Famous African Americans Quiz 2

1. __ Renowned track and field athlete who won four gold medals in the 1936 Olympics. A.Rosa Parks B.Halle Berr C.Jesse Owens D.Martin Luther King Jr 2. First African American President of the United States. A. Thurgood Marshall B. Martin Luther King Jr C. Barack Obama D. Maya Angelou 3. __ Groundbreaking chemist who developed methods for synthesizing cortisone and other drugs. A.Halle Berr B.Jesse Owens C.Percy Julian D.Duke Ellington Trailblazing tennis player, the first African American to win Wimbledon. A.Garrett Morgan B.Barack Obama C.Althea Gibson D.Langston Hughes 5. __ Influential figure in the Harlem Renaissance, known for his poetry and activism. A.Sidney Poitier B.Langston Hughes C.Garrett Morgan D.Rosa Parks Groundbreaking mathematician and NASA aerospace engineer portrayed in the film "Hidden Figures." A.Duke Ellington B.Barack Obama C.Katherine Johnson D.Garrett Morgan 7. __ Baseball player who broke the color barrier in Major League Baseball. A.Garrett Morgan B.Sojourner Truth C.Rosa Parks D.Jackie Robinson 8. __ First African American to win an Academy Award for Best Actor A.Althea Gibson B.Barack Obama C.Garrett Morgan D.Sidney Poitier 9. __ Talented singer and actress, winner of numerous Grammy Awards and an Academy Award. A.Percy Julian B.Garrett Morgan C.Halle Berr D.Sidney Poitier 10. __ Civil rights leader who delivered the famous "I Have a Dream" speech in 1963. A.Thurgood Marshall B.Condoleezza Rice C.Martin Luther King Jr D.Percy Julian 11. __ Notable jazz musician and composer known as the "King of Jazz." A.Sojourner Truth B.Duke Ellington C.Jesse Owens D.Katherine Johnson 12. __ First African American woman to serve as Secretary of State. A.Langston Hughes B.Sojourner Truth C.Duke Ellington D.Condoleezza Rice 13. __ Acclaimed poet and author known for her autobiographical work "I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings." A.Barack Obama B.Martin Luther King Jr C.Maya Angelou D.Jesse Owens 14. __ Innovative inventor known for his work on the traffic signal and gas mask. A.Percy Julian B.Maya Angelou C.Katherine Johnson D.Garrett Morgan 15. __ Supreme Court Justice, the first African American to serve on the nation's highest court. A.Althea Gibson B.Rosa Parks C.Thurgood Marshall D.Halle Berr 16. __ Known for her role in the civil rights movement, refusing to give up her seat on a bus. A.Garrett Morgan B.Barack Obama C.Sojourner Truth D.Rosa Parks 17. __ Notable abolitionist and women's rights activist, known for her "Ain't I a Woman?" speech. A.Condoleezza Rice B.Rosa Parks C.Sojourner Truth D.Percy Julian