

Bach Quiz: questions and answers



1. Who was Johann Sebastian Bach?

- A musician
- A poet
- An architect

2. How many children did Bach have with Anna Magdalena Wülcken?

- 10
- 13
- 7

3. Where was Bach born?

- Eisenach, Germany
- Merseburg, Germany
- Stendal, Germany

4. Throughout the 18th century Bach was mostly renowned as:

- An organist
- A pianist
- A violinist

5. Who gave Bach the title of "Royal Court Composer"?

- Augustus III of Poland
- Stanislaw I of Poland

Augustus II of Poland

6. How old was Bach when both of his parents died?

- 15 years old
- 10 years old
- 12 years old

7. What religion did Bach practice?

- Lutheran
- Muslim
- Catholic

8. The Well-Tempered Clavier was intended to:

- Help students learn guitar techniques
- Help students learn keyboard techniques
- Help students learn violin techniques

9. Where was most of Bach's choral music composed?

- Frankfurt
- Salzburg
- Leipzig

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