

# Maria Callas



Maria Callas was a very prominent Greek opera singer (soprano). At a very young age, she started her music studies at the National Conservatory of Athens.

In 1941, Callas made her professional debut with the Royal Opera of Athens. She participated/sang in a great number of well-known operas, performing in the most important opera houses all over the world.

Her musical and dramatic talents led to her being hailed as “La Divina”.

## **Questions:**

- 1) When did she start playing the piano? (1p.)
- 2) What is her full name? (1p.)
- 3) These are 5 opera songs. Maria Callas did not participate in one of them. Which one? (3 p.)
  - Madame Butterfly - Puccini
  - Otello Ave Maria
  - Pace , pace , mio, Dio
  - O Fortuna
  - Signore , Ascolta

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