

e-lesson

Week starting: 25th February 2002

1. The Quiet Beatle

We were all saddened by the death of George Harrison last November. He would have been 59 on February 25th and so to celebrate his life and his achievements, we've put together a multiple-choice quiz followed by a biography. There are two pages to print. Click here to get your copies.

<http://www.insideout.net/warehouse/worksheets/February/IO035S-george.pdf>
<http://www.insideout.net/warehouse/worksheets/February/IO035S-george.rtf>

Level

Intermediate and above

How to use the lesson

1. Ask your students what they know about George Harrison.
2. Give each student in the class a copy of Worksheet A and ask them to choose an answer from the three possibilities. If students aren't sure of the answers, encourage them to make a guess.
3. Check answers in open class, but don't give any answers at this stage.
4. Give each student in the class a copy of Worksheet B and ask students to read the text and check the answers to the questions on Worksheet A.
5. Check answers in open class.

Answers

1. d 2. d 3. c 4. b 5. a 6. c 7. d 8. b 9. c 10. b

A lovely follow-up would be to get hold of a copy of his single *Something*, copy the lyrics (from any number of lyric sites) and play it to your class.

2. Related Websites

Send your students to these websites, or just take a look yourself.

http://news.bbc.co.uk/1/hi/english/entertainment/music/newsid_1492000/1492446.stm

News of George's death from the BBC.

<http://www.cnn.com/2001/SHOWBIZ/Music/11/30/harrison.obit/>

News from CNN. Click on Play Video to watch and listen to his biography.

<http://www.beatles.com/>

Just in case you need reminding of where it all started.