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Ever wanted to know if a famous person was  
**DEAD OR ALIVE?**

This website will help you find out.

"I always thought there should be a site like this, it makes a lot of sense and keeps us in the know." - Anonymous



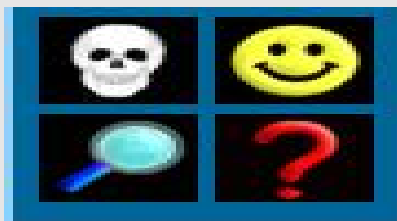
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As of **June 24, 2016** this website lists **7881** famous (and semi-famous) people from various walks of life - entertainment, politics, sports, music, law, ... and others. Hope you find who you're looking for. To get started, click the graphic above, or if you prefer the **frames version** (it's the one with the separate navigation bar), click [here](#).

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Logo



URL

<http://www.deadoraliveinfo.com/dead.nsf/pages-nf/main>

Subject

Biography - Dictionaries

***Accessibility*** Free

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***Scope and Coverage***

As of June 24, 2016 this website lists 7881 famous (and semi-famous) people from various walks of life - entertainment, politics, sports, music, laws and others. This site tracks whether famous people are still alive or whether they have passed away.

It represents Birthdays Today, Died on this Date, Died in the last 6 months, Died Before Age 30, People Alive Over 85, Lived to 100 and such other categories.





This website was created and developed in the US and focuses particularly on people known in this country. Many of those people are Americans, but also included are people from many other countries around the world. Decisions on who to include are made on a case by case basis, but the person needs to be known in the US.

***Kind of Information*** This website keeps track of whether famous people are dead or alive. The site contains a lot of other information, but that's the one thing and everything is built around that. The site lists people who have died "recently".

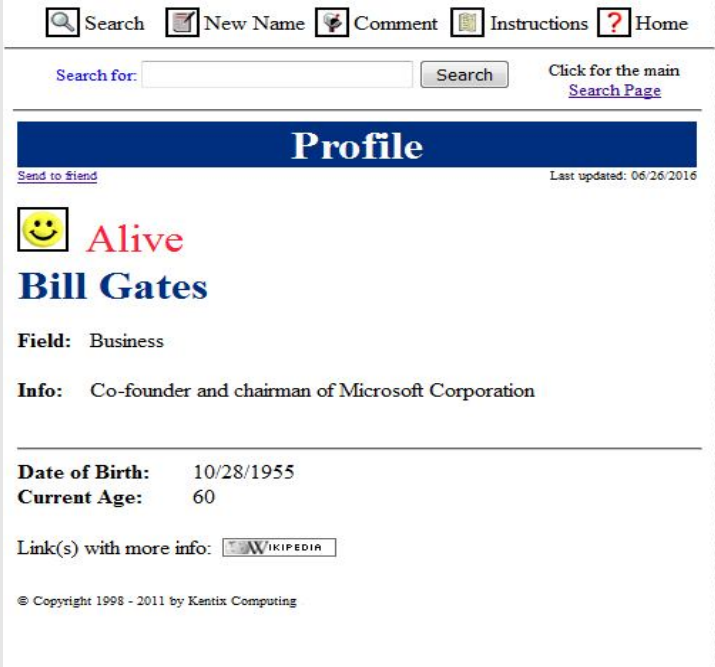
There are some symbols before indexing of every entry that represents -

## Symbols

There are a number of symbols that are used throughout this website:

-  indicates the person is dead
-  indicates the person is alive
-  indicates the person is missing
-  indicates that the status of the person is unknown

There are two basic criteria for including people on the website. First, they have to be **famous** for something. Second, they have to meet the **age/date** criteria. The site tracks people who have been alive in the last 50 years. People who have been dead longer than 50 years are considered closed cases for the purpose of the site. The entry is represented likely--



The screenshot shows a website profile page for Bill Gates. At the top, there is a navigation bar with icons and links for Search, New Name, Comment, Instructions, and Home. Below this is a search bar with the text "Search for:" and a "Search" button. A link "Click for the main Search Page" is also present. The main heading is "Profile" in a blue box. Below the heading, there is a "Send to friend" link and a "Last updated: 06/26/2016" timestamp. The profile status is "Alive" with a smiley face icon. The name "Bill Gates" is displayed in large blue letters. Below the name, the field "Business" is listed. The "Info" section states "Co-founder and chairman of Microsoft Corporation". A section for "Date of Birth" shows "10/28/1955" and "Current Age" shows "60". A link for "Link(s) with more info:" points to a Wikipedia link. At the bottom, there is a copyright notice: "© Copyright 1998 - 2011 by Kentix Computing".

## Special Features

- ❖ This site is showing survey results and giving close-based questionnaires to users for purpose of survey.
- ❖ It highlights dead or alive quizzes, put'em in order quizzes, guess the age quizzes, two new quizzes, visitors stories, related links, RSS feed, Statistics, Privacy policy, Advertising Info etc.


- ❖ With the standard search, there are also two type of searching that are

Search by date:



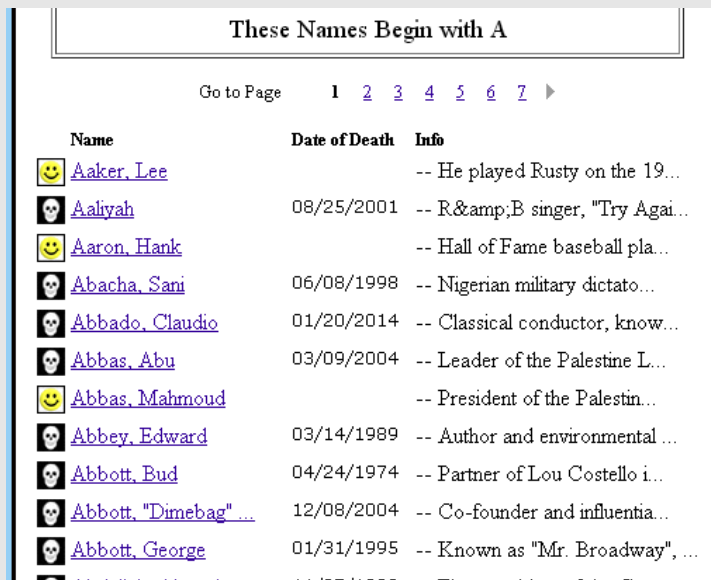
Combined Search:












- ❖ There is also provision for Fuzzy search: Normally, if an exact match of a name is found, the profile for that person will be displayed. To bypass that behaviour and to show all profiles that contain a match for that name, one should click the Fuzzy search box.
- ❖ Link to Wikipedia with every person's biography.
- ❖ There is 'send to friend' link above each and every biography for sending link of related biography and add personal message to friend's email.
- ❖ Suggestion can be made by any one through comment by clicking  **Comment** option.

## Arrangement Pattern

Alphabetical arrangement of entries is found there. For example, under the alphabet “A” there are persons arranged by their surnames like:



The screenshot shows a web page titled "These Names Begin with A". Below the title is a "Go to Page" navigation bar with links for pages 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7. The main content is a table with three columns: Name, Date of Death, and Info. The names are listed in alphabetical order by surname. Each name is preceded by a small icon: a smiley face for living individuals and a skull for deceased individuals.

Name	Date of Death	Info
 <a href="#">Aaker, Lee</a>		-- He played Rusty on the 19...
 <a href="#">Aaliyah</a>	08/25/2001	-- R&B singer, "Try Agai...
 <a href="#">Aaron, Hank</a>		-- Hall of Fame baseball pla...
 <a href="#">Abacha, Sani</a>	06/08/1998	-- Nigerian military dictato...
 <a href="#">Abbado, Claudio</a>	01/20/2014	-- Classical conductor, know...
 <a href="#">Abbas, Abu</a>	03/09/2004	-- Leader of the Palestine L...
 <a href="#">Abbas, Mahmoud</a>		-- President of the Palestin...
 <a href="#">Abbey, Edward</a>	03/14/1989	-- Author and environmental ...
 <a href="#">Abbott, Bud</a>	04/24/1974	-- Partner of Lou Costello i...
 <a href="#">Abbott, "Dimebag" ...</a>	12/08/2004	-- Co-founder and influentia...
 <a href="#">Abbott, George</a>	01/31/1995	-- Known as "Mr. Broadway", ...

It represents arrangement of persons by Birth days today, Died on this date, Died in the last 6 months, Died before age 30, People alive over 85, Lived to 100, By field, By sex, By cause of death, Random name, Recently added profile etc. Category-wise arrangement (By Field) is shown in alphabetical order. Person names under each category (within By Field) are arranged in alphabetical sequence. Some screen shots are given below for clear understanding:

Sorted By Field			
			↑ Previous
Name	Date of Death	Age	
16	▶ <a href="#">Architecture</a>		
62	▶ <a href="#">Art</a>		
128	▶ <a href="#">Business</a>		
51	▶ <a href="#">Cartooning/Comics</a>		
12	▶ <a href="#">Cooking</a>		
119	▶ <a href="#">Crime</a>		
7	▶ <a href="#">Economics</a>		
11	▶ <a href="#">Education</a>		
3335	▶ <a href="#">Entertainment</a>		
22	▶ <a href="#">Espionage</a>		
101	▶ <a href="#">Exploration</a>		
66	▶ <a href="#">Fashion</a>		
20	▶ <a href="#">History</a>		
63	▶ <a href="#">Inventing</a>		
213	▶ <a href="#">Journalism</a>		
15	▶ <a href="#">Labor Union</a>		
51	▶ <a href="#">Law</a>		
11	▶ <a href="#">Law Enforcement</a>		

Sorted By Field			
		↑ Previous	↓ Next
Name	Date of Death	Age	
16	▼ <a href="#">Architecture</a>		
☠	<a href="#">Fuller, Buckminster</a>	07/01/1983	87
😊	<a href="#">Gehry, Frank</a>		
☠	<a href="#">Gropius, Walter</a>	07/05/1969	86
☠	<a href="#">Hundertwasser, Friedensreich</a>	02/19/2000	71
😊	<a href="#">Jahn, Helmut</a>		
☠	<a href="#">Johnson, Philip</a>	01/25/2005	98
☠	<a href="#">Le Corbusier</a>	08/27/1965	77
☠	<a href="#">Niemyer, Oscar</a>	12/05/2012	104
😊	<a href="#">Pei, I. M.</a>		
😊	<a href="#">Portman, John</a>		
☠	<a href="#">Rouse, James</a>	04/09/1996	81
☠	<a href="#">Saarinen, Eero</a>	09/01/1961	51
☠	<a href="#">Speer, Albert</a>	09/01/1981	76
☠	<a href="#">Utzon, Jern</a>	11/29/2008	90
☠	<a href="#">van der Rohe, Ludwig Mies</a>	08/17/1969	83
☠	<a href="#">Wright, Frank Lloyd</a>	04/09/1959	91

In case of the People Alive Over 85 category, persons are arranged according to their age.

People Alive Over 85			
Go to Page			
	1	2	3
<a href="#">1</a>	<a href="#">2</a>	<a href="#">3</a>	<a href="#">4</a>
<a href="#">5</a>	<a href="#">6</a>	<a href="#">7</a>	<a href="#">8</a>
<a href="#">9</a>	<a href="#">10</a>	▶	
Name	Age	Date of Birth	Field
<a href="#">Ruby Muhammad</a>	110	20/03/1906	Religion
<a href="#">Irwin Corey</a>	101	29/07/1914	Entertainment
<a href="#">Norman Lloyd</a>	101	08/11/1914	Entertainment
<a href="#">Herman Wouk</a>	101	27/05/1915	Literature
<a href="#">David Rockefeller</a>	101	12/06/1915	Business
<a href="#">Beverly Cleary</a>	100	12/04/1916	Literature
<a href="#">Olivia de Havilland</a>	99	01/07/1916	Entertainment
<a href="#">Malcolm Toon</a>	99	04/07/1916	Politics
<a href="#">Kirk Douglas</a>	99	09/12/1916	Entertainment
<a href="#">Zsa Zsa Gabor</a>	99	06/02/1917	Entertainment
<a href="#">Vera Lynn</a>	99	20/03/1917	Music
<a href="#">R.G. Armstrong</a>	99	07/04/1917	Entertainment
<a href="#">I. M. Pei</a>	98	26/04/1917	Architecture
<a href="#">Joan Fontaine</a>	98	22/10/1917	Entertainment
<a href="#">Bobby Doerr</a>	98	07/04/1918	Sports
<a href="#">Yasuhiro Nakasone</a>	98	27/05/1918	Politics
<a href="#">June Foray</a>	97	18/09/1917	Entertainment
<a href="#">Baby Peggy</a>	97	26/10/1918	Entertainment
<a href="#">Billy Graham</a>	97	07/11/1918	Religion

**Remarks**

The site seems to favour the American people. Though for knowing the date of birth and death of famous American people on various strata of life this site works as a valuable tool, the extremely short nature of the biographical information, lack of images of the persons add much to the woes of the users.

**Comparable Tools**

- Bio.(<http://www.biography.com/>)
- S9.com biographical dictionary ( <http://s9.com/>)

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