

Prexcyt Quest: The First Cryptex Hunt Solution Guide

Hot Stuff (Fire Pillar)

Several hints scattered throughout the setting should lead you to Billy Joel: Bill on the piano, John at the bar (both references to “Piano Man”). Bill mentions a “storm front coming on the radio”, which is similar to a line from the Billy Joel song “Storm Front”.

When you solve the trivia, you’ll notice that they’re on odd assortment of names. If they don’t ring a bell, you can search on them, finding that they all occur in the song, “We Didn’t Start the Fire” by Billy Joel. “We Didn’t Start the Fire” was first released on the album, *Storm Front*, confirming your finding. The song will provide the order to your trivia answers.

The sign over the bar says: Once you have your order, please wait and take in the ambience. As you’ve been gathering your answers, Bill has been singing his song, where every line has a number reference. Use these to index against the list of trivia answers in song order.

Num	Clue	Answer	Song	Num	Idx
11	Former American automobile manufacturer ...	Studebaker	Once in a lifetime	1	S
10	Said "Those who do not remember the past ...	Santayana	For all I know	4	T
8	Succeeded Joseph Stalin as leader ...	Malenkov	Seven years ...	7	O
12	Italian conductor; music director ...	Toscanini	For I was ...	4	C
3	King of the wild frontier. [8]	Crockett	But I took five...	5	K
7	Usually coupled with the ivy. [5]	Holly	Who's the one ...	1	H
2	Cuban communist revolutionary. [6]	Castro	Six days a week	6	O
4	A popular symbol for commercial failure. [5]	Edsel	I'd plead the fifth	5	L
5	Believes no friend is as loyal as a book. [9]	Hemingway	Three times I called	3	M
6	Saigon was renamed after him. [2 3 4]	Ho Chi Minh	Three times I waited	3	C
13	Nixon's scandal. [9]	Watergate	I hope the third ...	3	T
9	Actor who served as the 40th president ...	Reagan	We are ones ...	1	R
1	High-ranking title given to Usuli ...	Ayatollas	To be eternal.	2	Y

Resulting in: STOCKHOLM CTRY (country)

Solution: SWEDEN