



President Franklin Pierce - Quiz

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Q1. When was Franklin Pierce born?

- A. 1804
- B. 1799
- C. 1810
- D. 1820

Q2. Where was Franklin Pierce born?

- A. Concord, New Hampshire
- B. Hillsborough, New Hampshire
- C. Boston, Massachusetts
- D. Portland, Maine

Q3. How old was Franklin Pierce when he became president?

- A. 45
- B. 48
- C. 50
- D. 52

Q4. What years was Franklin Pierce president?

- A. 1849-1853
- B. 1853-1857
- C. 1857-1861
- D. 1861-1865

Q5. When did Franklin Pierce die?

- A. 1865
- B. 1867
- C. 1869
- D. 1871

Q6. How did Franklin Pierce die?

- A. Heart attack
- B. Cirrhosis of the liver
- C. Pneumonia
- D. Stroke

Q7. Which college did Franklin Pierce attend?

- A. Harvard University
- B. Yale University
- C. Bowdoin College
- D. Dartmouth College

Q8. Who was Franklin Pierce's vice president who died shortly after taking office?

- A. William Rufus King
- B. Jefferson Davis
- C. James Buchanan
- D. Millard Fillmore

Q9. What controversial act was passed during Pierce's presidency that repealed the Missouri Compromise?

- A. The Fugitive Slave Act
- B. The Kansas-Nebraska Act
- C. The Compromise of 1850
- D. The Wilmot Proviso

Q10. What was the name of the purchase during Pierce's presidency that expanded U.S. territory in the Southwest?

- A. The Louisiana Purchase
- B. The Gadsden Purchase
- C. The Alaska Purchase
- D. The Oregon Treaty

Answer Key

1. Q1: A
2. Q2: B
3. Q3: B
4. Q4: B
5. Q5: C
6. Q6: B
7. Q7: C
8. Q8: A
9. Q9: B
10. Q10: B