

URNS OF THE CENTURY

Each of the following famous people lived through a turn of a century--but which century? Six of them were alive in 1501, six in 1601, six in 1701, and six in 1801. Can you sort out who's who?

As a help, here's a timeline showing the periods during which these people lived. Each bar on the timeline represents one of these people's life spans, and the color of each bar corresponds to one of the seven categories under which the people are listed below. Determining which color represents which category is part of the puzzle.

AUTHORS

Lord (George Gordon) Byron
Sir Walter Scott
Voltaire

EXPLORERS

Amerigo Vespucci
Juan Ponce de León
Ferdinand Magellan

RULERS

Elizabeth I
Louis XIV
Napoleon Bonaparte

MULTITALENTED

(People who fit into more than one category)

Francis Bacon
René Descartes
Leonardo da Vinci
Sir Walter Raleigh

COMPOSERS

Johann Sebastian Bach
Ludwig van Beethoven
Joseph Haydn
Antonio Vivaldi

PAINTERS/SCULPTORS

Francisco de Goya
El Greco
Michelangelo Buonarroti

SCIENTISTS/ MATHEMATICIANS

Daniel Bernoulli
Nicolaus Copernicus
Galileo Galilei
Isaac Newton

