



AHH! ZOMBIES! RUN!

(Note: In order for something to qualify as “zombies,” there had to have been zombies at least once. For instance, if there was a zombie episode of *Bones*, there could be a question about the zombie episode of *Bones*, but not the entire show.)

Part 1: Television

Sometimes, a TV show that isn't about zombies decides to have zombies in an episode for...reasons. Given the description of a zombie-filled episode, name the show.

1. After successfully dispatching a squad of stormtroopers in the employ of Grand Admiral Thrawn, our heroes are dispirited to discover that the Witches of Dathomir are able to reanimate the stormtroopers as zombies.
2. The most ill-fated of the show's main cast is turned into a zombie by the combination of Worcestershire sauce, embalming fluid, and the Mir space station. When everyone else in the town starts transforming, they assume it is merely pinkeye.
3. Dr. Hugo Strange, despite being imprisoned within a famous criminal asylum, has somehow managed to release a toxin that has apparently turned most of the city (and even some of our heroes) into zombies.
4. Hank rescues Janet, but in a change from the events of a 2018 movie, she has been infected with a zombie virus. Attempts to stop the outbreak she caused lead many of our heroes to turn into zombies, which spreads the virus worldwide
5. The hero and his associates must escape a space station in which space suits that charge their wearers to breathe have gradually turned the crew into zombies.
6. In a crossover with *Millennium*, the protagonists must prevent four zombified FBI agents from becoming the Four Horsemen of the apocalypse.
7. After accidentally raising the dead, a pair of twins work with their great-uncle to defeat the zombies with the power of karaoke.
8. When a zombie outbreak hits the Candy Kingdom, a boy and a dog must save the day with the help of Science, a princess's pet rat.
9. After a halftime performance of a mashup between “Thriller” and “Heads Will Roll,” the football team wins their championship game while dressed as zombies.
10. A group of students unintentionally eat biohazardous material that turns them into zombies, and it's up to a study group to save the day.
11. Marie Laveau raises the dead to attack Miss Robichaux's Academy, but a group of witches is able to fend them off.
12. Joyce hangs up a Nigerian mask that attracts a horde of zombies; while defending themselves from the zombies, the main friend group reunites. At the end of the episode, a librarian tries convincing the principal to let the hero come back to school.
13. In the Old West, Jared Garrity tells a town that he can revive the dead, but since the deceased might hold grudges against the living, the townsfolk pay him to not do it. But—twist!---he couldn't ever do it and was just a con man. But—double twist!---unbeknownst to Garrity, he could do it, and zombies return to the town.
14. Contestants must make a main stage runway look out of the clothes of zombified former contestants. Alisa Summers goes home after an unsuccessful performance to Britney Spears's “Toxic.”

15. Maureen Ponderosa is slated to get married to Liam McPoyle, but the event is seemingly attacked by zombies. A member of the main gang reveals that the zombies were just normal people high on bath salts.

Part 2: Zombie Games

Name the video game being described. Since we're feeling generous, you'll get half a point for the right franchise and a full point if you get the exact game.

16. Mayor Burt Reynolds asks for your help to solve the zombie problem that you accidentally caused.
17. For an achievement, you can throw a splash potion of weakness at a zombie villager and give them a golden apple, curing them.
18. For a different achievement, you can steal a grenade from a Zombine (a zombified Combine Soldier).
19. After killing zombies in your swimming pool, you find your neighbor's car key.
20. In a dramatic plot twist, dinner at the St. John's Dairy Farm is revealed to be your friend Mark's legs!
21. In another dramatic plot twist, the zombies are caused by a stolen Aztec mask, and the woman the main antagonist was sleeping with is an Aztec goddess!
22. In a third dramatic plot twist, the main antagonist that you just killed tears apart the credits, revealing that he's a zombie and must be killed again!
23. Throughout the game, your goal is to drive from Savannah, Georgia, to New Orleans, Louisiana.
24. John F. Kennedy, Robert McNamara, Fidel Castro, and Richard Nixon team up to kill zombies in the Pentagon.
25. You kill zombies with sentences like, "Peas are good for you," or, "No finance charges will be incurred."

Part 3: The Many Paths to Zombification

In most zombie media, you become a zombie by getting bitten by a zombie. But that's not the only way! Tell us in what zombie franchises these methods of zombification occur.

26. Being injected with the Umbrella Corporation's T-Virus.
27. Dying, since everyone on the planet is already infected with the Wildfire virus.
28. Getting hit with radiation from a probe returning from Venus.
29. Being interred in a Mi'kmaq burial ground in the woods near Ludlow, Maine.
30. Being hit by The Pulse through the phone network across the globe, including in Maine.
31. Consuming the energy drink Max Rager alongside tainted Utopium.
32. Speaking English.
33. Getting proposed to by Victor Van Dort.
34. Getting the *Cordyceps* brain infection.
35. Getting stung by an *Ampulex Compressa Giganteus* wasp, a species genetically engineered to stimulate beef production.
36. Being shot with electrode guns by extraterrestrials who believe humanity is going to create a solar bomb capable of destroying the universe.

Part 4: Zombies Across the World

What is the proper name for ...

37. ... the German zombie-like creature that, due to suicide or improper burial procedure, consumes its burial shroud after death? The name literally means “after-devourer” (or alternately “night-devourer”).
38. ... the medieval English zombie that is described as a soul reentering a skeletal corpse to avenge a wrong done to them in life? The term has also been applied to a type of monster in the *Doom* series, as well as to Leonardo DiCaprio.
39. ... the zombies of Icelandic and Nordic sagas, who gain a variety of supernatural powers in death and guard treasure at their burial places? (They do so in *Skyrim* as well.)
40. ... the zombies of China, who are believed to eat children and to travel primarily via hopping?
41. ... the type of Haitian voodoo sorcerer (and servant of Baron Samedi) who might be able to zombify a corpse and get it to do his bidding?
42. ... the aspects of subjective conscious experience lacking in a zombie, according to the philosophical definition of a zombie?

Part 5: Zombie Music

It's an undead man's party! Answer these questions about zombies in music.

43. *Night of the Living Dead* (which owed much of its drive-in success to theaters in Illinois) is the basis of a meditation on our nation's ghoulish history in the characteristically-titled 2005 song “They Are Night Zombies!! They Are Neighbors!! They Have Come Back from the Dead!! Ahhhh!” by what singer-songwriter?
44. A massively successful (and thematically appropriate) 90s music video features what singer covered in gold paint and surrounded by silver-painted cherubic young boys?
45. “Jumbie Jamboree” (also known as “Zombie Jamboree”) was recorded by a number of calypso performers in the 1950s before being made famous by Harry Belafonte. One of the earliest was The Charmer, also known as Calypso Gene. He later changed careers and for the past 45 years has led an organization labeled by the Southern Law Poverty Center as a hate group. By what name is he best known?
46. Speaking of, what five-part group, best known for the theme song of a '90s game show, has also performed renditions of “Zombie Jamboree?”
47. The title track from the 1976 album *Zombie* was about how the Nigerian military would mindlessly follow orders and kill people. The album is by what musician? It's believed that the album led the military to storm his commune, leading to his mother's death.
48. In 1969, an American group called The Original “Zombies” went on tour in the US pretending to be the Zombies. The group's members were Seab Meador, Mark Ramsey, and two men who went on to be members of what other alphabetically-challenged band?
49. The closest Rob Zombie has ever come to the Billboard Hot 100 was hitting #16 on the Bubbling Under Charts (effectively #116 on the Hot 100) with what debut single and absolute banger?

50. “Zombies” is the fourth track off of Childish Gambino’s 2018 album *“Awaken, My Love!”* It’s also the only song on the album whose lyrics weren’t just written by Childish Gambino—they were co-written with what Oscar-winning composer who also co-produced the album?
51. The song “Monster” is credited to Kanye West and four featured artists. Which one of the featured artists mentions “a zombie with no conscience?”

Part 6: The Quotable Zombie

Zombie media may not always have the highest budgets, but they do have some memorable lines. Fill in the missing line.

52. “You used to really be scared here.”
 “Johnny.”
 “Hey, you’re still afraid!”
 “Stop it now! I mean it!”
 “_____.”
 “Stop it! You’re ignorant!”
53. “Take car. Go to Mum’s. Kill Phil - ‘Sorry.’ - grab Liz, go to the Winchester, have a nice cold pint, and wait for all of this to blow over. How’s that for a _____?”
54. “All we want to do is eat your brains!
 We’re not unreasonable.
 I mean, _____.”
55. “You found me beautiful once.”
 “_____.”
56. “It is a truth universally acknowledged, that a zombie in possession of _____.”
57. “If it means anything now, I am so sorry. It was just instinctive.”
 “It was my bad. I was never a very good practical joker.”
 “So do you have any regrets?”
 “_____.”
58. “You guys are in love, or whatever. But in two minutes, she’s gonna become [screeching sounds]! A zombie—not a velociraptor. And it’s the right thing to do. If you love something, _____.”
59. “A coughing chuckle filled his throat. He turned and leaned against the wall while he swallowed the pills. Full circle, he thought while the final lethargy crept into his limbs. Full

circle. A new terror born in death, a new superstition entering the unassailable fortress of forever. _____ .”

60. Finally... look, this is from a really terrible, jokey movie called *Zombie Strippers*, but the line's got badgers in it! How could we resist? And you can probably figure out the answer from context, given the nature of the film, even without having seen it.

“In old country, we use eels.”

“Eels?”

“Yes, eels. They eat the flesh”

“Sorry, but we don't have eels. Best we can do is a few rats, maybe the odd ferret. With any luck, a badger or two.”

“ _____ ? _____ ? _____ !”