

Forrest Gump Questions

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1. How is Forrest connected to a racist nativist organization?
2. How is Forrest connected the emergence of rock and roll in the 1950s?
3. What historical event happens at Forrest's University of Alabama? Who was the governor?
4. Which president does Forrest meet because of playing football?
5. How does Forrest get into the army? How does Bubba get into the army?
6. Describe the scene when Forrest first gets to Vietnam
7. List the **all** the American wars in which lieutenant Dan's family died:
8. Explain the way Forrest Gump's battalion was attacked in Vietnam and why they had to pull back.
9. Who awards Forrest with the Medal of Honor after Vietnam?
10. How do the Black Panthers explain their purpose?

11. Explain the scene in Washington D.C. after Forrest reunites with Jenny.
12. How does Forrest fight the Cold War after Vietnam? In which country?
13. How is Forrest involved in the resignation of President Nixon?
14. What natural disaster helped Forrest make a fortune in the shrimp business?
15. Which “fruit” company does Forrest invest his money in?
16. What illness does Jenny probably have?
17. What does the feather signify?
18. On a scale of 1 to 10, with 10 being the highest or best, where would you rank this film? Why?
19. How does knowing history help you enjoy the movie?
20. Add 5 other events that could be in this film or in a sequel to this film.