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STUDENT QUIZ

CALIFORNIA PLAYIN'

Take this quiz and see how much you know about music from the great state of California.

1. From what state did West Coast bluesman T-Bone Walker originally hail?

2. Merle Haggard and Buck Owens were two of the biggest stars of what style of country music?

3. Los Lobos scored a 1987 hit with "La Bamba." What Mexican singer/songwriter had a hit with it in the 1950s?

4. What West Coast jazz–style track is the best-selling jazz single of all time?

5. "Tom Dooley" and "M.T.A." were big hits for what folk music group out of San Francisco?

6. The surf rock instrumental "Misirlou" was used in what 1994 film?

7. The band Journey was formed by sidemen for what Latin rock guitarist?

8. The Bangles were part of what 1980s musical movement?

9. Ice-T, Dr. Dre, and Ice Cube were major artists of what California music style?

10. Katy Perry is a native of what California city?

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