

**In a film with one of these objects in the title, soldiers land 3 kilometers from a Field Marshal's Headquarters where upon hearing about it makes the marshal believe they are coming solely for him. In another film with one of these objects in the title the real-life residence used to film a Meryl Streep played character's house got burned down by a fire on October 6, 2003. Another film with one of these objects in the title won the Oscar for Best Supporting Actor in 2016, that actor's first Oscar win. That actor is Mark Rylance. In another film with one of these objects in the title, a British Colonel Nicholson becomes obsessed with the construction of this object. In the same film, Colonel Nicholson while looking in horror at what his obsession has caused, states "What have I done" followed by him walking a few steps and promptly dying, causing the title object to explode. In another film American Captain Miller while defending this object shoots at a tank with his pistol. For ten points name this object that completes titles such as A [blank] Too Far, [blanks] of Madison County, [blank] of Spies, and A [blank] on the River Kwai.**

**(Bridges)** (Last Film clued is Saving Private Ryan, other films named in last line)

**A man from this film states "The Frost, it sometimes makes the blade stick" after an attempted executioner tries to draw his sword. That man is then later told that "Red is the gods' color. You will need their help today" by someone who had earlier put maggots into one of his wounds to help clean it. A scene in this film involves a brother who very obviously wants to have sex with his sister falling asleep on top of her after rubbing his fingers all over her mouth. A replica of a helmet that the main character wears in this film was used as the modeling base for the late rapper MF DOOM's trademark mask. 5 real tigers were used in one scene of this film requiring a tranquilizer-armed veterinarian to be present during the shooting. No tigers were harmed during production despite the tigers being attached to chains held back by the allies of the main character. The main character of this film after being pinned down by one of the tigers had to stab and kill it. Hans Zimmer's score for this film is one of the best-selling soundtracks of all time including songs such as Honor Him, Elysium, The Wheat, and Now We are Free. Ridley Scott directs for ten points this 2001 best picture winning film where Russel Crowe's Character Maximus AKA The Spaniard yells "Are you not entertained?"**

**(Gladiator)**

**This director made a film where the main character watches a nude woman step on a spider. In that same film, the main character spots someone who looks exactly like him in a movie and sets out to find him. In another film by this director after opening their mother's will the main character learns that her dad is still alive, and they have a long-lost brother. The task of finding them requires the main character to travel to Lebanon to retrace her mother's history. In a different film by this director a Hugh Jackman played father goes against a Jake Gyllenhaal played detective on how to find his kidnapped daughter. That film has the prominent motif of a maze or labyrinth throughout the entire film. In another**

film by this director the main character K finds Rick Deckard in the wastes of Las Vegas and after a short fight shares a drink with him at a bar. Another scene in this movie involves a large blue-haired hologram played by Ana de Armas point at K and say that he looks lonely. For ten points name this director whose most recent work is a film adaptation of the Frank Herbert novel Dune.

(Dennis Villeneuve) (Films clued in order are Enemy, Incendies, Prisoners, and Blade Runner 2049)

**This film was adapted from the 1996 play Come to See Me. The director of this film stated that he “aimed to depict the horror that has not yet been revealed through the emotions evoked through the clash of unmatching concepts of scenic landscapes and grotesque corpses.” This film has a scene where a small schoolgirl describes a serial murderer as “Just...ordinary” which prompts one of the main characters to look directly into the camera. This film opens with a detective coming to the scene of a crime on the back of a tractor where on arrival is mimicked by a child while he inspects a body. This film gained recent popularity after its director in 2020 won multiple academy awards including Best Picture and Best Director for his most recent film Parasite. Parasite starred Song Kang-Ho who also starred in this film where he played detective Park Doo-man who related the size of South Korea to his penis. In this film Detective Park also stated that South Korean detectives investigate with their feet, not with their minds. For 10 points, name this 2003 Bong Joon Ho film about South Korea’s first confirmed serial killer.**

**(Memories of Murder or Salinui Chueok)**

**In Steve McQueen’s first feature-length directorial debut, this substance was smeared on the walls in a spiral during one scene. That movie is Hunger where a liquid commonly paired with this substance is poured into the hallway by IRA prisoners. In the 2023 film Inside starring Willem Dafoe, this substance is amassed in a bathtub over the course of this film. In the film A Million Ways to Die in the West, a character played by Neil Patrick Harris knocks over a hat filled with this substance before entering a duel. In a different film directed by Dan Waters’s the character Divine eats this substance to prove that she is “not only the filthiest person in the world, but she is also the filthiest actress in the world” which Waters insists is the “The real thing.” He was right. In an extremely controversial Italian film directed by Pier Paolo Pasolini, a character called the Duke forces a girl to eat this substance with a spoon after she begged god for death. That Movie is Salo 120 days of Sodom. For 10 points name this substance that Ted Striker in Airplane! said was going to hit the fan and then literally does.**

(Shit or Poop, Accept any synonyms to Feces) (Do not accept Dogshit) (Waters film is Pink Flamingos)

(2) **This film shot a scene where the main protagonist is being tortured by an old co-worker inside a cooling tower at the Croydon power station. This film's director first got the inspiration for the film from imaging a steel worker sitting on the pitched black beaches of Port Talbot listening to the titular song. The director of this film paid for a full-page ad in variety stating "Dear Sid Sheinberg, when are you going to release my film" due to Universal Pictures not releasing the film for U.S. distribution. Many propaganda posters appear in the film with some reading "Don't Suspect a Friend, Report Him" and "Loose Talk is Noose Talk." This film's protagonist's dreams are a running motif where he can be seen flying with a suit of armor with wings and fighting a giant metal samurai. This film's was originally going to be titled 1984 ½. In this film, the main protagonist in order to ward off Central Services workers asks them to fill out a "27B stroke 6." This request stops the vigilante heating engineer Harry Tuttle, played by Robert DeNiro, from shooting the workers in the back of the head. For 10 points, name this dystopian black comedy film where Sam Lowry played by Jonathan Pryce, tries to fix a simple spelling mistake in an endless bureaucratic nightmare.**

(Brazil) If they say "You are going to Brazil" throw the nearest object at them)

**This director started out by making short documentaries before making his first TV film *The Underground Passage* released in 1974 and his first full-length feature *The Scar* released in 1976. One of this director's films which has milk as a prominent recurring element is listed under the Values category on the Vatican's *Some important films* list. That film is also touted by Stanley Kubrick as "the only masterpiece" he could think of. This director was a prominent member of his country's Cinema of Moral Anxiety movement with his works *Camera Buff* and *The Calm* being prominent films in that movement. A scene in a film by this director has the main character Witek after almost running straight into a drinking man barely making it onto a train. On this train, Witek meets an old communist and decides to join the party. This director made a film trilogy which was a co-production between Switzerland, France, and Poland his home country. That film trilogy, named the Three Colours Trilogy, along with *The Double Life of Veronique* and *Dekalog* are for 10 points what director's best-known works.**

(Krzysztof Kieślowski) (Movie regarding Witek is *Blind Chance* and Values movie is *Dekalog*)

(8) **In a film with this quality, there is a debate as to whether the director has a cameo appearance walking down a Manhattan Street directly after the title sequence however he does have a cameo appearance later in the film appearing as a neon sign in the**

**background. In another film with this quality by the same director, the main character's girlfriend states that she wished she could be creative which the main character responded by saying that "Oh sweetie you are. You have a great talent for creating difficult situations." In another film with this quality the poster reads "Life is in their hands-death is on their minds." A scene from this movie involves one character going on a bigoted rant prompting everyone else to get up out of their seats and ignore him. In another film with this quality a Samuel L. Jackson played character recounts a story to a Confederate general that he made his son suck his dick. Kurt Russell in that same film unknowingly smashed a 150-year-old antique Martin Guitar worth approximately 40,000 dollars. In another film with, for 10 points, this quality requires Lawrence to saw off his foot to escape a puzzle created by the villain Jigsaw.**

(Film mostly takes place in **one room**) (Prompt on one building or location) (Rope, Rear Window, 12 Angry Men, Hateful Eight and Saw)

**(10) In a film with this color in the title Private Witt recounts the calmness his mother felt when facing death. That character played by Jim Caviezel then contemplates how he will meet his death stating "I just hope I can meet it the same way she did with the same...calm. Cause that's where it's hidden the immortality I hadn't seen." In another film with this color in the title has a tagline of "Invisible. Silent. Stolen." And is directed by John McTiernan. A different film with this color in the title was disqualified for Best Foreign Picture citing "artistic control" within a foreign co-production. That film which stars Irene Jacob was the director's last as he announced his retirement after the film was made. In another film a white flag is seen hoisted above the title ship but on the films premier 108 frames were dyed this color by the director. In a film starring Bruce Willis a woman wearing a dress in this color is described shivering like the last leaf on a dying tree and is approached by a man who offers her a cigarette. That film is Sin City. In another film a substance that is this color pours out of the Overlooks elevators. For 10 points name this color that appears as the only bit of color on a little girl's jacket in Schindler's list**

**(Red)** (The Thin Red Line, Hunt for Red October, Three colors trilogy **Red**, Battleship Potemkin)

**(11) There was a rumor that the actor who played the main character in this film had his hair turned permanently grey due to filming. Production of this film was delayed due to multiple reasons one being that the director had to complete his wife's own film due to her passing. Live ammunition was used during the making of this film where the main actor recalled moments where bullets would pass as close as 4 inches to his head. One example of this being a scene where the main character had to take cover behind a cow that had been shot by machine gun fire. This film was unorthodoxically filmed in chronological**

**order taking nine months to film and the main actor suffered severe fatigue and hunger throughout who was only 14 at the time. The director felt compelled to make this film after watching accounts of Belarusian peasants recounting stories of how their villages were herded into buildings including a farm and a church and being burned alive. One scene in this film shows the main character shooting a drowned portrait of a man while real historical footage of the holocaust among other events of WW2 is played in between each shot. The man in the portrait is Adolf Hitler. The original title of this film was Kill Hitler! But was changed due being deemed to inappropriate by the Soviet government. For 10 points name this 1985 Elem Klimov film showing the horrors of the Belarusian Holocaust through the eyes of a young Flyora Gayshun.**

**(Come and See) or (Idi I Smotri)**

**(12) This actor won an honorary academy award for his “...brilliant accomplishments and enduring contribution to the art of motion pictures” one year before his death. One year after receiving that honorary award this actor went on to win an Oscar for Best Actor for his portrayal of Norman Thayer Jr. This actor was unable to accept that Oscar or even attend the ceremony in general due to illness in his heart. Prior to 2021, this actor was the oldest to ever win the Oscar for Best Actor, though he was later beaten by Anthony Hopkins. One character portrayed by this actor pretends to have a limp to prove whether an old man could witness someone run down the stairs. In that same film, this actor intentionally provokes someone to shout about killing him by calling him a sadist and a self-appointed public avenger. While this actor predominantly portrays good guys he was cast as the villain Frank an assassin working for the railroad in a Sergio Leone film. That film is Once Upon a Time in the West. A character played by this actor never has his name revealed throughout the entire film until the final scene where it’s revealed in the front of a courthouse that it’s Davis. In one of his most famous roles, this actor slams a switchblade into a table in front of 11 other jurors. For 10 points name this actor who played Juror #8 in 12 Angry Men and Tom Joad in Grapes of Wrath.**

**(Henry Fonda) (Unnamed film is On the Golden Pond)**

**(13) In a film made in this country, multiple scenes had to be cut due to budget cuts including an opening battle scene, a scene where a character hunts swans, and a birth scene. One film from this country sees a duo steal a sheep to feed themselves and their compatriots but get arrested on their way back. That same film was this country’s official submission for the 50<sup>th</sup> academy awards for Best Foreign Language Picture and is called The Ascent. One film from this country depicts a crucified man on a cross wearing a gas mask and is about a man who loses his memory during the first world war. One scene from another film made in this country involves a group of three being required to travel a long**

**tunnel dubbed the “meat mincer.” In that same film, one character answers a ringing phone in the middle of an argument despite the phone not seeming to be able to have a connection. One film made in this country was commonly mistaken to be a biopic of its titular character and was told in 8 episodes with titles such as The Bell, Silence, The Passion, and The Jester. The epilogue is the only portion of that film in color. Another film from this country is set in June of 1905 and follows members of the crew of the titular battleship. For 10 points name this country home to directors such as Larisa Shepitko, Lev Kuleshov, Sergei Eisenstein, and Andrei Tarkovsky.**

**(Soviet Union)** (Only prompt on Russia for the first line) (Films are Andrei Rublev, Fragments of an Empire, Stalker, Andrei Rublev, and Battleship Potemkin)

**(14) A theater by the name of Le Gamaar is owned by a lady with the last name Dreyfus in this film. That owner is required to premier the film Stolz der Nation starring the sniper Frederick Zoller played by Daniel Brühl. One scene in this film has a nazi officer guess the character written on a card stuck to his forehead. That character was King Kong. Another scene in this movie has a character played by Mélanie Laurent eats a strudel with the man who killed her family. That man orders her milk a possible sign that he knows who she is. One character was supposed to be played by Adam Sandler but after Sandler was committed to filming Funny People, Eli Roth was cast instead. That character was the Bear Jew. One actor who starred in the television show The Office also starred in this film where he played Private First Class Smithson Utivich a member of the titular group. In one scene in this film Lt. Hicox’s cover is blown by displaying the number 3 without using his thumb. Eli Roth reported while filming one scene this film where a theater is being burned down and he shoots a portrait of hitler that if he stayed in the room for another 15 seconds the stage he was on would have collapsed and killed him. Brad Pitt plays Lt. Aldo Raine a member of for ten points this films titular group made up of Jewish Soldiers out on a mission to kill Hitler, Director Quentin Tarantino’s 6<sup>th</sup> film.**

**(Inglorious Basterds)**

**(7) In a film by this director, a birthday party is shown happening in the background while the main character recounts his experience of almost drowning as a child. In another scene, the main character is equated to Christ bearing the cross by a friend to a bartender while he is passed out from drinking. Patton Oswalt stated that the films Afterlife, Groundhogs Day, and a film by this director will have you rethink your life. This director made a collection composed of 8 short films all based on his reoccurring dreams. One of those short films titled ‘Crows’ a young art student encounters Vincent Van Gogh played by the famous director Martin Scorsese. In another a Nuclear Meltdown threatens to completely devastate this director’s home country. That collection is entitled ‘Dreams’ which was released in 1990, 8 years before this director’s death. This director famously hand paints storyboards for his movies as he initially started out his career as an aspiring painter. For 10**



points name this Japanese Director who despite being hailed as one of the most influential directors of all time was only ever nominated at the Oscars once for his movie Ran.

(Akira Kurosawa) (Unnamed Film is Ikiru)

**(15) One Richard Linklater film that takes place 30 years after this conflict stars Bryan Cranston, Steve Carrel, and Laurence Fishburne. Another film about this conflict stars Don Cheadle who plays Johnny Washburne , who does a special handshake in one scene while saying “It don’t mean nothing not a thing.” Another film about this conflict has the character Michael being forced to play an extremely dangerous game against his friend Nick after being taken prisoner. The game ends with Michael shooting his captors rather than himself in that same film. An actor holds the most weight ever gained for a role in a film about this conflict. That actor is Vincent D’Onofrio who was lauded for the best performance in the film by another co-star R. Lee Ermey. In that same film one character tells another that he could “suck a golf ball through a garden hose” while in boot camp. Another film about this conflict has a documentary film about its production titled after the book the original film is based on. That original film stars Martin Sheen, tasked to assassinate a Marlon Brando played Colonel Kurtz. That film is Apocalypse Now, based on the book Heart of Darkness. For 10 points name this conflict which films such as Platoon and Full Metal Jacket take place during.**

**(Vietnam War)**

**(16) A film in this Genre has a soundtrack composed of almost entirely hip-hop artists including the Wu-Tang Clan, Danny Brown, Freddie Gibbs, and RZA who also stars in the film. Production began for that film when RZA was creating the soundtrack for another film in this genre whose director appears on the poster for his film as simply presenting it. Another film in this genre has the main character find different body parts of his cousins frozen in ice blocks due to their discovery of their boss’s drug trafficking. A different film in this genre sees the main character latch onto a green double-decker bus with an\* umbrella to chase after a drug lord. In that same film, another scene sees the main character slide down a large pole in the center of a mall to chase that same drug lord which gave the actor 2nd-degree burns due to the hanging lights surrounding the pole. Donnie Yen plays the titular person for a four-film series in this genre. That film series has multiple guest stars including Mike Tyson and Kent Chang who played the character Porky Wing in the film Once Upon a Time in China another film in this genre. While mostly known for his romance films Wong Kar Wai ventured into this genre with his film The Grandmaster. For 10 points Ip man mentored the star of The Big Boss, Game of Death, and Enter the Dragon all films in this genre.**

**(Martial Arts films or Kung Fu Movies)** (Prompt on Action Films)

(17) **The actor Kenneth Colley who played Admiral Piett in Star Wars the Empire Strikes Back also played this person, his only film role a year prior. One film about this person whose filming took place entirely in Morocco had its director nominated for the Best Director Oscar at the 61<sup>st</sup> Academy Awards the only Oscar it was nominated for that year. That film caused the actor who played this person to be refused the role of Doc Holliday in the film Tombstone and whose casting as this person caused director Sergio Leone to proclaim he has a face of a murderer. The director of that film about this person also directed films such as Gangs of New York and Mean Streets and has reportedly always wanted to make a film about this person since a child. In another film, a character played by Charlton Heston takes the Martha Scott and Cathy O'donnell played characters to hear this person speak but unfortunately, his trial has begun. That film directed by William Wyler has one of cinema's most famous action sequences with a nine-minute chariot race and has opera singer Claude Heater portray this person though he goes uncredited. Willem Dafoe plays for ten points this character whose Martin Scorsese's film about him caused a terrorist attack that set fire to Saint Michael cinema in Paris that was showing it.**

**Jesus Christ Accept all Equivalents besides God, or the Holy Spirit)**

(18) **A character is suspected of doing this action by the character Keller Dover in a film written by Aaron Guzikowski. That movie which was released in 2013 has the tagline every moment matters. In a George Sulizer film, a professor does this action to the girlfriend of the main character. In a 2003 film, this action causes the main character to watch himself get framed by the people who committed this action for the murder of his wife on TV. In that same film, this action occurs to the main character right outside a police station and right beside a phone booth. That film had a 2013 remake starring Josh Brolin that was critically panned. One Coen brother's film sees Baird Whitlock be subjected to this action while in full costume. That film stars George Clooney who plays Whitlock a star actor who before being subjected to this action starred in the Swords and Sandals epic that shares the same name as the film. In another Coen Brothers film, two characters are hired by a car salesman played by William Macy to do this action. While in the process of doing this action the car salesman's wife dies. For ten points name this action done to the daughter of Liam Neeson's character in the film Taken.**

**Kidnapping or Kidnaped accept Being abducted (Prompt on being stolen)**

(19) **One film released in this decade has the nurse Alma in charge of a mute actress named Elisabet. That nurse is played by Bibi Andersson who played Mia in a film by the**



same director the decade prior. In another film released in this decade a revolutionary leader states that only after a revolution has been won that the true difficulties begin. The director of that film made two other films in this decade called **Kapo and Burn!** Warner Bros ordered two cars with sequential serial numbers **558 and 559** for a film in this decade. **Those cars were** Ford Mustangs. One of those cars was assumed lost after filming due to being too severely damaged and sent to a scrapyard but was found again and authenticated in 2016. One film that came out in this decade has brainwashing as a significant plot point and stars Frank Sinatra. Another film to come out this decade has a Paul Newman played Luke eat 50 eggs. Another film from this decade had a score by Ennio Morricone with songs such as The Death of A Soldier, Il Tramonto, The Trio, and The Ecstasy of Gold. For 10 points name this decade when movies such as Once Upon a Time in the West, Tati's Playtime, and Breakfast at Tiffany's were released.

**(1960s or '60s)**

(20) **In a film in this genre, two characters must make a run through the lobby of a college library while holding a giant book. In that same film after dropping the book in a stairwell one of the characters gets hit by a minivan outside the library. In a David Mackenzie film in this genre two characters bury a blue muscle car at their family ranch. That film was the final film produced by Oddlot Entertainment due to its dissolution in 2015. The Sequel to From Dusk Till Dawn has a horror twist in this genre. Another film in this genre was released in 1955 and was directed by the same man who directed The Naked City and Brute Force. That director is Jules Dassin. The script for a film in this genre was first used for the T.V. film L.A. Takedown before in 1994 being reworked by the director into a feature film. Another film in this genre was a remake of a 1960 film of the same name and was directed by the same man who made Magic Mike, No Sudden Move, and Schizopolis. That remake has three establishments targeted by a group of eleven for being owned by Terry Benedict. Those establishments are Casinos. For 10 points name this genre of films that include Rififi, Logan's Lucky, and Ocean's Eleven.**

**(Heist Films)**