

THE LIFE OF MONK

Take this short quiz to test your knowledge on Thelonious Monk.

1. What was Monk's first professional gig?
2. Who hired Monk to play his first notable gig in New York?
3. Name two pianists who influenced Monk's style.
4. Which famous jazz musician did Monk record with in 1944?
5. True or false: Monk's unusual style was well-received among audiences at the beginning of his career.
6. What record label was Monk first signed to?
7. Monk's career was sidetracked for six years when he lost his
8. Which label did Monk switch to in 1955?
9. Which iconic jazz saxophonist did Monk perform with in the late '50s?
10. When did Monk abruptly retire?