

## Round 1

- 1 - In which year did Mariah Carey release 'All I want for Christmas'?
- 2 - Which duo first released 'Last Christmas'?
- 3 - Who features in The Pogues song 'Fairytale of New York'?
- 4 - Name the first song to feature Santa Claus?
- 5 - What is the name of Michael Buble Christmas album?
- 6 - In which film does Lindsay Lohan sing 'Jingle Bell Rock'?
- 7 - Who's version of "White Christmas" is the highest-selling single of all time?
- 8 - On the second day of Christmas, what did my true love send?
- 9 - Who was the original singer of 'Rockin around the Christmas tree' in 1958?
- 10 - Which Christmas song features the lyrics "pa-rum pum pum pum"?

## Round 1 - Answers

- 1 - 1994
- 2 - Wham
- 3 - Kirsty MacColl
- 4 - Up on the Housetop
- 5 - Christmas
- 6 - Mean Girls
- 7 - Bing Crosby
- 8 - Two turtledoves
- 9 - Brenda Lee
- 10 - The Little Drummer Boy

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## Round 2

- 1 - In which year was 'Frosty the Snowman' released - **1945 or 1950?**
- 2 - What are Christmas Carols mainly focused on?
- 3 - On the third day of Christmas, what did my true love send?
- 4 - Which popular 1963 Christmas song was written by Edward Pola and George Wyle?
- 5 - Who sang 'Baby its cold outside' with Idina Menzel?
- 6 - 'Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas', was sung by Judy Garland in which 1944 MGM musical?
- 7 - How old was Gayla Peevey when she sang 'I Want a Hippopotamus for Christmas' in 1953 - **3, 13 or 23?**
- 8 - On the twelfth day of Christmas, what did my true love send?
- 9 - Which song has been a Christmas number one for two entirely different artists?
- 10 - Which Christmas number one opens with the lines "Baby if you've got to go away Don't think I could take the pain"?

## Round 2 - Answers

- 1 - 1950
- 2 - The Birth of Jesus
- 3 - Three French Hens
- 4 - It's the Most Wonderful Time of the Year
- 5 - Michael Buble
- 6 - Meet me in St Louis
- 7 - 10
- 8 - Twelve Drummers Drumming
- 9 - Mary's Boy Child
- 10 - Stay Another Day by East 17

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## Round 3

- 1 - On the ninth day of Christmas, what did my true love send?
- 2 - According to the popular Christmas song, what is 'roasting on an open fire'?
- 3 - What is the name of Rod Stewarts' 2012 Christmas album?
- 4 - 'Let it snow' was written in a heatwave - **True or False?**
- 5 - Which Italian tenor recorded a Christmas album called "My Christmas"?
- 6 - On the sixth day of Christmas, what did my true love send?
- 7 - Who originally sang 'Christmas (Baby Please Come Home)'?
- 8 - Sia's Christmas album was released in 2016 - **True or False?**
- 9 - According to the lyrics of 'Holly Jolly Christmas', what kind of cup should you have?
- 10 - Which song was lipsynched by Kevin Mccallister in Home Alone?

## Round 3 - Answers

- 1 - Nine Ladies Dancing
- 2 - Chestnuts
- 3 - Merry Christmas Baby
- 4 - True
- 5 - Andrea Bocelli
- 6 - Six geese a-laying
- 7 - Darlene Love
- 8 - False
- 9 - Cup of Cheer
- 10 - White Christmas

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## Round 4

- 1 - On the eighth day of Christmas, what did my true love send?
- 2 - How many LA's are in the song 'Deck the Halls' - **90, 96 or 98?**
- 3 - What is the best-selling Christmas album of all time?
- 4 - What is the name of the snowman in the song 'Winter Wonderland'?
- 5 - On the fifth day of Christmas, what did my true love send?
- 6 - In the Christmas song by Elmo & Patsy who got run over by a Reindeer?
- 7 - 'All I want for Christmas is my two front teeth' was sung by who?
- 8 - Mika & Kylie Minogue recorded which Christmas song together?
- 9 - Who sang 'Driving Home For Christmas'?
- 10 - How many artists sang in 'Do They Know It's Christmas' as part of the group Band Aid - **35 or 40?**

## Round 4 - Answers

- 1 - Eight maids a-milking
- 2 - 96
- 3 - Elvis Christmas Album
- 4 - Parson Brown
- 5 - Five Gold Rings
- 6 - Grandma
- 7 - Melissa Lynn
- 8 - Wonderful Christmastime
- 9 - Chris Rhea
- 10 - Forty

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## Round 5 - Finish the Lyrics

- 1 - "Here comes Santa Claus, Here comes Santa Claus"?
- 2 - "This year to save me from tears"?
- 3 - "So I'm sendin' you this Christmas card"?
- 4 - "Good King Wenceslas looked out"?
- 5 - "The hopes and fears of all the years"?
- 6 - "Round yon Virgin Mother and Child"?
- 7 - "Just hear those sleigh bells jing-a-ling"?
- 8 - "You better not pout"?
- 9 - "Ding-dong! Verily the sky"?
- 10 - "Be my date this Christmas Eve"

## Round 5 - Answers

- 1 - Right down Santa Claus lane
- 2 - I'll give it to someone special
- 3 - To say, It's nice to have you here
- 4 - On the Feast of Stephen
- 5 - Are met in thee tonight.
- 6 - Holy infant so tender and mild
- 7 - ring-ting-ting-a-ling, too
- 8 - I'm telling you why
- 9 - Is riven with angels singing
- 10 - Be my holiday, my dream!