



Fill in the gaps

We Didn't Start The Fire by Billy Joel

(1949)

Harry Truman, Doris Day, Red China, Johnny Ray

South Pacific, (1)\_\_\_\_\_ Winchell, Joe Dimaggio

(1950)

Joe Mccarthy, Richard Nixon, Studebaker, Television

North Korea, South Korea, Marilyn Monroe

(1951)

Rosenbergs, H-Bomb, Sugar Ray, Panmunjong

Brando, The (2)\_\_\_\_\_ and I and The Catcher in the Rye

(1952)

Eisenhower, Vaccine, England's got a new queen

Marciano, Liberace, Santayana goodbye

We didn't start the fire

It was (3)\_\_\_\_\_ burning

Since the world's been turning

We didn't start the fire

No we didn't light it

But we tried to (4)\_\_\_\_\_ it

(1953)

Joseph Stalin, Malenkov, (5)\_\_\_\_\_ and Prokofiev

Rockefeller, Campanella, Communist Bloc

(1954)

Roy Cohn, Juan Peron, Toscanini, Dacron

Dien Bien Phu Falls, Rock Around the Clock

(1955)

Einstein, James Dean, Brooklyn's got a (6)\_\_\_\_\_ team

Davy Crockett, Peter Pan, Elvis Presley, Disneyland

(1956)

Bardot, Budapest, Alabama, Krushchev



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Princess Grace, Peyton Place, Trouble in the Suez

We didn't start the fire

It was always burning

Since the world's been turning

We didn't start the fire

No we didn't (7)\_\_\_\_\_ it

But we tried to fight it

(1957)

Little Rock, Pasternak, Mickey Mantle, Kerouac

Sputnik, Chou En-Lai, Bridge on the River Kwai

(1958)

Lebanon, (8)\_\_\_\_\_ de Gaulle, California Baseball

Starkweather Homicide, Children of Thalidomide

(1959)

Buddy Holly, Ben Hur, Space Monkey, Mafia

Hula Hoops, Castro, Edsel is a no-go

(1960)

U-2, Syngman Rhee, Payola and Kennedy

Chubby Checker, Psycho, Belgians in the Congo

We didn't start the fire

It was always burning

Since the world's been turning

We didn't (9)\_\_\_\_\_ the fire

No we didn't (10)\_\_\_\_\_ it

But we tried to fight it

(1961)

Hemingway, Eichmann, (11)\_\_\_\_\_ in a Strange Land

Dylan, Berlin, Bay of Pigs Invasion

(1962)

Lawrence of Arabia, British Beatlemania



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Ole Miss, John Glenn, Liston (12) \_\_\_\_\_ Patterson

(1963)

Pope Paul, Malcolm X, British Politician Sex

JFK, (13) \_\_\_\_\_ away, what else do I have to say

We didn't (14) \_\_\_\_\_ the fire

It was (15) \_\_\_\_\_ burning

Since the world's been turning

We didn't start the fire

No we didn't light it

But we tried to fight it

(1965-1974)

Birth control, Ho Chi Minh, Richard (16) \_\_\_\_\_ back again

Moonshot, Woodstock, Watergate, (17) \_\_\_\_\_ Rock

(1976-1979)

Begin, Reagan, Palestine, Terror on the airline

Ayatollah's in Iran, Russians in Afghanistan

(1983-1984)

Wheel of Fortune, (18) \_\_\_\_\_ Ride, Heavy Metal, Suicide

Foreign Debts, Homeless Vets, AIDS, Crack, Bernie Goetz

(1988-1989)

Hypodermics on the shore, China's under martial law

Rock and Roller (19) \_\_\_\_\_ Wars, I can't take it anymore

We didn't (20) \_\_\_\_\_ the fire,

It was always burnin',

Since the world's been turnin'

We didn't start the fire,

But when we are gone

Will it still burn on, and on, and on, and on...

We didn't start the fire

It was always burning



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Since the world's been turning

We didn't start the fire

No we didn't light it

But we tried to (21)\_\_\_\_\_ it

We didn't start the fire

It was (22)\_\_\_\_\_ burning

Since the world's been turning

We didn't start the fire

No we didn't light it

But we (23)\_\_\_\_\_ to fight it

We didn't start the fire

It was (24)\_\_\_\_\_ burning

Since the world's been turning

We didn't...



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. Walter
2. King
3. always
4. fight
5. Nasser
6. winning
7. light
8. Charles
9. start
10. light
11. Stranger
12. Beats
13. blown
14. start
15. always
16. Nixon
17. Punk
18. Sally
19. Cola
20. start
21. fight
22. always
23. tried
24. always