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| **COLOURS – GREEN WITH ENVY - ANSWERS** | | | |
| **Questions** | |  | **Answers** |
| 1. | The Green Green Grass was a spin-off from which long-running TV sit-com |  | Only Fools and Horses |
| 2. | What shade of green did Robin Hood and his Merry Men traditionally wear |  | Lincoln |
| 3. | The biggest Golf green in the world is how big in diameter (in feet) Allow 20 feet either way |  | 320 feet (Allow 300 – 340)  5th hole; a par 6 at the International Golf Club in Massachusetts |
| 4. | Which drink was often referred to in historical literature as ‘The Green Fairy’ |  | Absinthe |
| 5. | Which U.S. novel was originally published in a series of monthly parts between March and August 1996 beginning with *The Two Dead Girls* and including *The Bad Death of Eduard Delacroix* |  | The Green Mile |
| 6. | Tom Jones’s recording of The Green Green Grass of Home was Number one in the UK charts in 1966 for how many weeks? |  | 7 |
| 7. | The DC Comics character Green Lantern uses his lantern each day to charge up what piece of vital equipment; Ring; Belt; Headband; Flying shoes. |  | Ring |
| 8. | Until the 1970s football goalkeepers traditionally wore green jerseys, but what 3 other colours were permissible to avoid colour clashes |  | Red, White and Blue |
| 9. | Which 1969 Fleetwood Mac song begins with these lyrics;  Now, when the day goes to sleep And the full moon looks The night is so black that the darkness cooks |  | Green Manalishi |
| 10. | Which actor starred alongside both Humphrey Bogart and Peter Lorre in the films Casablanca, Maltese Falcon and Passage to Marseilles |  | Sidney Greenstreet |

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| **Q??: Title … *(continued)*** | | | |
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| **Q57: Night** | | | |
| **Questions** | |  | **Answers** |
| 1. | Which heroine of the Crimean War is regarded as the founder of modern nursing? |  |  |
| 2. | Who wrote the evocative 1920s novel *Tender is the Night*? |  |  |
| 3. | Who composed the piece Eine Kleine Nachtmusic? |  |  |
| 4. | By what name is Atropa Belladonna better known? |  |  |
| 5. | Which twentieth-century leader eliminated many of his political enemies in *The Night of the Long Knives*? |  |  |
| 6. | Which nocturnal bird was a subject of an ode by John Keats? |  |  |
| 7. | And which London street did it famously enrapture with its song? |  |  |
| 8. | Which film, starring Rod Steiger, won the Best Picture Oscar in 1968? |  |  |
| 9. | Who wrote the steamy drama *The Night of the Iguana*? |  |  |
| 10. | Who had a hit album with *Night Flight to Venus*? |  |  |
| 11. | On what day did Shakespeare set his Dream? |  |  |
| 12. | And what is the first line of Gray’s *Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard*? |  |  |
| 13. | Who gave the charts *A Night to Remember* in 1982? |  |  |
| 14. | What is a passage of music evoking a sense of quietude or night-time? |  |  |
| 15. | *Sixth Sense* was the feature debut of which young film director? |  |  |

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| **Q25: Twenty-first Century** | | | |
| **Questions** | |  | **Answers** |
| 1. | Which terrorist group was widely held to be responsible for the destruction of the Twin Towers on 11th September, 2001? |  |  |
| 2. | Scientists failed to make contact with what on Christmas Day, 2003? |  |  |
| 3. | Who, in April 2006, defeated Silvio Berlusconi by a margin of only 0.06%? |  |  |
| 4. | In 2003, which minister thought about resigning, changed her mind, and then did resign? |  |  |
| 5. | Said to be unable to cope with the prospect of spending life in jail, which British mass murderer killed himself in early 2004? |  |  |
| 6. | What title did Camilla Parker Bowles take on marrying the Price of Wales in April, 2005? |  |  |
| 7. | Who sued *Hello!* Magazine for publishing unauthorised pictures of their wedding in 2003? |  |  |
| 8. | Who was the right-wing leader who made such an impact in the first French election of the 21st century? |  |  |
| 9. | In which countries did England and New Zealand decline to play in the 2003 Cricket World Cup? |  |  |
| 10. | Who was the Democratic candidate ultimately defeated in the US election by George W Bush? |  |  |

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| **Q25: Twenty-first Century *(continued)*** | | | |
| **Questions** | |  | **Answers** |
| 11. | What natural disaster took place on 26 December 2004, killing over 200,000 people? |  |  |
| 12. | Who won the right to host the 2012 Olympics? |  |  |
| 13. | Which star of *Budgie* and the pop charts died in 2002? |  |  |
| 14. | Where did a train de-rail in England in October 2000, killing four? |  |  |
| 15. | How old was the Queen Mother when she died on 30 March, 2002? |  |  |
| 16. | In 2005, the England cricket team won The Ashes for the first time in how many years? |  |  |
| 17. | What was in short supply in Britain in September 2000, causing much furore? |  |  |
| 18. | What is the only Western city to have been quarantined as a result of the SARS outbreak? |  |  |
| 19. | Which pop star as acquitted in 2005 of ten felony charges, including molesting a child and providing alcohol to minors? |  |  |
| 20. | Name the government advisor who held an ill-advised briefing with a BBC journalist and who died in July, 2003? |  |  |