

Lev Yashin - Answers

Easy Questions

- 1. Where was Lev Yashin born?**
Yashin was born in Moscow, Russia.
- 2. When was Lev Yashin born?**
He was born on October 22, 1929.
- 3. What sport did Yashin love the most as a child?**
He loved football the most as a child.
- 4. Which football club did Yashin play for?**
Yashin played for Dynamo Moscow.
- 5. What nickname was Yashin given because of his black uniform?**
He was called "The Black Spider."

Medium Questions

- 6. How long did Yashin play for Dynamo Moscow?**
Yashin played for Dynamo Moscow for 20 years.
- 7. Name two important tournaments Yashin won with the Soviet Union.**
He won the gold medal at the 1956 Olympics and the 1960 European Championship.
- 8. In which year did Yashin win the Ballon d'Or?**
Yashin won the Ballon d'Or in 1963.
- 9. What was Yashin known for as a goalkeeper?**
He was known for his quick reflexes, strong hands, and ability to save difficult shots.
- 10. What did Yashin do after he retired from football?**
After retiring, Yashin worked as a coach for young players.

Harder Questions

- 11. Why did fans call Yashin "The Black Spider"?**
Fans called him "The Black Spider" because he wore a black uniform and could "catch" every ball like a spider.
- 12. How did Yashin help his family during World War II?**
He worked in a factory to support his family during World War II.
- 13. What was special about Yashin's Ballon d'Or win?**
Yashin is the only goalkeeper in history to win the Ballon d'Or.
- 14. How did Yashin inspire young players after his retirement?**
He inspired young players by sharing his knowledge and teaching them football as a coach.
- 15. Why is Lev Yashin still remembered as one of the greatest goalkeepers?**
He is remembered for his incredible skills, bravery, and the impact he had on the sport of football.