8 QUESTIONS - 36 ANSWERS CHRISTMAS NUMBER ONES

1	**The Christmas number one with the longest title.**
	"What Do You Want to Make Those Eyes at Me For?" - Emile Ford and the Checkmates (1959).

2	**The TWO acts that had Christmas number ones with "Mary's Boy Child".**

Harry Belafonte (1957)	Boney M (1978)

3	**The first THREE Christmas number ones in an alphabetical list**

"Always on My Mind" Pet Shop Boys (1987)	"Another Brick in the Wall (Part 2)" Pink Floyd (1979)
"Answer Me" Frankie Laine (1953)	

4	**The FOUR Christmas number ones by The Beatles**

"I Want To Hold You Hand" (1963).	"I Feel Fine" (1964).	"Day Tripper"/ "We Can Work It Out" (1965).	"Hello Goodbye" (1967)

5	**Excluding those that have charted on more than one occasion the FIVE Christmas number ones that have stayed at number 1 the longest.**

"I Will Always Love You" Whitney Houston (1992) 10 weeks.	"Here in my Heart" Al Martino (1952) 9 weeks.	"Mull of Kintyre" Wings (1977) 9 weeks.
"Rockabye" Clean Bandit (2016) 9 weeks.	"Answer Me" Frankie Laine (1953) 8 weeks.	

6	**The title of the SIX Christmas number ones of the 2020's (so far)**

2020 "Don't Stop Me Eatin'" LadBaby	2021 "Sausage Rolls for Everyone" LadBaby	2022 "Food Aid" LadBaby
2023 "Last Christmas" Wham!	2024 "Last Christmas" Wham!	2025 "XMAS" Kylie Minogue.

7	**The SEVEN "X factor" winners to have had a Christmas number one.**

Shayne Ward "That's My Goal" (2005)	Leona Lewis "A Moment Like This" (2006)	Leon Jackson "When You Believe" (2007)	Alexandra Burke "Hallelujah" (2008)
Matt Cardle "When We Collide" (2010)	Sam Bailey "Skyscraper" (2013)	Ben Haenow "Something I Need" (2014)	

8	**The EIGHT Christmas number ones that have CHRISTMAS (NOT XMAS) in the title**

"Christmas Alphabet" Dickie Valentine (1955)	"Lonely This Christmas" Mud (1974)	"Do They Know It's Christmas" Band Aid (1984)	"Merry Christmas Everyone" Shakin' Stevens (1985)
"Do They Know It's Christmas" Band Aid II (1989)	"Do They Know It's Christmas" Band Aid 20 (2004)	"Last Christmas" Wham! (2023)	"Last Christmas" Wham! (2024)