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*“Even the wisest mind has something yet to learn.”*  
– George Santayana

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## Web Sites

### [Rock & Roll Hall of Fame: Bob Dylan](#)

One of the premier songwriters of his time, one cannot think of folk music without thinking of Bob Dylan. This legendary singer was inducted into the Hall of Fame in 1988 and has five songs on the top 500 list of most influential songs.

<https://www.rockhall.com/inductees/bob-dylan>

### [PBS: American Masters: Bob Dylan](#)

The companion website of a film documentary directed by Martin Scorsese about the life and music of Bob Dylan. Understand Dylan's career and the impact of his music on the politics of the time, his influences, and his many musical transformations. Includes a detailed timeline of Dylan's seminal years (1961–1966). Original airdate: September 26, 2005.

<http://www.pbs.org/wnet/americanmasters/bob-dylan-about-the-film/574/>

### [Famous Singers](#)

Biographical profiles of famous singers in major musical genres. Includes photo and links to snippets of their songs.

<http://www.famoussingers.org/>

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## Hardware/Software

### [How to Disable Raise to Wake on iPhone](#)

Newer iPhone models include a feature called Raise to Wake which is enabled by default, and much as it sounds, it wakes the display as the iPhone is physically raised, whether from a surface or out of a pocket. It's a nice feature that completely removes the need to press any buttons to wake the display of an iPhone, but not all users may want to use Raise to Wake.

If you want to disable Raise to Wake on an iPhone, here's what you'll need to do.

By the way, if you have never noticed this feature or don't seem to have it, it's

likely because the iPhone is older. Raise to Wake requires an iPhone 7, iPhone 7 Plus, iPhone 6s Plus, or iPhone 6s or newer device.

### ***Disabling “Raise to Wake” on iPhone with iOS 10***

- \_ Open the “Settings” app and go to “Display & Brightness”
- \_ Locate the “Raise to Wake” setting option and toggle it to the OFF position

Once Raise to Wake is disabled you can lock the screen and raise the iPhone and nothing will happen, exactly the same as the iPhone behavior was for every other iOS release on every other iPhone model.

Aside from personal preference, some users may wish to disable Raise to Wake if they notice the feature is turning on more often than they’d like. For example, I have a friend who found they were triggering Raise to Wake frequently when on walks and they’d discover their iPhone was either stuck on the passcode entry screen or at the widgets display. One solution to that is to disable the Widgets screen in iOS 10 instead of turning off Raise to Wake, but because any screen usage can lead to faster battery drain, a better approach is likely to disable Raise to Wake if you’re accidentally enabling it instead, and you may find it helps increase iOS 10 battery life as well.

### ***How to Enable “Raise to Wake” on iPhone***

Of course you can also reverse this settings change and enable the Raise to Wake feature on an iPhone by doing the following:

- \_ Open “Settings” app and choose “Display & Brightness”
- \_ Toggle “Raise to Wake” setting to the ON position and exit Settings

Now when you physically raise the iPhone up, as if you’re looking at the display or pulling it out of a pocket to glance at, the screen will automatically turn on again. This is the default setting on new iPhone models with iOS 10.0 and newer.

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## **Famous People from American History**

### **Bob Dylan**

Singer / Songwriter

Born: 24 May 1941

Birthplace: Duluth, Minnesota

Best known as: Singer of "Like a Rolling Stone"

Name at birth: Robert Allen Zimmerman

Bob Dylan is a towering figure of late 20th century pop music, known for such songs as "All Along The Watchtower" (made into a hit by Jimi Hendrix), "Like a Rolling Stone," "Tangled Up in Blue," "The Times They Are A-Changin'" and "Lay Lady Lay." He was awarded the Nobel Prize for Literature in 2016 "for having created new poetic expressions within the great American song tradition." Bob Dylan has been recording and performing since 1962, mixing folk, country, blues and rock, sometimes startling his fans but almost always pleasing the critics. Although Dylan was an influential and frizzy-haired pop figure during the youth movement of the 1960s, his first number one hit, "Knocking on Heaven's Door," didn't come until 1973. At first strictly acoustic, he later embraced electric guitars and production values, though his reedy voice and deep-thinking lyrics remained constant. During the 1980s he toured extensively, and in the '90s his songs found a new audience and more acclaim from the music industry: in 1991 he was given a Lifetime Achievement Grammy; his 1997 album *Time Out of Mind* won three Grammys; and in 2001 Dylan won an Oscar for "Things Have Changed," from the movie *Wonder Boys* (2000). His surprising Nobel Prize win in 2016 was another remarkable tribute in his long career. In 2006 he released his first album in five years, *Modern Times*. It included the song "When the Deal Goes Down," which was made into a video directed by Bennett Miller and featuring Scarlett Johansson. Dylan's other albums include *Blonde on Blonde* (1966), *Nashville Skyline* (1969), *Blood on the Tracks* (1975), *Infidels* (1983) and *Knocked Out Loaded* (1986).

Extra credit:

Bob Dylan has recorded with a variety of other artists, including Eric Clapton, Johnny Cash, Paul Simon and The Grateful Dead... He was part of a whimsical but popular supergroup, The Traveling Wilburys, with George Harrison, Jeff Lynne, Roy Orbison, and Tom Petty. They recorded two albums in 1988 and 1990... His son Jakob Dylan is the lead singer for the band The Wallflowers... The film of Bob Dylan's 1965 tour, *Don't Look Back*, is considered one of the great rock-n-roll documentaries... Bob Dylan's tune "Like A Rolling Stone" was named the #1 song of all time by Rolling Stone magazine in November 2004.

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## Riddles You Can Tell in Class

***What do you call a frog with seven legs?***

A seven-legged frog.

***You're on top of Mount Everest. How do you get down?***

Pluck a goose.

***What do you get when you take the sun and divide its circumference by its diameter?***

Pi in the sky.

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## **This Day in History**

### ***Birthdates which occurred on November 4:***

- 1650 William III of Orange, king of England (1689–1702)
- 1876 James Fraser designed buffalo nickel
- 1879 Will Rogers Oologah Indian Territory (Oklahoma), humorist
- 1906 Bob Considine sports columnist (Bob Feller Story)
- 1913 Gig Young St Cloud MN, actor (They Shoot Horses Don't They)
- 1916 Walter Cronkite St Joseph MO, news anchor (CBS Evening News 1962–81)
- 1918 Art Carney Mount Vernon NY, actor (Ed Norton–Honeymooners)
- 1918 Cameron Mitchell Dallastown PA, actor (Buck–High Chaparral)
- 1919 Martin Balsam NYC, actor (Murray–Archie Bunker's Place, Catch 22)
- 1929 Jimmy Piersall baseball player (Red Sox, Senators, Indians)
- 1930 Doris Roberts St Louis MO, actress (Angie, Maggie, Emmy 1983)
- 1932 Noam Pitlik Philadelphia PA, actor/director (Sanford & Son, Bob Newhart)
- 1937 Loretta Swit Passaic NJ, actress (Hotlips Houlihan–M\*A\*S\*H)
- 1955 Peter Boynton Maine, actor (Tonio–As the World Turns)
- 1962 Ralph Macchio Huntington NY, actor (Karate Kid, 8 is Enough)

### ***On This Day:***

- 1842 Abraham Lincoln marries Mary Todd in Springfield, Ill
- 1845 1st nationally observed uniform election day in US
- 1854 Lighthouse established on Alcatraz Island
- 1861 University of Washington founded in Seattle
- 1862 Gatling gun patented (Richard J Gatling)
- 1866 Kingdom of Italy annexes Venetia
- 1867 90 kegs of powder used to get rock from Telegraph Hill for seawall
- 1873 Dentist John Beers of San Francisco patents the gold crown
- 1879 James & John Ritty patent 1st cash register, to combat stealing by bartenders in their Dayton, Ohio saloon
- 1884 Grover Cleveland (D) beats James G Blaine (R) for 1st presidential term
- 1922 Howard Carter discovers tomb of Tutankhamen in Egypt
- 1939 1940 Olympics awarded to Helsinki, Finland
- 1939 1st air conditioned automobile (Packard) exhibited, Chicago, Ill
- 1946 UN Educational, Scientific, & Cultural Organization formed
- 1952 Eisenhower (R) elected 34th President beating Adlai Stevenson (D)
- 1956 Israel captures Straits of Tiran from Egypt
- 1956 Israeli troops reach Suez Canal
- 1959 Ernie Banks, Cubs shortstop, wins NL MVP
- 1966 Flooding of Arno River (Italy) destroys countless art works
- 1980 Ronald Reagan (R) beats President Jimmy Carter (R) by a landslide
- 1990 Iraq says it is preparing for a "dangerous war"

## 1990 Secretary of State James Baker visits US troops in Saudi Arabia

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