

Bonfire Night Quiz (Round 1)

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A quiz for Bonfire Night, 5th November, Guy Fawkes Night.

Questions:

- 1) Which cake made with brown sugar, ginger, golden syrup or treacle is often eaten on Bonfire Night in parts of the UK?
- 2) In England, bonfire night is the 5th of November, but in Northern Ireland bonfires are burnt on the Eleventh night of which month?
- 3) In Spain bonfires are lit on June 23rd to celebrate which saint?
- 4) Which king was the Gunpowder plot intended to assassinate?
- 5) In which year did the plot take place? a) 1605 b) 1655 c) 1705
- 6) What role did Robert Catesby have in the assassination plot?
- 7) Which well known actor who had a prominent role in Game of Thrones is a descendant of Robert Catesby?
- 8) Guy Fawkes was born in which English county a) Yorkshire b) Essex c) Oxfordshire

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July

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San Juan (Saint John)

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James I

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He was the leader

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Kit Harington

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