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Breaking News: **QUINO DIES AT 88 . SEPTEMBER 30, 2020**

A) MATCH the QUESTIONS and ANSWERS: (TYPE the QUESTION NUMBER in the middle column)

1	WHO is QUINO?	He was born on 17th July 1932 in Mendoza, Argentina.
2	WHAT is his FULL NAME?	He was 88 years old. He died from a stroke.
3	When and where was he born?	It ran from 1964 to 1973.
4	When and where did he die?	His uncle did.
5	How old was he when he died?	His full name is Joaquín Salvador Lavado Tejón.
6	What was his profession?	She was born on September 29, 1964.
7	What is his most famous character?	He was a cartoonist.
8	When was Mafalda born?	Yes, it has. The English version is great!
9	Who is Mafalda?	He died on 30th September 2020 in BA, Argentina.
10	Has the comic strip Mafalda been translated?	It is very popular in Latin America and many parts of Europe.
11	How famous is the comic strip Mafalda?	She is a girl who from a very young age tries to understand reality. She's the main character of the social satire.
12	What is Mafalda about?	It's Mafalda.
13	Who helped Quino to awaken his vocation of cartooning at an early age?	Yes, he did. Quino won many international prizes and honors throughout his career. In 1982, Quino was chosen Cartoonist of the Year by fellow cartoonists around the world, and won twice the Konex Platinum Prize for Visual Arts. In 1988, he was named an "Illustrious Citizen" of Mendoza. In 2000 he received the second Quevedos Prize for graphical humor. In March 2014 he was awarded the French Legion of Honour. Additionally, Buenos Aires' Colegiales neighborhood named their square Plaza Mafalda. In May 2014 Quino was awarded Honorable Mention of the Argentine National Congress Senate "Senator Domingo Faustino Sarmiento". Quino was also awarded in 2014 the Prince of Asturias award in recognition of his work, 50 years after creating the character of Mafalda.
14	How long did the comic run ?	Yes. In 1960 he married Alicia Colombo. The couple never had children. Unfortunately in 1976, they escaped to Europe and they had to live in exile in Milan for several years before returning to Argentina.
15	Did Quino win any award or prize?	It is an Argentine comic strip written and drawn by cartoonist QUINO. The strip features a 6-year-old girl named Mafalda, who reflects the Argentinian middle class and progressive youth and is concerned about humanity and world peace. She also has an innocent but serious attitude toward problems.
16	Did Quino get married?	No, they didn't.
17	Did Quino and Alicia have any children?	1 He is a great Argentine cartoonist. He is well remembered for Mafalda.
18	What does the Quino bibliography consist of?	It's a list which contains 13 Mafalda comic books and 19 humor books published between 1963 and 2007.

B) NOW COPY the QUESTIONS and ANSWERS in your folder IN ORDER. TO DO MORE PRACTICE.

- 1- WHO is QUINO? He is a great Argentine cartoonist. He is well remembered for Mafalda.
- 2- WHAT is his FULL NAME? ..

C) Write the spelling in letters: (CHECK: cardinal numbers, ordinal numbers, years)

88

Year 1964:

29th:

Year 2020:

30th:

Year 1973:

17th

Year 1960:

Year 1932: Nineteen thirty-two

Year 1982:

D) ANSWER the following questions about you:

HAVE YOU EVER READ MAFALDA?

Yes, I have. / No, I haven't. (YET).

WHEN DID YOU START READING IT?

WHEN DID YOU LAST READ THE COMIC STRIP?

WHO IS YOUR FAVOURITE CHARACTER ?

...

DO YOU HAVE THE COLLECTION OF COMIC STRIPS?

Yes, I do. / No, I don't.

HAVE YOU EVER READ IT IN ENGLISH?

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E) These are some images that remind us how Great QUINO WAS.... IS !!



In Mexico people wrote this: <https://www.en24.news/2020/09/farewell-to-the-teacher-mexico-mourns-the-death-of-quino-the-creator-of-the-unforgettable-mafalda.html>

"Farewell to the teacher": Mexico mourns the death of Quino, the creator of the unforgettable Mafalda

The Mafalda strip is extremely famous in Mexico and here an urban legend arose about his death that amused Quino.

There are more than 7,000 kilometers that separate Mexico from Argentina, but the comic strip of Mafalda it showed that its protagonists could well have been citizens of any Latin American nation.

Concern about war, complaints about politics, the situation of housewives, the middle class, poverty, the ambition of a few, the anxiety of others, the innocence and irreverence of children, dissatisfaction, all those topics that covered the creation of Joaquín Salvador Lavado "Quino" brought both nations closer together for decades.

And it is that millions of people in Mexico enjoyed the comic strips where a little girl expressed her desire to get off the world, in which Susanita accepted her role in society without problem.

Quino and his most endearing character are very popular in Mexico

The strip was published in the national press, but it reached the general public through compilations, which are still available today in bookstores in the country.

Although Quino stopped drawing Mafalda in 1973, Various generations of Mexicans were marked by those drawings and that is why it was not surprising that the death of the Argentine cartoonist was lamented on social networks of national characters.

Alejandra Frausto, the Secretary of Culture, wrote on Twitter: "Today the world is left without one of its great teachers. Quino, a unique comedian, creator of the unsurpassed #Mafalda and titan of Latin American graphic art, has died. We have his books, portals to the best of our humanity".

The Secretary of Culture of Mexico spoke out at the death of Quino

It has been mainly the community of cartoonists in the country that has expressed its regret.

"With Quino's departure, a whole cycle of contribution to humor and social rebellion ended, through an apparently simple children's comic strip. Goodbye to the teacher" Monero Magú, from the newspaper *The Day*.

The relationship with the country was close. In November 2008 was visiting Mexico To present *Mafalda unpublished*, which included 48 strips never before collected.

At a press conference even time was given to clarify the "urban legend", born in Mexico, about the death of Mafalda.

"Mafalda never died, let alone run over by an Army, Police or soup truck", He told the press about the creation that, he recognized, caused him a lot of laughter.

"That legend of the soup truck, because there are several versions, one that is a police truck, another that a soup truck, was born here in Mexico. It is an exclusively Mexican creation. I don't know who invented it. It's like when you are told a good political story, you wonder who is dedicated to inventing such great stories and why that person doesn't say: I was the one who created it".

Quino was amused by the legend born in Mexico about the death of Mafalda

Quino even revealed that several Mexicans assured him that they had seen the famous strip, but he admitted that he had never imagined it.

In December 2014 the Guadalajara International Book Fair dedicated a tribute to Quino on the occasion of the 50 years of Mafalda. His followers could leave him a recorded message in a booth installed in the stand of the Penguin Random House publishing house, and in just three days the congratulations to the cartoonist were already counted by the hundreds, as people made long lines to dedicate a few words to him.

Today it is those Mexican followers who have joined the signs of regret for his death.

Quino's name was soon placed on Twitter trends in the country, with numerous messages from people who shared the words of the Argentine cartoonist and also some of his most endearing strips.

"We can regret his departure or thank his life, thank you QUINO for Mafalda and therefore more, a BIG ONE, here, hoping that one day Mafalda will have the world you longed for so much" actress Claudia Lizaldi.

MORE ON THIS TOPIC: 56 years of Mafalda: the validity of a rebellious and immortal character / Quino died, we all cry / "Mafalda never died"

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