Guess the Year Quiz (Round 3)

2021 General Knowledge History

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Below are three events that took place from certain years, but can you remember which one from the clues? I suggest 2 points for remembering the correct year and 1 point if you're only one year out.

Events

1

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2

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At the FIFA World Cup France beat Brazil 3-0 in the final

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3

Czechoslovakia ceased to exist as the Czech Republic and Slovakia separated

Meat Loaf spent 7 weeks at No1 in the UK charts with 'I'd Do Anything For Love (But I Won't Do That).

English footballer Bobby Moore died.

4

The summer Olympics are held in Barcelona, Spain.

The Church of England voted to allow women to become priests.

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The Piper Alpha oil platform in the North Sea was destroyed with explosions killing 169 people.

6

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Answers

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2002