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## **Sobriquets**

Sobriquet	Actual Name
Blighty	Great Britain
Britain of South	New Zealand
Beantown	Boston, Massachusetts, US
Brisvegas	Brisbane, Queensland, Australia
Chocolate City	Washington DC
City of brotherly love	Philadelphia
City of Dreaming spires	Oxford, England
City of Eternal springs	Quito, South America
City of Golden gate	San Francisco, US
City of Magnificent distances	Washington DC
City of Seven Hills	Rome
City of Skyscrapers	New York
Cockpit of Europe	Belgium
Dark Continent	Africa
Emerald Island	Ireland
Empire City	New York
Eternal City	Rome
Forbidden City	Lhasa, Tibet
Frisco	San Francisco, California
Garden of England	Kent, England
Gift of Nile	Egypt
Gotham	New York
Granite City	Aberdeen, Scotland
Great White Way	Broadway, New York
Hermit kingdom	Korea
Herring Pond	Atlantic Ocean
Hogtown	Toronto, Canada
Holy Land	Palestine
Holy Mountain	Fujiyama, Japan
Humming Bird	Trinidad
Island Continent	Australia
Island of Cloves	Zanzibar
Island of Fire	Iceland
Island of Pearls	Bahrain
Key of Mediterranean	Gibraltar
Land of Cakes	Scotland
Land of Canals	Netherlands
Land of Golden fleece	Australia



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Land of Golden Pagoda	Myanmar (Burma)
Land of Kangaroo	Australia
Land of Lilies	Canada
Land of Maple leaf	Canada
Land of Marble	Italy
Land of Midnight Sun	Norway
Land of Morning calm	Korea
Land of Pagoda	Myanmar
Land of Perpetual Greenery	Natal
Land of Rising Sun	Japan
Land of Thousand Lakes	Finland
Land of Thunderbolt	Bhutan
Land of white elephants	Thailand
Land of Windmills	Netherlands
Manchester of Orient	Osaka, Japan
Never Never Land	Prairies of North Australia
Pearl of Antilles	Cuba
Pearl of <mark>Orient</mark>	Hong Kong
Pillars of Hercules	<u>Gibraltar Strait</u>
Playgrou <mark>nd of Europe</mark>	Switzerland
Port of five seas	Moscow
Powder keg of Europe	Balkans
Quaker City	Philadelphia, US
Power Keg of Europe	Balkans
Queen of Adriatic	Venice, Italy
Queen of Arabian sea	Kochi, India
Roof of World	Pamir
Sick man of Europe	Turkey
Sin City	Las Vegas, Nevada US
Sorrow of China	River Hwang Ho
Sugar bowl of world	Cuba
The Antipodes	Australia and New Zealand
The Bayou City	Houston, Texas, US
The Beeb	British Broadcasting Corporation
The Big Apple	New York City
The Big D	Dallas, Texas, US
The Big Easy	New Orleans, Louisiana
The Big smoke	Toronto, Canada
The City of Joy	Kolkata, India
The City of Light	Paris
The City by the Bay	San Francisco, Cali, US
The Dragon	China
The Emerald isle	Ireland, Puerto Rico
The Federal City	Washington DC
The old lady of <i>Threadneedle street</i>	The Bank of England
The Paris of Baltics	Riga, Latvia
The Paris of South	Sa'o Paulo, Buenos Aires
The Paris of West	San Francisco, US
The Red Devils	Manchester United Football Club
The Rock (Prison)	Alcatraz Prison
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The steel city	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Tinseltown	Hollywood, California, US
Westminster	British Parliament
Venice of North	Stockholm, Sweden
White City	Belgrade
White Man's Grave	Guinea Coast
Windy City	Chicago, US
World's Bread Basket	Prairies of North America
World's loneliest Island	Tristan da Cunha

Sobriquets, Nicknames of Various places of India

Sobriquet	Actual Name
Bengal's sorrow	River Damodar
Bihar's s <mark>orrow</mark>	River Kosi
Blue Mountains	Nilgiri
City of Palaces	Kolkata
Garden City of India, Silicon City of India	Bangalore
Queen of Arabian Sea	Kochi
Spice Garden of India	Kerala
Venice of the East	Alappuzha
Manchester of India	Ahmadabad
Silk City of India	Bhagalpur
City of Lakes	Udaipur
Spiritual and Religious Capital of India	Varanasi
Financial Capital of India, Mayanagri,	Mumbei
City of Dreams	Mumbai
Mini Mumbai	Indore
Manchester of South India	Coimbatore
Scotland of East	Shillong
Gateway of Northeast India	Guwahati
Pink City of India	Jaipur
Leather City of India	Kanpur
Steel City of India	Jamshedpur
City of Nawabs	Lucknow
Temple City	Madurai
Dev Bhumi	<u>Uttarakhand</u>
God's own Country	<u>Kerala</u>
Paris of East	Puducherry
Diamond City of India	Surat
City of Textiles	Panipat
City of Oranges	Nagpur
Queen of Mountains	Mussorie
City of Pearls, City of Nizams	Hyderabad
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Sobriquets	Primary Names
Father of the Nation	Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi
Joe the Plumber	Samuel Joseph Wurzelbacher, an American plumbing
Joe the I lumber	contractor.
Genghis Khan	Temüjin
The General	Irish Criminal Martin Cahill
El Cauclillo	Francisco Franco
Chacha	Jawaharlal Nehru
Loknayak	Jayaprakash Narayan
Maid of Orleans	Joan of Arc
Man of Peace	Lal Bahadur Shastri
Desert Fox	Erwin Rommel
Punjab Kesari	Lala Lajpat Rai
The God <mark>father</mark> of Soul	James Brown
Guruji	M S Gohlwalkar
Man of Destiny	Napolean Bonaparte
The Elephant Man	Joseph Merrick
The Edge	David Howell Evans, guitarist in the rock band U2
The Duke	John Wayne
Dubya	George W. Bush
Man of Blood and Iron	Otto Von Bismark
The Cincinnatus of the	George Washington
Americans	CALIFORNIA CONTRACTOR OF A CONTRACT
The Fab Four	The Beatles
Grits	a media term for the Liberal Party of Canada
Jesse "The Mind" Ventura	Jesse Ventura, Professional Wrestler and Former
	Governor of Minnesota
Jesse "The Body" Ventura	Jesse Ventura, Professional Wrestler and Former
	Governor of Minnesota
Father of his country	George Washington
Honest Abe	Abraham Lincoln
His Airness	Michael Jordan
The Hick from French Lick	Larry Bird
Haryana Hurricane	Kapil Dev
Hanoi Jane	Jane Fonda
The Glimmer Twins	Mick Jagger and Keith Richards, Rolling Stones
	originals members, they co-write most of the hits.
The Gray Lady	The New York Times
Panditji	Jawaharlal Nehru
The Greatest	Muhammad Ali boxer[1]
The Great One	Wayne Gretzky, WHA/NHL hockey player
The Great Emancipator	Abraham Lincoln, The 16th President of the United
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The Great Communicator	Ronald Reagan, The 40th President of the United
	States of America
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The Governator	Arnold Schwarzenegger, 38th Governor of California
King Maker	Earl of Warwick
GOP (Grand Old Party)	Republican Party (United States)
The Golden Bear	Jack Nicklaus
	William Pitt, 1st Earl of Chatham ("Pitt the Elder") or
The Great Commoner	William Jennings Bryan
<b>Bonnie Prince Charlie</b>	Charles Edward Stuart
Canuck	Canadian, from Johnny Canuck
Caligula	Gaius Julius Caesar Augustus Germanicus
The Bambino	George Herman Ruth, Jr., American baseball Player
Buddha	Siddhartha Gautama
Broadway Joe	Joe Namath, AFL/NFL American Football player
The Bard	William Shakespeare
Brangelina	Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie
Boom Boom Afridi	Shahid Afridi
Saint of t <mark>he Gutters</mark>	mother Teresa
Bono	Paul Hewson
The You <mark>ng Pretender</mark>	Charles Edward Stuart
Body Beautiful Beale	Edith Bouvier Beale
Bloody Mary	Mary I of England
Birdman	Chris Andersen
Bird	Charlie Parker
The Boston Strangler	Albert DeSalvo
The Boss	Bruce Springsteen
The Bird	Mark Fidrych, Baseball pitcher
Biggie Smalls	Christopher Wallace, American Hip-Hop and rap
	singer
Bonzo	John Bonham
Dr. Death	Jack Kevorkian proponent of assisted suicide
Iceman	George Gervin,
Kaviguru	Rabindranath Tagore
Ike Dwight	David Eisenhower
Deshbandhu	C. R. Das
Bard of Twickenham	Alexander Pope
Bard of Avon	William Shakespeare
Badshah Khan / Frontier Gandhi	Abdul Ghaffar Khan
Adi Kavi	Valmeeki
Chemical Ali	Muhammad Saeed al-Sahhaf,
Nightingale of India	Sarojini Naidu
Angel of Death	Josef Mengele
The Doctor	Valentino Rossi
Digger Diamond Dava	Australian soldier
Diamond Dave	David Lee Roth, Singer
DeathStar Notaii	DeskStar, Subhash Chandra Bose
Netaji Wizard of the North	Walter Scott
Grand Old Man of Britain	Willian Ewart Glandstone
	Konrad Adenauer
der Alte (the old man) Qaid-e-Azam	Mohammad Ali Jinnah
Gurudev	Rabindranath Tagore
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Prince of Kolkata	Saurav Ganguly
Sandman	Howard Sims, dancer
Saint Jimmy	Billie Joe Armstrong
The Rock Chameleon	David Bowie
The Rock (person)	Dwayne Johnson
The Rat Pack	A group of American singers and entertainers from the
	late 1950s to the early 1970s
The Red Baron	Manfred von Richthofen,
Old Rough and Ready	Zachary Taylor
Ike	Dwight David
Slash	Saul Hudson, guitarist.
Joltin' Joe	Joe Dimaggio, Baseball player; former husband of Marilyn Monroe
Fuhrer	Adolf Hitler
Pearl of the Orient	Philippines
Lokmanya	Bal Gangadhar Tilak
Pelé	Edson Arantes do Nascimento
The Paris of the South	São Paulo and Buenos Aires
Deenabandhu	C F Andrews
The Rawalpindi Express	Shoaib Akhtar
The Teflon Don	mobster John Gotti
	originally used derogatorily by Southerners but now
Yank (a short form of "Yankee")	only heard outside the USA
Yardbird	jazz saxophonist Charlie Parker (Also shortened simply to "Bird")
X-22	backgammon champion Paul Magriel.
Uncle Sam	the U.S.A. or sometimes the government
Turd Blossom	name given by George W. Bush to Karl Rove
Tricky Dick	Richard Nixon, 37th President of the United States
Trane	John Coltrane
Satchmo	Louis Armstrong
The Thin White Duke	David Bowie, Actor, Entertainer
The Say Hey Kid	Willie Mays, American, Major League baseball player and Hall of Famer
Super Star	Tamil Actor(Indian) Rajinikanth
The Sultan of Swat	Babe Ruth, Major league Baseball player and Hall of
	Famer
Sting	Gordon Sumner, British rock musician
Soapy Sam	Samuel Wilberforce, Bishop of Oxford
Slowhand	Eric Clapton
Slick Willy Drings of the Humanista	U.S. President Bill Clinton
Prince of the Humanists	Desiderius Erasmus
The Toxic Twins	Aerosmith members Steven Tyler and Joe Perry, referred to as such because of their massive drug intake during the 70's and 80's
Knick Killer	Reggie Miller
Larry Legend	Larry Bird
The Little Sparrow	Sezen Aksu
The Little oparton	
The King (of all Media)	Howard Stern
The King (of all Media) Little Richard	Howard Stern Rev. Richard Wayne Penniman, a prominent figure in



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	rock n' roll.
The Lion of the Round Top	Col. Joshua L. Chamberlain,
The Killer	Jerry Lee Lewis
The Old Pretender	James Francis Edward Stuart
Madiba	Nelson Mandela
Frontier Gandhi	Abdul Gaffar Khan
Madge	Madonna
The King of Spin	Shane Warne
The King of Spain	Ashley Giles
The King of Pop	Michael Jackson
King James	LeBron James
The King (of Rock and Roll)	Elvis Presley
The King (of NASCAR)	Richard Petty
The King (of golf)	Arnold Palmer
The King (of baseball)	Felix Hernandez
Grand O <mark>ld Man of India</mark>	Dadabhai Naoroji
Old Kinderhook (OK)	Martin Van Buren,
Old Hick <mark>ory</mark>	Andrew Jackson,
Old Blue Eyes	Frank Sinatra, entertainer
Anna	C N Annadurai
Old St. Nick	Santa
Old Nick	Santa
Rajaji	C Rajagopalachari
The Man from Tennessee	Andrew Jackson
Mr. Hockey	Gordie Howe
Mr. October- Reggie Jackson	Major League Baseball Player and Hall of Famer
Iron Duke	Duke of Wellington
The Mick	Mickey Mantle
Mahatma Gandhi	Mohandas K. Gandhi
Kaká	Ricardo Izecson dos Santos Leite
The Myth	Bodybuilding great Sergio Oliva
The Material Girl	Madonna
Manitas de Plata	Flamenco guitarist Ricardo Baliardo

## Famous Persons – India

Nick Name	Person
Nightingale of India	Sarojini Naidu
Father of the nation,	M K Gandhi
Mahatma, Bapu	
Frontier Gandhi,	Khan Abdul Gaffar Khan
Badshah Khan	
Strong Man, Iron Man,	Vallabh bhai Patel



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Sardar	
Deshpriya	Jatindra Mohan Sengupta
Mahamana	Madan Mohan Malviya
Andhra Kesari	T Prakasam
Sahid-e-Azam	Bhagat Singh
Deenbandhu	C F Andrews
Deshbandhu	Chitranjan Das
Lokmanya	Bal Gangadhar Tilak
Rajaji, CR	Chakravarti Rajagopalachari
Punjab Kesari	Lala Lajpat Rai
Rajarshree	Purushottam Das Tondon
<u>Lal, Bal, Pal</u>	Lala Lajpat Rai, Bal Gangadhar Tilak, Bipin Chandra Pal
Young Turk	Chandra Shekhar
Netaji	Subhash Chandra Bose
Borinval <mark>a Maharaj,</mark>	Ravi Shankar Vyas
Ravishan <mark>kar Maharaj,</mark>	
Mukseva <mark>k</mark>	

#### Famous Nicknames of Popular persons in field of Arts, Music, Literature

Shakespeare of India	Kalidas
Viswa Kavi, Kaviguru, Gurudev	Rabindranath Tagore
Grandfather of Indian Films	Dhundiraj Govind Phalke
Swar Kokila	Lata Mangeshkar
GBS	George Bernard Shaw
Tota-e-Hind	Amir Khusro
Kuvempu	K V Puttappa

#### Famous Nicknames of Popular persons in field of Social Service

Bengal Kesari	Ashutosh Mukherji
Babuji	Jagjeevan Ram
Morning Star of India	Raja Ram Mohan Roy
Renaissance	
Grand old man of	Dadabhai Naoroji
India	
Lokmanya	Jai Prakash Narayan
Guruji	M S Golvalkar
Mother	Mother Teresa
Anna	C N Annadurai
Amma	Mata Amritanandmai

#### Famous Nicknames of Popular persons in field of Sports

Magician of Hockey	Dhyanchand
Udanpari	P T Usha
Flying Sikh	Milkha Singh



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Haryana Hurricane	Kapil Dev
Little Master, Sunny	Sunil Gavaskar
Master Blaster	Sachin Tendulkar
Captain Cool	Mahendra Singh Dhoni
Rawalpindi Express	Shoaib Akhtar
Veeru, Multan ka	Virendra Sehwag
Sultan	
Jimmy	Mohinder Amarnath
Boom Boom	Shahid Afridi
Slow Death	Steve Bucknor
Belly	Ian Bell
The Wall, Jammy	Rahul Dravid
Aloo (Potato), Inzy	Inzamam ul Haq
Zulu	Lance Klusener
Jumbo	Anil Kumble
Very Very Special	VVS Laxman
Tiger	Mansoor Ali Khan Pataudi
Sherry, Jonty Singh	Navjot Singh Siddhu

#### Famous Nicknames of Popular persons in field of Politics, Government Service

Chacha	Jawaharlal Nehru
Priyadarshini, Iron	Indira Gandhi
Lady	
Desh Rat <mark>na,</mark>	Dr Rajendra Prasad
Ajatshatru	
Man of Peace	Lal Bahadur Shastri
Tau	Chaudhary Devi Lal
Sher-e-Kashmir	Sheikh Abdullah
Sparrow	Major General Rajinder Singh
Bang Bandhu	Sheikh Mujibur Rahman
Bihar Vibhuti	Dr Anugrah Narayan Sinha
Didi	Mamta Banerjee
Behen Ji	Mayawati
Jan Nayak	Karpuri Thakur
Bihar Kesari	Sri Krishna Singh

#### Famous Nicknames of Popular Foreigners

II Duce (The Leader)	Benito Mussolini
Lady with the Lamp	Florence Nightingale
Maiden Queen	Queen Elizabeth I
Maid of Orleans	Joan of Arc
Man of Blood and Iron	Otto Van Bismark
Fuehrer	Adolf Hitler
Little Corporal, Man of	Napoleon Bonaparte
Destiny	
Father of English	Geoffery Chaucer



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Poetry	
Uncle Ho	Ho Chi Minh
Li Kwan	Pearl Buck
Grand Old Man of	William Ewart Gladstone
Britain	
Desert Fox	Gen. Ervin Rommel
Quaid-i-Azam	Md Ali Jinnah
Bard of Avon	William Shakespeare
Earl of Warwick, The	Richard Neville
Kingmaker	

#### Famous Nicknames of Popular persons from History

King maker of Indian	Sayyed Bandhu
History	
Ajatshatru	Bindusar
Napoleon of India	Samudra Gupta
Akbar of Kashmir	Jainul Abdin

#### Famous Nicknames of Popular persons in field of Movies, Cinema

Angry Youngman, Big	Amitabh Bachhan
B, Shahenshah	
Showman	Raj Kapoor
Shotgun	Shatrughna Sinha
King Khan	Shahrukh Khan
Mr. Perfectionist	Amir Khan

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- The Angel of Death or Der Todesengel Josef Mengele, Nazi war criminal
- The Angelic Doctor Thomas Aquinas
- The Antipodes Australia and New Zealand, close to the Antipodes of Great Britain
- The Apple Isle Tasmania
- Atatürk Mustafa Kemal, first president of the Republic of Turkey
- The Athens of the North Edinburgh
- The Athens of South America Bogotá
- Auld Reekie Edinburgh, "Old Smokey" in the Scots language
- Auntie or Aunty either the Australian Broadcasting Corporation or the British Broadcasting Corporation
- Babe, The Great Bambino, The Sultan of Swat, The Titan of Terror, The Colossus of Clout, The King of Clash George Herman Ruth, Jr., American baseball player
- Baby Baby Dodds, American jazz drummer
- Baby Doc Jean-Claude Duvalier, the President of Haiti from 1971 until his overthrow in 1986
- Baghdad by the Bay—San Francisco
- Bangabandhu (Friend of Bengal) Sheikh Mujibur Rahman, 1st president of Bangladesh

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- Banker to the Poor Muhammad Yunus, 2006 Nobel Peace Prize winner and managing director of Grameen Bank
- The Bard (of Avon) William Shakespeare
- The Battleground, Battlefield, or Cock-pit of Europe Belgium, or the whole area of the former United Netherlands
- The Bayou City Houston
- Beantown Boston
- Becks David Beckham English footballer
- The Beeb The British Broadcasting Corporation
- Biebs Canadian singer/songwriter Justin Bieber
- The Big Apple Manhattan
- Big B Amitabh Bachchan Bollywood actor
- The Big Bopper Jiles Perry "J. P." Richardson, Jr.
- Big D Dallas
- The Big Easy New Orleans
- The Big Fellow Michael Collins, Irish General, Director of Intelligence, President of the Irish Republican Brotherhood & Politician.
- The Big O Roy Orbison
- The Big Smoke London, and by extension other large industrial cities including Toronto
- The Big Piece Ryan Howard, Phillies First Baseman<sup>[4]</sup>
- The Big Stick Theodore Roosevelt's diplomatic policy
- The Big Unit Randy Johnson, baseball pitcher
- The Big Yin Billy Connolly, Scottish comedian
- The Body Elle Macpherson, also Jesse Ventura
- Biggest Little City Reno, Nevada, a small casino city
- Biggie Smalls Christopher Wallace, American hip hop and rap singer
- Billy the Kid, William H. Bonney (1859–1881), the notorious Western outlaw
- The Bill The William Webb Ellis Cup trophy awarded to winners of the Rugby Union World Cup
- King Billy William III of England (1650–1702)
- Bird (or Yardbird) Charlie Parker, jazz musician
- The Bird Mark Fidrych, baseball pitcher
- Birdman Chris Andersen, U.S. basketball player known for his trademark "bird" celebration
- Blighty Great Britain (used by British servicemen abroad and expatriates)
- The Black Mamba Kobe Bryant, American basketball player for the Los Angeles Lakers
- Blackbeard Edward Teach, English pirate
- Bloody Mary Queen Mary I of England
- Body Beautiful Beale or Little Edie Edith Bouvier Beale
- Bojangles Bill Robinson, American tap dancer and actor
- Bollywood [Hindi cinema], film industry
- Boney Napoléon Bonaparte, a derogatory nickname used in Britain
- Bonnie Prince Charlie Charles Edward Stuart ("Bonnie" means handsome in the Scots Language)
- Bono (or Bono Vox) Paul Hewson, singer with U2

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- Bonzo/The Beast John Bonham, drummer with Led Zeppelin
- Boom Boom Afridi Shahid Afridi, Pakistani cricketer known for his aggressive batting style
- The Boss Bruce Springsteen, US musician
- The Boston Strangler Albert DeSalvo
- Boz Charles Dickens, Boz Burrell, English musician
- Brangelina Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie, a portmanteau name used by news media to refer to the couple
- Brat Pack group of young actors and actresses who starred in teen-oriented coming-ofage films of the '80s (by extension from "The Rat Pack" mentioned below)
- Brew City Milwaukee, famous for its beer production
- Brisvegas Brisbane, Queensland, Australia
- Broadway Joe Joe Namath, AFL, NFL, American football player
- Bubber James "Bubber" Miley, American jazz trumpeter
- Buddha Siddhartha Gautama
- Buffalo Bill American frontier showman William Frederick Cody
- Buffalo Jones Kansas frontiersman Charles "Buffalo" Jones
- Calico Jack John Rackham, English pirate
- Caligula Gaius Julius Caesar Augustus Germanicus
- Capitol Hill United States Capitol, United States of America Legislative branch of Government
- The Celtic Tiger Republic of Ireland and/or its economy during boom period of mid-1990s – mid-2000s decade
- Chemical Ali Ali Hassan al-Majid, minister in Saddam Hussein's government held responsible for the use of chemical weapons at Halabja
- Christ Jesus of Nazareth
- Comical Ali Muhammad Saeed al-Sahhaf, Iraqi information minister during the 2003 U.S. invasion; also known as Baghdad Bob, who became a minor celebrity in the west for his unflagging optimism and increasingly grandiose announcements
- Chosin Few Survivors of Korean War battle of Chosin Reservoir
- The City the city of London, as central business district of London and by extension the UK financial industry in general
- The City (or The City by the Bay) San Francisco
- The City Beautiful Coral Gables, Florida
- The City of Bridges Pittsburgh; also Saskatoon
- The City Care Forgot New Orleans
- The City of Angels/L.A. Los Angeles
- The City of Brotherly Love Philadelphia<sup>[5]</sup>
- The City of Dreaming Spires Oxford
- The City of Light Paris (La Ville-Lumière in French), also Perth, Western Australia, which lit all its streetlights for the passage of astronaut John Glenn in 1962
- The City of Medicine Durham, North Carolina
- The City of Palaces Kolkata
- The City of Joy Kolkata
- The City of the World's Desire Constantinople
- The City so Nice They Named It Twice New York, New York, also attributed to Walla Walla, Washington

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- The City that Bombed Itself Philadelphia
- The Coat Hanger Sydney Harbour Bridge, Auckland Harbour Bridge
- The Commentator Averroes, Andalusian scholar
- Coco Gabrielle Bonheur Chanel, French fashion designer
- The Collar City Troy, New York
- Colosseum Flavian Amphitheatre (Rome)
- Columbia The United States or The Americas, poetic name
- The Continent Continental Europe, generally used by British people
- Cootie Cootie Williams, American jazz trumpeter
- Country Enos Slaughter, American Major League player
- Cowtown The city of Calgary, also attributed to Fort Worth, Texas
- D.F. Mexico City, (Distrito Federal)
- Daffy Paul Dean, American Major League pitcher, brother of Dizzy Dean
- The Dark Continent Africa
- The Desert Fox Erwin Rommel, German field marshal of World War II
- Devil Dog member of the United States Marine Corps
- Diamond Dave David Lee Roth, Singer
- Digger Australian soldier
- Dixie, Dixieland (from the Mason–Dixon line of latitude, the northern limit of legal slavery); the eleven Southern states that seceded and fought against the U.S. in the American Civil

War: Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, and Virginia; still used affectionately by Southerners

- Dizzy Dizzy Gillespie, American jazz trumpeter, composer and bandleader; also Dizzy Dean, American Major Leagur pitcher, brother of Paul "Daffy" Dean; also Jason Gillespie, Australian cricketer
- Doc Oliver Perry, American jazz pianist and bandleader
- The Don Sir Donald Bradman
- The Donald Donald Trump
- Donnie Baseball Don Mattingly
- Dr. Death Jack Kevorkian proponent of assisted suicide
- Dr. J Julius Erving, Hall of Fame NBA player
- The Dragon China (as an economy)
- Dubya George W. Bush
- Dullsville Perth, Western Australia
- Duke Duke Ellington, American jazz pianist, composer and orchestra leader
- The Duke John Wayne
- The Edge David Howell Evans, guitarist in the rock band U2
- The Elephant Man Joseph Merrick
- The Edinburgh of the South Dunedin, New Zealand
- The Emerald Isle Ireland or Puerto Rico
- The Emerald City Seattle
- Emiye Menelik Emperor Menelik II of Ethiopia
- The Enchanted Isle (from 'la isla del encanto') Puerto Rico
- The Eternal City Rome

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- The Fab Five 1991 University of Michigan men's basketball team
- The Fab Four The Beatles
- The Fastest Girl on Earth Dorothy Levitt
- Fatha Earl Hines, American jazz pianist and bandleader
- Father of his country George Washington
- Fats Fats Waller, American pianist, composer and singer; also Fats Domino, American pianist and singer-songwriter
- The Federal City Washington, D.C.
- The First Lady of Waikiki Moana Hotel
- The Five O'Clock Follies U.S. Military press briefings during the Vietnam War
- Flea Michael Balzary, bassist for Red Hot Chili Peppers
- Foggy Bottom United States Department of State, named for the Washington, D.C., neighborhood in which it is headquartered
- The Fourth Estate the press
- Frisco San Francisco
- The Garden City Christchurch, New Zealand
- Garrincha Manoel Francisco dos Santos
- Gateway to the West St. Louis
- Genghis Khan Temüjin
- The Gherkin 30 St Mary Axe
- The Glimmer Twins Mick Jagger and Keith Richards, Rolling Stones original members, they co-wrote most of the hits
- The Glove Gary Payton, former NBA basketball player
- The Godfather of Grunge Neil Young
- The Godfather of Soul James Brown
- The Golden Bear Jack Nicklaus
- The Golden State California
- Good Queen Bess Queen Elizabeth I of England
- The Good Road State North Carolina
- GOC or Gods' Own County Yorkshire
- GOP (Grand Old Party) Republican Party (United States)
- Gorgeous Gussie Gertude Moran
- Gotham New York City
- The Governator Arnold Schwarzenegger, 38th governor of California
- The Grauniad *The Guardian* newspaper, England (because of its formerly frequent typographical errors, such as an edition where the masthead was spelled *The Gaurdian*)
- The Great Communicator Ronald Reagan, 40th president of the United States of America
- The Great Compromiser Henry Clay, nineteenth century Kentucky statesman
- The Great Emancipator Abraham Lincoln, 16th president of the United States of America
- The Great One Wayne Gretzky, WHA/NHL hockey player
- The Great Orator Daniel Webster
- The Great Triumvirate Henry Clay, John C. Calhoun, and Daniel Webster
- The Great White North Canada
- The Greatest Muhammad Ali, boxer



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- Grits a media term for the Liberal Party of Canada
- The Gray Lady The New York Times
- The Great Commoner William Pitt, 1st Earl of Chatham ("Pitt the Elder") or William Jennings Bryan
- Grizzly Grizzly Smith, American pro wrestler, father of Jake "The Snake" Roberts
- Grizzly Adams James Adams, California mountain man
- The Gunners Arsenal Football Club
- Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore
- Hanoi Jane Jane Fonda, for her anti-war stance during the Vietnam War including visiting Hanoi, seen as an act of treason to many Americans
- The Hardest-Working Man in Show Business James Brown
- The Haryana Hurricane Kapil Dev, Indian cricketer known for his fast bowling
- Haystack Haystacks Calhoun, American pro wrestler
- Hef Hugh Hefner
- The Hick from French Lick Larry Bird
- His Airness Michael Jordan
- (The) Hoff David Hasselhoff
- Hogtown Toronto
- Hollywood North Vancouver
- Hollywood of the South Covington, Georgia
- The Holy Land Israel or Palestine
- The Home of Cricket Lord's Cricket Ground
- Honest Abe Abraham Lincoln
- The Hub Boston
- The Humbler Danny Gatton
- The Iron Duke Arthur Wellesley, 1st Duke of Wellington
- The Iron Lady Margaret Thatcher
- Iz the Wiz Michael Martin, Graffiti writer
- Jersey Lily Lillie Langtry
- Jock a Scot, especially a Scottish soldier
- Joe Satch Joe Satriani, American instrumental rock guitarist
- Joe the Plumber Samuel Joseph Wurzelbacher, an American plumbing contractor who was cited as an example of a middle class American during the 2008 U.S. presidential election season by Republican nominee for president, John McCain
- Joltin' Joe Joe DiMaggio, Baseball player; former husband of Marilyn Monroe
- Kaká Ricardo Izecson dos Santos Leite
- The Keystone State Pennsylvania
- Kid Kid Ory, American jazz trombonist and bandleader
- The Killer Jerry Lee Lewis
- King King Oliver, American jazz trumpeter
- The King Khan Shahrukh Khan, Bollywood Actor
- The King (of baseball) Félix Hernández
- The King (of all Media) Howard Stern
- The King (of golf) Arnold Palmer
- The King (of NASCAR) Richard Petty

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- The King (of Rock and Roll) Elvis Presley
- The King of Reggae Bob Marley
- The King (of Rugby League (particularly in Australia)) Wally Lewis
- King Henrik Henrik Lundqvist
- King James LeBron James
- The King of Pop Michael Jackson
- The King of Spain Ashley Giles
- The King of Spin Shane Warne
- The King of Swing Benny Goodman, American bandleader and clarinettist
- King of Torts Joe Jamail
- Knick Killer Reggie Miller
- The Lady Aung San Suu Kyi
- Lady Day Billie Holiday, American jazz singer
- Lady Lindy Amelia Earhart<sup>[7]</sup>
- The Lady with the Lamp Florence Nightingale
- The Land of a Thousand Lakes Finland
- The Land of the Long White Cloud New Zealand
- The Land of the Morning Calm Korean Peninsula
- The Land of the Rising Sun Japan
- Larry Legend Larry Bird
- The Last Emperor Xuantong Emperor
- The Last of the Red Hot Mammas Sophie Tucker
- The Lion Willie "The Lion" Smith, American jazz pianist
- The Lion of the Round Top Col. Joshua L. Chamberlain, commander of the 20th Maine Regiment, American Civil War
- The Little Apple Manhattan, Kansas, after The Big Apple Manhattan in New York City
- The Little Corporal Napoléon Bonaparte
- Little Richard Rev. Richard Wayne Penniman, a prominent figure in rock n' roll
- The Little General Ron Lancaster, former quarterback and coach in the Canadian Football League
- The Little Fellow Charlie Chaplin
- The Little Master Sachin Ramesh Tendulkar, Indian cricketer
- Little Paris Bucharest
- The Little Sparrow Édith Piaf, French singer
- The Little Sparrow Sezen Aksu, Turkish singer
- The Long Fellow Eamon de Valera
- Luckey Luckey Roberts, American jazz pianist and composer
- Macca Sir Paul McCartney
- Mad Dog and The Professor Greg Maddux Major League Baseball Player and Hall of Famer
- Madge Madonna
- Madiba Nelson Mandela
- Mega Star Chiranjeevi (Actor), India
- Magic Earvin Johnson
- The Magic City Miami

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#### GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

- The Man Stan Musial
- The Man from Tennessee Andrew Jackson
- The Man in Black Johnny Cash
- Manitas de Plata Flamenco guitarist Ricardo Baliardo
- The Master Henry James
- The Material Girl Madonna
- The Myth Bodybuilding great Sergio Oliva
- Mahatma Gandhi Mohandas K. Gandhi
- Maynard James Herbert Keenan
- Meat Loaf Marvin Aday
- The Mick Mickey Mantle
- The Mile-High City Denver, from its elevation above sea level
- Ming (the Merciless) Sir Robert Menzies, Prime Minister of Australia (perhaps from Scots pronunciation of surname, "Mingiss")
- Mini-Mick James Jagger, eldest son of Sir Mick Jagger
- Mr. Baseball Bob Uecker, Major League Baseball Player and Hall of Fame Broadcaster honoree
- Mr. Cricket Michael Hussey, Cricket player who currently plays for Chennai Super Kings of the Indian Premier League
- Mr. Loophole Nick Freeman
- Mr. October Reggie Jackson, Major League Baseball Player and Hall of Fame honoree
- Mr. Hockey Gordie Howe
- Mr. Warmth Don Rickles, American stand-up comedian and actor
- Mr. MojRisin Jim Morrison
- Mother Monster Lady Gaga
- Mother of the World (Umm al-Dunya) (الا دند يا أم) Egypt, for its ancient history
- The Motor City Detroit, from its automotive heritage
- Motown Detroit, from its musical heritage
- The Mozart of Madras A.R.Rahman, for his widespread acclaim and fusion of Eastern and Western music in Indian Cinema
- Mrs. Brown Queen Victoria<sup>[7]</sup>
- Mrs. Bull Queen Anne<sup>[7]</sup>
- Muggsy Muggsy Spanier, American jazz cornet player; also Tyrone Bogues, NBA Player
- Muddy Waters McKinley Morganfield Singer, songwriter, guitarist, harmonica, bandleader, was an American blues musician who is often cited as the "father of modern Chicago blues"
- Naptown Indianapolis
- Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose, Indian freedom fighter, the leader of the Provisional Government of Free India and leader of Indian National Army
- New York's Finest New York City Police Department
- New York's Best NYC\*EMS, originally run by the Health and Hospitals Corporation, taken over by FDNY in 1996 and is now FDNY EMS
- New York's Bravest New York City Fire Department
- New York's Boldest New York City Department of Correction (who work in the City's jails)



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- New York's Strongest New York City Department of Sanitation
- Nightingale of India Sarojini Naidu, poet, writer, social activist
- Obamacare Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010, generally derogatory
- The Ochre City Marrakech
- The Old Bill South London Metropolitan Police
- The Old Lady of Threadneedle Street the Bank of England
- Old Nick in Christianity, the Devil
- Old St. Nick Santa Claus
- The Old Bailey The Central Criminal Court in England
- Ol' Blue Eyes Frank Sinatra
- Old Hickory Andrew Jackson, 7th president of the United States
- Old Kinderhook (OK) Martin Van Buren, 8th president of the United States
- The Old Pretender James Francis Edward Stuart
- Old Rough and Ready Zachary Taylor
- The Ox John Entwistle
- Oxford of the East University of Dhaka in the early twentieth century
- Papa Ernest Hemingway, American author
- Papa Doc François Duvalier, Haitian president
- Para or Paras British soldier in the Parachute Regiment or the parachute regiment
- The Paris of the Baltics Riga, Latvia
- The Paris of the North Riga, Latvia
- The Paris of the North Tromsø, Norway
- The Paris of the Levant/Orient Beirut
- The Paris of the West San Francisco
- The Paris of the South São Paulo and Buenos Aires
- Pearl of the Danube Budapest
- Pearl of the Orient/Pearl of the Orient Seas the Philippines
- Pearl of the Orient Hong Kong
- Pearl of the Orient Penang
- Pelé Edson Arantes do Nascimento
- Pensioneers Chelsea football club
- The Peoples champ Kevin 'Pigsy' McCann
- The People's champ Manny Pacquiao, former division 8 title holder in boxing
- The People's Princess Diana, Princess of Wales
- Perfidious Albion Great Britain (from French, *Albion perfide*)
- The Philosopher Aristotle
- The Pie Man Andy Smith (darts player)
- Pink (stylized P!nk) Alecia Moore
- Pink City Jaipur, India
- Pink Palace of the Pacific Royal Hawaiian Hotel, also known as the Pink Lady
- Pommy (or Pom) Australian name for an English person, vaguely affectionate except when "Pommy" is succeeded by "bastard"
- Poor Little Rich Girl Barbara Hutton<sup>[7]</sup>
- Porsche's Quiet Giant Lake Underwood
- Pretty Purdie Bernard Purdie
- Prez Lester Young

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## GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

- Prince of the Humanists Desiderius Erasmus
- Prince of Kolkata Saurav Ganguly
- Prince of Darkness Ozzy Osbourne
- Professor of politics (Kenya) Daniel arap Moi<sup>[9]</sup>
- The Queen City Charlotte, North Carolina
- The Queen City of the West Cincinnati Nicknames of Cincinnati
- The Queen of the Arabian Sea Cochin
- The Queen of Pop Madonna
- The Queen of Soul Aretha Franklin
- Queen of the Suburbs The residential area called Ealing in England
- Queen Sarah Sarah Churchill<sup>[7]</sup>
- The Rat Pack A group of American singers and entertainers from the late 1950s to the early 1970s
- The Rawalpindi Express Shoaib Akhtar
- The Red Arrows (British) Royal Air Force Aerobatic Team
- The Red Baron Manfred von Richthofen, World War I, German flying ace
- The Red Devils (British) parachute regiment, Manchester United Football Club
- The Red Planet Mars
- The Republic Republic of Ireland or South Africa
- The Roadrunner (person) Yvan Cournoyer
- The Rock (person) Dwayne Johnson
- The Rock (place) Newfoundland
- The Rock (prison) Alcatraz Prison
- The Rock Chameleon David Bowie
- The Rocket Maurice Richard, Hall of Fame NHL player
- Rough Riders 1st United States Volunteer Cavalry
- Rubberlips Sir Michael Philip "Mick" Jagger
- Slim Shady Eminem
- The Safari Capital of the World Nairobi
- Saint Jimmy Billie Joe Armstrong
- Saint of the Gutter Mother Teresa
- Sandman Howard Sims, dancer
- Sassenach Scottish and Irish term for an English person
- Satch Joe Satriani, American rock guitarist
- Satchmo Louis Armstrong
- Seven Sisters North Eastern Region of India inclusive of the seven states namely Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, and Tripura
- The Say Hey Kid Willie Mays, American, Major League baseball player and Hall of Fame honoree
- The Scottish Play Macbeth
- The Secretary of Defense, Gary Maddox, American, Major League baseball player
- Sher-e-Bangla (Tiger of Bengal) A. K. Fazlul Huq, twentieth century Bengali political leader and statesman
- William the Silent William I of Orange (1533–1584)
- Silicon Valley Santa Clara Valley, which includes the cities of San Jose, Mountain View, Cupertino, and Palo Alto.



#### GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

- Sin City Las Vegas
- Slash Saul Hudson, guitarist
- Slick Willie Bill Clinton, Willie Sutton, Willie Brown, W. W. Herenton
- Slowhand Eric Clapton
- The Smoke London
- The Snake the River Thames, especially the Tideway portion; also BBC's EastEnders show, from signature opening satellite image; also, Jake Roberts, American pro wrestler
- The Spider Anderson Silva, MMA legend
- Snakehips Earl Snakehips Tucker, American dancer and entertainer; also Ken Snakehips Johnson, British jazz band leader and dancer, born in British Guiana
- Soapy Sam Samuel Wilberforce, Bishop of Oxford
- The Spaceman Major League Baseball player Bill Lee
- The Splendid Splinter Baseball player Ted Williams
- Stan the Man Stan Musial, American baseball player
- The Steel Butterfly Imelda Marcos
- The Steel City Sheffield, Pittsburgh
- Steeltown Hamilton, Ontario
- Sting Gordon Sumner
- Storyville Storyville, New Orleans, the city's red-light district from 1897 to 1917; it now lies in Faubourg Tremé
- Strays Billy Strayhorn, American jazz pianist and composer
- The Subtle Doctor John Duns Scotus
- The Sultan of Swat Babe Ruth, Major league Baseball player and Hall of Fame honoree
- The Sunshine State Florida or Queensland
- Swee' Pea Billy Strayhorn, American jazz pianist and composer
- Sweets Harry Edison, American jazz trumpeter
- Teddy Ballgame Ted Williams, American baseball player
- The Teflon Don mobster John Gotti
- The Teflon Taoiseach Bertie Ahern, former Taoiseach of Ireland
- The Tiger of Malaya Tomoyuki Yamashita, general of the Imperial Japanese Army during World War II
- The Thin White Duke David Bowie, Actor, Entertainer
- The Thunderer *The Times* newspaper, London
- Toby Otto Hardwick, American jazz saxophonist
- The Toxic Twins Aerosmith members Steven Tyler and Joe Perry, due to their massive drug intake during the '70s and '80s
- Tree-Town Ann Arbor
- The Twin Cities Saint Paul and Minneapolis, Minnesota
- The Twin Towers former World Trade Center, New York City
- Tinseltown Hollywood
- Trane John Coltrane
- Tricky Dick Richard Nixon, 37th president of the United States
- Turd Blossom name given by George W. Bush to Karl Rove



#### GENERAL KNOWLEDGE

- Twentieth Century Dinosaurs sculptures of dinosaurs made by Jim Gary out of automobile parts of the twentieth century and the exhibition of them that traveled around the world
- Uncle Sam the U.S. in general or specifically, its government
- Variety Vacationland North Carolina
- Venice of the North Amsterdam, Bruges, Stockholm
- Venice of the East Alappuzha, India
- The Virgin Queen Queen Elizabeth I of England
- The Voice Whitney Houston
- The Wall Rahul Dravid; also the Western Wall in Jerusalem
- The Walled City Intramuros, Manila
- The War on the Shore 1991 Ryder Cup
- The war to end all wars World War I
- Westminster the British Parliament
- Whitehall the United Kingdom's central government and its component departments; often refers primarily to the British Civil Service
- The Windy City Chicago, Illinois (also various other cities including Wellington, New Zealand and Port Elizabeth, South Africa)
- The Wizard (Indian field hockey) Dhyan Chand
- The Wizard (American baseball) Ozzie Smith
- X-22 backgammon champion Paul Magriel
- Yankee an American of European ancestry not sympathetic to the Southern cause, originally only from the states that fought against the Confederacy in the Civil War, but now from any non-Southern state; used outside the U.S. to mean any American; sometimes derogatory in either usage
- Yank (a short form of "Yankee") originally used derogatorily by Southerners but now often heard outside the U.S.
- Yardbird jazz saxophonist Charlie Parker (also shortened simply to "Bird")
- The Young Pretender Charles Edward Stuart

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