

Happy
Birthday

The Nostalgic Times

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BACK IN 1959

THE YEAR YOU WERE BORN



U.S. PRESIDENT:
Dwight Eisenhower
U.S. POPULATION:
177.8 Million



SPORTING HIGHLIGHTS

NFL Championship: The
Baltimore Colts

MLB: Los Angeles Dodgers

NBA Champions: Boston Celtics



WHAT THINGS COST

Minimum wage: \$1.00/hour

Average Income - \$5,400

New home: \$12,400

New car: \$2,715

Gallon of milk: \$0.99

Gallon of gas: \$0.31

A movie ticket - \$0.70

U.S postage Stamp: \$0.03

Dozen eggs: \$0.53



TOP STORY: Brendon was born on date at place of birth

HOT IN FASHION

Girdles
Petticoats
Short bangs
Bouffants
Suits
Fedora hats
Leather jackets



ON TELEVISION

Wagon Train
Gunsmoke
Perry Mason



STARS BORN

Simon Cowell
Magic Johnson
Emma Thompson



TOP SONGS



"The Battle of New Orleans", Johnny Horton
"Mack the Knife", Bobby Darin
"Personality", Lloyd Price
"Venus", Frankie Avalon
"Lonely Boy", Paul Anka
"Dream Lover", Bobby Darin
"The Three Bells", The Browns
"Come Softly to Me", The Fleetwoods
"Kansas City", Wilbert Harrison
"Mr. Blue", The Fleetwoods

AT THE CINEMA

Ben-Hur
Operation Petticoat
Some Like it Hot
Imitation of Life
The Shaggy Dog
Pillow Talk



EVENTS IN 1959

Mattel's Barbie doll debuts in the United States
The Dalai Lama is granted asylum in India
Fidel Castro comes to power in Cuba after Revolution
Alaska is admitted as the 49th U.S. state and Hawaii is admitted as the 50th U.S. state

