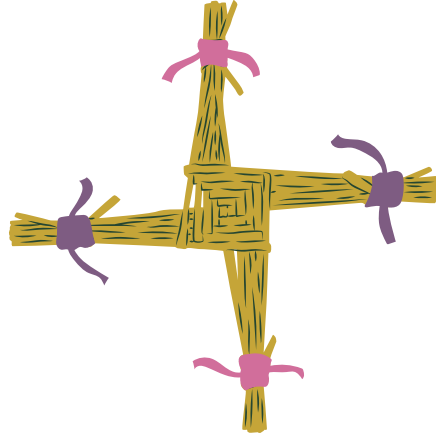


Famous Bridget's Quiz

AGI Quiz Sheet

Celebrate St. Brigid's Day with a Journey Through History!



On the 1st of February, as winter begins to yield to spring, Ireland celebrates St. Brigid's Day (Lá Fhéile Bríde), honouring one of its most beloved patron saints. St. Brigid stands alongside St. Patrick and St. Columba as one of Ireland's three national saints, and her legacy continues to inspire and intrigue people worldwide.

In medieval Ireland, Brigid emerged as a remarkable figure who founded the prestigious abbey of Kildare and established numerous monasteries for nuns across the land. Her story is woven into the fabric of Irish Christianity, where she is remembered not only for her spiritual leadership but also for her legendary generosity and compassion.

But did you know that the name Bridget (in all its variations - Brigid, Bríd, Bride, Bridey, Biddy) has been carried through history by countless remarkable women? From medieval times to the modern day, Bridgets have been pioneering scientists, influential artists, groundbreaking politicians, and innovative leaders in their fields.

Accredited Genealogists Ireland (AGI) invites you to test your knowledge and discover these fascinating women through our Famous Bridgets Quiz. Whether you're gathering with family for St. Brigid's Day or simply curious about historical figures who share this distinctive name. You might be surprised to discover just how many extraordinary women have carried this name forward through time!

Are you ready to begin? Let's celebrate St. Brigid's legacy by discovering the achievements of her namesakes across the centuries.

St. Brigid was known for her honesty - she'd want you to resist peeking at the answers

1C; 2D; 3A; 4D; 5B; 6B; 7A; 8D; 9A; 10B

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1. Which actress starred in "Bridget Jones's Diary"?

- A) Bridget Moynahan
- B) Bridget Fonda
- C) Renée Zellweger
- D) Bridget Regan

2. Known as St. Brigid of Kildare, but in what Irish county was she born?

- A) Limerick
- B) Kildare
- C) Carlow
- D) Louth

3. Which Bridget was an international tennis player?

- A) Brigitte Cuypers
- B) Bridget Cooper
- C) Brigitte Neilson
- D) Bridget Adams

4. Who played Big's wife, and Carrie's rival in Sex in the City?

- A) Bridget Hall
- B) Bridget Malcolm
- C) Bridget Satterlee
- D) Bridget Moynahan

5. Making a St. Bridget's cross is a tradition in Ireland, but from what plant is it made from?

- A) Grass
- B) Reed
- C) Wheat
- D) Ivy



6. Bridget Fonda, an actress in the '90s, starred in which 1997 crime thriller directed by Quentin Tarantino?

- A) Pulp Fiction
- B) Jackie Brown
- C) Reservoir Dogs
- D) Natural Born Killers

7. Which British artist is known for her groundbreaking contributions to the Op Art movement, creating mesmerizing, geometric patterns?

- A) Bridget Riley
- B) Bridget McKenna
- C) Bridget Norton
- D) Bridget Walsh

8. In which Rocky movie did Brigitte Neilson star with Sylvester Stallone?

- A) Rocky I
- B) Rocky II
- C) Rocky III
- D) Rocky IV

9. Which Bridget, a famous French actress and singer, is associated with the animal rights movement and became an icon for her beauty and rebellious spirit in the '50s and '60s?

- A) Brigitte Bardot
- B) Bridget Jones
- C) Bridget Hall
- D) Bridget McKinney

10. Where is St. Bridget buried?

- A) Christchurch Cathedral
- B) Downpatrick Cathedral
- C) Galway Cathedral
- D) Kilkenny Cathedral

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