fist*, in 2007. Their first single, *The Bleeding* made it to the top 200 along with their second single, *It's Never Enough*, and was followed quickly by *Stranger Than Fiction*. Named in homage to Hong Kong horror theater, this is, for ten points, heavy metal band?

ANSWER: Five-Finger Death Punch

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- 1) It's time for a trashy math bonus. Given a math problem with some cinematic numbers, calculate the numeric answer. (Note to moderator give the teams 10 seconds to answer each part)
- [10] Take the answer to Answer to Life, the Universe, and Everything, subtract the number of things I Hate About You, and then divide by the the number of Candles in a 1984 Anthony Michael Hall film to get this number that come by sea in a 1996 Sandra Bullock film.

ANSWER: **2** [(42-10)/16=2]

[10] Take the number of heads that Joe Pesci has to collect and put in a dufflebag, subtract the number of people who die in the first Rambo movie, and then subtract the number of people killed by Kevin Spacey's character in *Seven*, to get this 2001 martial arts film.

ANSWER: 1 (Accept: The One) [8-1-6=1]

[10] Take the amount of money that Dr. Evil first wants to ransom the world for, divide by the titular year of a 2008 Roland Emmerich film, and multiply by the number of kings in a 1999 George Clooney movie, to get the titular number of this Gerard Butler led war film.

ANSWER: **300** [1,000,000/10,000 \* 3=300]

- 2) Name some reality shows for ten points each
- [10] This A&E documentary show focuses on homicide detectives, who have the titular number of hours to solve a case.

ANSWER: The First 48

[10] On this Fox show, based on the British reality show Little Angels, families call in outside help to deal with their unruly children.

ANSWER: Nanny 911

[10] This TLC show stars Jim Bob and Michelle Duggar and their ridiculous number of kids.

ANSWER: 19 Kids and Counting (Accept: 17 Kids and Counting or 18 Kids and Counting)

- 3) Teams like to retire jersey numbers. For ten points each
- [10] After the Miami Heat retired this number as a tribute to Michael Jordan, Lebron James announced he was switching from this number to 6.

ANSWER: 23

[10] In basketball, this number has been retired by the most teams - most notably by the Boston Celtics for Kevin McHale, the Los Angeles Lakers for Magic Johnson and the Utah Jazz for Karl Malone.

ANSWER: 32

[10] Julius Erving is the only player to have two separate numbers retired by two separate teams, his number 6 retired by the 76ers and his number 32 retired by this team.

ANSWER: New Jersey Nets (accept either)

- 4) Name these sports video games for ten points each
- [10] Teams of three players compete in this hockey game for the Xbox 360 and Playstation 3 ANSWER: **3 on 3 NHL Arcade**
- [10] This snowboarding game for the Nintendo 64 has a "Avalanche" sequel for the Gamecube.

ANSWER: 1080° Snowboarding

[10] Avalon Style Entertainment developed this PC game where you get to race Hummers.

ANSWER: 4x4 Hummer

5) Some bands like to produce lots of number-themed songs. Given a band that has released some songs with numbers in the titles, name the band for ten points each

[10] "The One I Love", "One More Song For You", "Seven Chinese Brothers."

ANSWER: **R.E.M.** 

[10] "She's Only 18", "21st Century", "Million Miles Of Water."

ANSWER: Red Hot Chili Peppers

[10] "Three Cool Cats", "When I'm Sixty-Four", "One After 909."

ANSWER: The **Beatles** 

6) Name some movies with similar titles for ten points each.

[10] In this horror film, modeled after a comic miniseries of the same name, people of the town of Barrow, Alaska fend off vampires for the titular length of time.

ANSWER: 30 Days of Night

[10] In this romantic comedy, Matt Sullivan, played by Josh Hartnett, gives up sex for Lent.

ANSWER: 40 Days and 40 Nights

[10] This 1998 romantic comedy stars Harrison Ford as a pilot stranded in the jungle who, with the help of Robin Monroe, tries to survive while fighting off pirates.

ANSWER: Six Days, Seven Nights

7) This show revolved around members of the Fisher family. For ten points each

[10] What was this HBO show about a family-run funeral home in Los Angeles?

**ANSWER: Six Feet Under** 

[10] David Fisher was played by what actor, who currently plays serial killer Dexter Morgan on *Dexter*?

ANSWER: Michael C. Hall

[10] Six Feet Under was created what writer/director whose also wrote *American Beauty*?

ANSWER: Alan Ball

8) It was first held in 1911 and recent winners include Hélio Castroneves, Scott Dixon, and Dario Franchitti. For ten points each

[10] What is this American automobile race, held annually on memorial day?

ANSWER: Indianapolis 500 (Accept: Indy 500)

[10] The Indianapolis 500 is held in what Indiana sports facility, which can seat approximately 400,000 people.

ANSWER: Indianapolis Motor Speedway

[10] This man is tied with A.J. Foyt and Rick Mears for the most wins. His brother has won the Indianapolis 500 three times, and his son twice.

ANSWER: Al Unser Sr.

9) The singer calls the titular phone number to talk to Jenny, the women who can give him something to hold on to. For ten points each

[10] What is this song, whose titular phone number has been disconnected in almost every area code?

ANSWER: "867-5309/Jenny"

[10] "867-5309" is the one and only hit from what band, whose members include Pete Costello and Jimmy James.

**ANSWER: Tommy Tutone** 

[10] Tommy Tutone wasn't the first person to have a phone number in the title of his song. Eddie Floyd and Steve Cropper wrote this 1966 song about Soulville, USA, which was later covered by Otis Redding and Tina Turner.

ANSWER: "634-5789" (Soulsville, U.S.A.)

- 10) Show us your knowledge of two letter words and answer these questions about the board game Scrabble, for ten points each.
- [10] A normal Scrabble board consists of how many Triple Word Score tiles?

ANSWER: 8

[10] The highest score for a single word was made in 1982 for 392 points. What was that word played, meaning "native chiefs of the West Indies?"

ANSWER: Cazique

[10] The letter Z yields how many points in an English version of Scrabble?

ANSWER: 10

- 11) Give these sports nicknames, all with a certain theme:
- [10] Wayne Gretzky was given this nickname

ANSWER: The **Great One** 

[10] Relief pitcher Antonio Alfonseca was given this nickname because he had six fingers on each hand.

ANSWER: The **Octopus** 

[10] The 1996 US Women's Olympic gymnastics team, which featured Shannon Miller and Kerri Strug, was given this nickname.

ANSWER: The **Magnificent Seven** 

- 12) Name some more similarly-titled films for ten points each.
- [10] Kim Basinger and Eminem star in this semi-autobiographical 2002 film directed by Curtis Hanson.

ANSWER: 8 Mile

[10] Nicolas Cage stars in this 1999 film about a private investigator trying to determine if a snuff film is real.

ANSWER: 8mm

[10] This 1963 Federico Fellini film is about a director who has lost interest in the film he is directing.

ANSWER: 81/2

- 13) Name some things about albums that won the Grammy Award for Album of the year for ten points each.
- [10] This band won in 2006 for *How to Dismantle an Atomic Bomb*

ANSWER: U2

[10] Billy Joel won in 1980 for this album which includes the tracks "Big Shot", "Honesty", and "My Life."

ANSWER: **52nd Street** 

[10] "Rosanna", "Make Believe", and "I Won't Hold You Back" are some of the tracks on this 1983 album, the fourth album by its titular band.

ANSWER: *Toto IV* 

- 14) Human rights activists have complained that this show has too many scenes of torture. Name some things about this show for ten points each.
- [10] What is this show, in which Jack Bauer and CTU have to try to stop terrorists?

ANSWER: 24

[10] In the first season, Bauer was betrayed by what co-worker, who killed Bauer's wife before being apprehended?

ANSWER: Nina Meyers (Accept either)

[10] In season one, this character was the tech guy. He returned in season six, pretended to be head of CTU in order to protect Nadia Yassir, and was killed by Zhou.

ANSWER: Milo Pressman (Accept either)

- 15) This game, published by EA in 2002, allowed the players to choose between Scout, Assault, Medic, Engineer, and Anti-Tank as they took part in various battles of World War 2. For 10 points each
- [10] Name that DICE game, whose expansions include *Road to Rome* and *Secret Weapons of WWII*.

ANSWER: Battlefield 1942

[10] This 2009 *Battlefield* game features cartoonish graphics, easier gameplay, and was released as part of EA's "Play 4 Free" model.

ANSWER: Battlefield **Heroes** 

[10] This other *Battlefield* game, expanded by *Northern Strike*, is set in a world where an Ice Age limits the habitable land on Earth, causing a war between the European Union and the Pan Asian Coalition.

ANSWER: Battlefield 2142

- 16) The singer describes the titular year by saying that "We were sure we'd never see an end to it all." For ten points each.
- [10] What is this song, appearing on the Twilight to Starlight disc of *Melon Collie and the Infinite Sadness* whose music video features suburban teenagers driving around in a Dodge Charger?

ANSWER: "1979"

[10] 1979 is a song from what alternative rock band?

**ANSWER: Smashing Pumpkins** 

[10] In this other Smashing Pumpkins song, appearing on the Dawn to Dusk disc of *Mellon Collie*, the song opens with the lyrics "My reflection, dirty mirror/theres no connection to myself."

ANSWER: "Zero"

- 17) Name some athletes with numbers in their names, for ten points each.
- [10] Known for his catchphrase "Child, please!", this Cincinnati receiver changed his last name to the Spanish word for his jersey number.

ANSWER: Chad **Ochocinco** (prompt on Chad Johnson)

[10] Traded from Seattle in the Erik Bedard trade, this Oriole center fielder won his first Gold Glove in 2007

ANSWER: Adam LaMarque **Jones** (do not accept or prompt on Pacman Jones)

[10] A member of Florida's 2008 NCAA Championship team, this center was drafted 16th overall by the Philadelphia Sixers in 2008.

ANSWER: Marreese Speights

- 18) Name some similarly titled TV shows for ten points each
- [10] Morgan Spurlock hosted this FX show, where one person immerses himself in a lifestyle with which he is unfamiliar.

ANSWER: 30 Days

[10] Jonathan LaPaglia played time traveler Frank Parker in this 1998-2001 UPN show

ANSWER: 7 Days

[10] This 2007 BBC show centers on the disappearance of Leanne Wellings. It turns out that she was murdered by her husband's best friend, Gary.

**ANSWER: Five Days** 

- 19) Name some films with prime numbers in the title for ten points each.
- [10] In this film Tim Thomas sets out to donate organs the titular number of people in order to atone for the same number of deaths he caused in a car accident.

ANSWER: Seven Pounds

[10] This 2004 romantic comedy features Jennifer Garner as a girl who wakes up 17 years older as a successful editor for *Poise* magazine.

ANSWER: 13 Going on 30

[10] This 2007 TV show spin-off movie stars Thomas Lennon as Lieutenant Dangle in his trademark hot pants bumbling around the title city.

ANSWER: Reno 911!: Miami

- 20) Name these ESPN shows for ten points each
- [10] Jeremy Schaap, Rachel Nichols, and Lisa Salters are contributors to this ESPN investigative journalism newsmagazine.

ANSWER: *E:60* 

[10] Formerly known as Cold Pizza, this EPSN2 talk show later spun-off 1st and 10.

ANSWER: ESPN First Take

[10] This NHL-oriented ESPN2 show, originally hosted by Bill Pidto, ran from 1995 until 2004.

ANSWER: NHL 2Night

- 21) Name these game-shows for ten points each
- [10] Bob Saget hosts this game show on NBC, in which one person squares off against a "mob" of the titular number of people.

**ANSWER: 1 vs 100** 

[10] Hal March hosted this 50s CBS gameshow in which contestants would answer questions in a chosen category, until they reached the titular amount.

ANSWER: The \$64,000 Question (Accept: The \$64,000 Challenge)

[10] Sony Pictures Television produced this 2007-2008 gameshow in which contests had to guess how people answer poll questions. Getting a question wrong would divide their winnings by the titular number.

ANSWER: Power of 10

22)Aunt Agatha mysteriously dies, and you take the role of one of her potential heirs. For ten points each

[10] What is this 1993 board game which involves killing off other heirs in order to win the fortune?

ANSWER: 13 Dead End Drive (Accept: 1313 Dead End Drive)

[10] What gaming company produced 13 Dead End Drive?

ANSWER: Milton Bradley

[10] A game of 13 Dead End Drive ends when someone successfully exits the mansion, kills off all the other characters, or when this character arrives and everyone loses.

ANSWER: **<u>Detective</u>** (Accept: **<u>Policeman</u>**, **<u>Cop</u>**, and equivalents)

23) Name some shows that got their start in the 60s, for ten points each.

[10] This CBS newsmagazine show started in 1968. Current hosts include Morley Safer, Steve Kroft, and Lesley Stahl.

ANSWER: 60 Minutes

[10] This NBC show focused on the hijinks of Gunther Toody and Francis Muldoon, officers in the 53rd Bronx precinct. It was remade into a terrible 1994 movie of the same name.

ANSWER: Car 54 Where Are You

[10] This ABC show, based on a 1949 film of the same name, is set in England and follows the adventures of the 918th bombing group.

ANSWER: Twelve O'Clock High

24) Name some things about television shows and films with the same name for ten points each [10] This 2007 Leonardo DiCaprio documentary describes the damage humanity is doing to the environment.

ANSWER: The 11th Hour

[10] Eleventh Hour was also a British ITV drama series, which was remade for CBS by what film and television producer?

ANSWER: Jerry Bruckheimer

[10] In the British version of Eleventh Hour, Dr. Ian Hood was played by what actor, whose other roles include Captain Ahab, King Goobot, and Charles Xavier?

**ANSWER: Patrick Stewart**