



Fill in the gaps

We Didn't Start The Fire by Billy Joel

(1949)

Harry Truman, (1)\_\_\_\_\_ Day, Red China, Johnny Ray

South Pacific, (2)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 (3)\_\_\_\_\_ and I and The Catcher in the Rye

(1952)

Eisenhower, Vaccine, England's got a new queen

Marciano, Liberace, (4)\_\_\_\_\_ goodbye

We didn't start the fire

It was (5)\_\_\_\_\_ burning

Since the world's been turning

We didn't start the fire

No we didn't light it

But we (6)\_\_\_\_\_ to (7)\_\_\_\_\_ it

(1953)

Joseph Stalin, Malenkov, Nasser and Prokofiev

Rockefeller, Campanella, Communist Bloc

(1954)

Roy Cohn, Juan Peron, Toscanini, Dacron

Dien Bien Phu Falls, Rock Around the Clock

(1955)

Einstein, (8)\_\_\_\_\_ Dean, Brooklyn's got a winning team

Davy Crockett, (9)\_\_\_\_\_ Pan, Elvis Presley, Disneyland

(1956)

Bardot, Budapest, Alabama, Krushchev



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Princess Grace, (10)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 light it

But we tried to fight it

(1957)

Little Rock, Pasternak, Mickey Mantle, Kerouac

Sputnik, (11)\_\_\_\_\_ En-Lai, Bridge on the River Kwai

(1958)

Lebanon, (12)\_\_\_\_\_ de Gaulle, California Baseball

Starkweather Homicide, (13)\_\_\_\_\_ of Thalidomide

(1959)

Buddy Holly, Ben Hur, (14)\_\_\_\_\_ Monkey, Mafia

Hula Hoops, Castro, Edsel is a no-go

(1960)

U-2, Syngman Rhee, Payola and Kennedy

Chubby Checker, Psycho, (15)\_\_\_\_\_ in the Congo

We didn't start the fire

It was always burning

Since the world's (16)\_\_\_\_\_ turning

We didn't start the fire

No we didn't (17)\_\_\_\_\_ it

But we tried to fight it

(1961)

Hemingway, Eichmann, Stranger 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 Beats Patterson

(1963)

Pope Paul, (18)\_\_\_\_\_ X, British Politician Sex

JFK, blown away, what else do I have to say

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It was always 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 Nixon (19)\_\_\_\_\_ again

Moonshot, Woodstock, Watergate, Punk Rock

(1976-1979)

Begin, Reagan, Palestine, (20)\_\_\_\_\_ on the airline

Ayatollah's in Iran, Russians in Afghanistan

(1983-1984)

Wheel of Fortune, Sally Ride, Heavy Metal, Suicide

Foreign Debts, (21)\_\_\_\_\_ Vets, AIDS, Crack, Bernie Goetz

(1988-1989)

Hypodermics on the shore, China's under martial law

Rock and (22)\_\_\_\_\_ Cola Wars, I can't take it anymore

We didn't start the fire,

It was always burnin',

Since the world's (23)\_\_\_\_\_ turnin'

We didn't (24)\_\_\_\_\_ 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 fight it

We didn't (25)\_\_\_\_\_ the fire

It was always burning

Since the world's been turning

We didn't (26)\_\_\_\_\_ the fire

No we didn't (27)\_\_\_\_\_ it

But we tried to fight it

We didn't start the fire

It was always burning

Since the world's been turning

We didn't...



**Fill in the gaps**

**Answer**

1. Doris
2. Walter
3. King
4. Santayana
5. always
6. tried
7. fight
8. James
9. Peter
10. Peyton
11. Chou
12. Charles
13. Children
14. Space
15. Belgians
16. been
17. light
18. Malcolm
19. back
20. Terror
21. Homeless
22. Roller
23. been
24. start
25. start
26. start
27. light