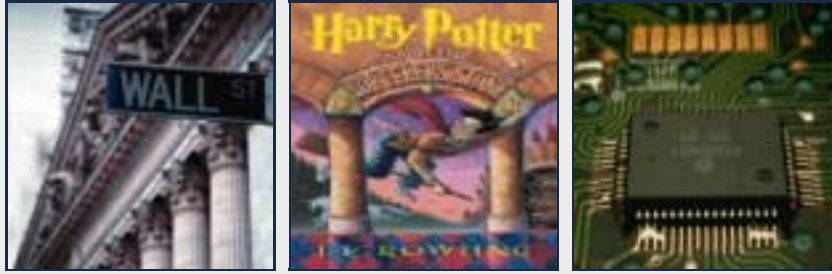


POP Culture: 1990

ICONS: Wall Street, Harry Potter, Computers,



- In 1990 the average American's income per year was \$28,970.00. By 1999, it had risen to \$40,810.00
- Stephen King's *Dolores Claiborne*, John Grisham's *The Pelican Brief*, and Danielle Steel's *Mixed Blessings*, are 1992 Bestsellers.
- A 51-day standoff in Waco, TX, begins when agents from the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms attempt to arrest Branch Davidian leader David Koresh on February 28, 1993.
- Matthew Broderick is awarded the 1995 Best Actor Tony Award for his role in the musical "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying."
- Celine Dion's *Falling Into You* wins the 1996 Album of the Year Grammy.
- Diana Princess of Wales dies in a Paris car accident, August 31, 1997.
- At age 77, John Glenn becomes the oldest astronaut in space on October 29, 1998.
- The Dow Jones Industrial Average closes above 10,000 for the first time on March 29, 1999.

The 1990 Census

U.S. Resident Population:	248,709,873
Population per square mile of land area:	70.3
Percent increase of population from 1990 to 2000:	9.8
Official Enumeration Date:	April 1
Number of States:	50
Cost:	2.5 billion
Cost per Capita (cents):	1005.2
Total Pages in Published Reports:	450,000
Number of Enumerators:	510,200
Census Bureau Director:	Barbara Everitt Bryant
Number of Questions on the Short Form:	13
Number of Questions on the Long Form:	58

10 Largest Urban Places

Rank	Place	Population
1	New York City, NY	7,322,564
2	Los Angeles, CA	3,485,398
3	Chicago, IL	2,783,726
4	Houston, TX	1,630,553
5	Philadelphia, PA	1,585,577
6	San Diego, CA	1,110,549
7	Detroit, MI	1,027,974
8	Dallas, TX	1,006,877
9	Phoenix, AZ	983,403
10	San Antonio, TX	935,933

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