

# Facts ?

## How well do you really know your faves? Here's a chance to test yourself as to who's who on the Boob Tube!

(1) An actress nearly all her young life, this talented Miss made her TV debut at the age of seven, but was "discovered" when she was three years old by an advertising executive who put her right to work making a soap commercial. She has guest-starred on numerous TV shows, appeared in both Off- and On-Broadway prior to starring in the title role of a new TV show right now. She is . . .

(2) Prior to his leading role on a popular, but "shaky" TV series, this handsome lad had only one major made-for-TV movie role in which he played a student leader on campus. He was born in Terra Haute, Indiana, worked as a box boy for a supermarket, a clerk at a systems company, and a physics radiation analyst at North American Aircraft Corp. before making the big time. He lives in North Hollywood with a dog, a parrot, two guinea pigs and 27 tropical fish. He is . . .

(3) Born in New York, the son of an actor and actress (who later divorced each other), he now plays the son of a woman who is his real life step-mother. He has been singing since he was three years old, and plays the electric guitar as well as drums. He enjoys tennis and riding, and his one ambition is to someday own his own recording studio and later go into film-making. He is . . .

(4) Part Cherokee Indian, he has played Indians in "Gunsmoke," the feature film, "Navajo Joe," and in his own TV series, "Hawk," he played an Indian Detective. In his personal life he does whatever he can to help the Indians achieve their constitutional rights as American citizens. He used to be married to Judy Carne (Laugh-In), owns a huge ranch in Florida and stars in his own TV series again. He is . . .

(5) The daughter of a famed comedian, she has nonetheless made it to the top on sheer talent. After studying acting in New York, she made her professional acting debut in ABC's "77 Sunset Strip" then went on to major roles both in theater and television. She has her own TV series right now, but will be giving it up soon to concentrate on some secret ambitions she's harbored for a long time. She is . . .

(6) The one thing this man is not is an "overnight star" having put in a hard ten years work doing little bits and pieces here and there. A major breakthrough came when he happened to be seen by Bill Cosby when he was doing a play in New York called "Slow Dance on the Killing Ground." Cosby helped him get a start, and his obvious talents kept him going right on up to the top. He now is featured as part of a tremendous trio on TV. He is . . .

(7) The lovely lass pictured here has appeared in around 50 TV commercials, yet she's only 14. Her hobbies, which include singing, ice skating, swimming, dancing and playing the guitar, never interfere with her desire to become a great actress. She still attends junior high school where she majors in English, art and music. Her TV family are quite a bunch. She is . . .

(8) Handsome, he is, as you can readily see; wealthy, he is too, up in the multi-millionaire bracket; smart is not really the word for this dashing young actor who has an I.Q. of 151, plus a lot of acting talent! With a combination like that, how could you possibly lose? Well, he doesn't lose. He wins, in all that he does. Acting, directing and writing are but a few of the many things he does so well. He has been starring on a "family" type TV series for some time now. He is . . .

(9) He always wanted to be a basketball player, but a leg injury changed his mind, so he switched to acting. When he was 17 he played the lead in a Broadway play. He spent many years making many guest appearances on various shows and recently caught on as a revolutionary type in a series that features a rebellious kind of youth. He sings folk music, has cut an album and has made a 35mm color slide film of his recent trip to Africa. He is . . .

(10) His TV series was dropped only a short while ago, but that hasn't stopped this talented teen idol from going on to even greater heights. He has appeared on so many TV extravaganzas as the featured singer, you can hardly count them on a computer. Known for his easy come, easy go manner, he has become a fave of fans all over the world. He plays ten different instruments and has his own recording studio plus home movie production set-up. He is . . .

(11) Dark-eyed and lovely, this beautiful girl was a teen model before she became a success in a new TV series which features at least five other "family" members, all of whom have captured the hearts of fans throughout the nation. Although she makes her dramatic debut in this series, she makes everyone feel she's been around a long time, so talented and natural is she. She is . . .

(12) He was a dishwasher, a bus-boy, worked in a pizza parlor and a bookstore, among other things, before he finally clicked as a top-notch talent. He felt a restless need to "live a little" when he was younger so he set out for places like Chicago, Las Vegas and Los Angeles, doing different things just to stay alive. After two years of studying acting he got an agent and a job, was seen by casting directors who gave him various TV jobs, then finally, his most important role, the restless mod youth in search of values. He is . . .

Photos on opposite page: (left to right) Burt Reynolds, Maureen McCormick, Michael Cole, Susan Dey, Bobby Sherman, Mario Thomas, Michael Landon, Lou Gossett, David Cassidy, Clarence Williams III, Renne Jarrett, Rick Ely.

## ANSWERS

Answers: (1) Renne Jarrett (2) Rick Ely (3) David Cassidy (4) Burt Reynolds (5) Mario Thomas (6) Clarence Williams III (7) Maureen McCormick (8) Michael Landon (9) Lou Gossett (10) Bobby Sherman (11) Susan Dey (12) Michael Cole