## **HISTORY BRAIN TEASERS**

- 1. I am known for my "I Have a Dream" speech and fought for civil rights. Who am I? Answer: Martin Luther King Jr.
- 2. I was the first president of the United States and had wooden teeth (not really!). Who am I? Answer: George Washington
- 3. I was a famous queen of Egypt, known for my beauty and relationships with Roman leaders. Who am I? Answer: Cleopatra
- 4. I am known for my role in the American Revolution and my famous midnight ride to warn the colonists. Who am I? Answer: Paul Revere
- 5. I was the first man to walk on the moon in 1969. Who am I? Answer: Neil Armstrong
- 6. I am the ancient civilization that built the pyramids and worshipped many gods. What civilization am I? Answer: Ancient Egypt
- 7. I was a famous artist and inventor during the Renaissance, known for painting the Mona Lisa. Who am I? Answer: Leonardo da Vinci
- 8. I am the wall that divided a city into East and West for many years until I was torn down in 1989. What am I? Answer: Berlin Wall
- 9. I was the ship that brought the Pilgrims to America in 1620. What am I? Answer: Mayflower
- 10. I was a famous woman who helped lead the French army to victory in the Hundred Years' War. Who am I? Answer: Joan of Arc
- 11. I was a powerful ruler of the Mongol Empire who created one of the largest empires in history. Who am I?

**Answer: Genghis Khan** 

- 12. I am a famous document signed in 1215 that limited the power of the king in England. What am I? Answer: Magna Carta
- 13. I am known for my role in the discovery of electricity and the invention of the lightning rod. Who am I? Answer: Benjamin Franklin
- 14. I was the first female prime minister of the United Kingdom, known for my strong leadership. Who am I? Answer: Margaret Thatcher
- 15. I was a famous explorer who sailed the ocean blue in 1492 and discovered the Americas. Who am I? Answer: Christopher Columbus

