



Aubrey Plaza's Husband and Director, 47, Revealed!

Description

Screenwriter and director Jeff Baena, known for his quirky comedies like "The Little Hours" and "Life After Beth," has sadly passed away at the age of 47. His body was found at a Los Angeles residence, but the cause of death is not known at this time.

Baena was married to actress Aubrey Plaza, who starred in his films. "The Little Hours" is a dark comedy set in a medieval convent, while "Life After Beth" is a unique take on a zombie story. His latest film, "Spin Me Round," is a dark comedy starring Allison Brie, and he also worked on projects like "Joshy" and "Horse Girl."

Apart from directing, Baena co-wrote the film "I Heart Huckabees" and created the series "Cinema Toast" for Showtime. His work has been featured at prestigious festivals like Sundance and SXSW, and distributed by companies like Netflix and Lionsgate.

Baena studied film at NYU and got his start working with acclaimed filmmakers like Robert Zemeckis and David O. Russell. He leaves behind a legacy in the film industry and is survived by his wife, parents, and siblings.

Jeff Baena's unique vision and talent will be deeply missed in the world of cinema.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Quirky** /'kwɜr.ki/ (adjective): Characterized by peculiar or unexpected traits.
2. **Medieval** /,med.i'i:.vəl/ (adjective): Relating to the Middle Ages typically from the 5th to the late 15th century.
3. **Acclaimed** /ə'kleɪmd/ (adjective): Publicly acknowledged with praise or approval.
4. **Legacy** /'leg.ə.si/ (noun): Something that is handed down or remains from a past event or person.
5. **Unique** /ju'ni:k/ (adjective): Being the only one of its kind; unlike anything else.
6. **Prestigious** /prəs'tɪdʒ.əs/ (adjective): Having a high reputation; respected and admired.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What is often used to highlight a specific person or thing?

Option: Gravity

Option: Spotlight



Option: Eclipse

Option: Shade

2. What term refers to something handed down from the past?

Option: Innovative

Option: Legacy

Option: Futuristic

Option: Contemporary

3. Which word describes something praised and recognized widely?

Option: Overlooked

Option: Acclaimed

Option: Disparaged

Option: Ignored

4. Which term best describes a group with a variety of different elements?

Option: Homogeneous

Option: Uniform

Option: Congruent

Option: Diverse

5. What word is used to describe something with a high reputation or honor?

Option: Modest

Option: Mediocre

Option: Insignificant

Option: Prestigious

6. Which term describes something that holds the attention by being interesting or charming?

Option: Boring

Option: Captivating

Option: Dull

Option: Uninteresting

7. How would you describe something that is peculiar in an interesting way?

Option: Conventional

Option: Standard

Option: Common

Option: Quirky

8. Which term best describes something characterized by constant change activity or progress?

Option: Static

Option: Stagnant

Option: Stationary



Option: Dynamic

9. What is a person or idea that leads the way in influencing what is popular or fashionable?

Option: Follower

Option: Mimicker

Option: Conformist

Option: Trendsetter

10. Which term refers to the practice of changing biology using a combination of medical scientific and self-experimentation methods?

Option: Biology

Option: Surgery

Option: Biohacking

Option: Pharmacy

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. The magician performed amazing tricks that _____ the audience.

12. The film director paid _____ to the classic movie by including a scene reminiscent of it.

13. Stoicism is a branch of ancient _____ that teaches the development of self-control and fortitude as a means of overcoming destructive emotions.

14. Regular exercise and a healthy diet are viewed as _____ measures to maintain good health.

15. She had _____ plans to revolutionize the industry with her innovative ideas.

16. The secret to a long and healthy life lies in maintaining good habits that promote _____.

17. The historical novel was set in a _____ castle with knights and damsels.

18. Healthy _____ encourages critical thinking and questioning of information presented



as facts.

19. Cuisine art and social norms are all aspects of a society's _____.

20. The musician was _____ for his contributions to the world of jazz.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. The athlete's outstanding performance showcased his incredible skill and talent.
22. The exhibition was a perfect opportunity to display the artist's latest works.
23. The baby wrapped in a soft blanket was a precious sight in the hospital nursery.
24. Through her art the painter her innermost feelings and emotions.
25. Building a strong requires open communication and mutual respect.
26. The team to create a innovative solution to the complex problem.
27. The fashion designer created an dress that became a symbol of the era.
28. The roller coaster ride was an adrenaline-pumping and exciting experience.
29. The software company thrived in the fast-paced and ever-changing tech industry due to its approach.
30. The mystery novel had a plot full of twists and turns that kept readers engaged.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Spotlight 2. Legacy 3. Acclaimed 4. Diverse 5. Prestigious 6. Captivating 7. Quirky
8. Dynamic 9. Trendsetter 10. Biohacking

Gap-Fill: 11. Dazzled 12. Homage 13. Philosophy 14. Preventative 15. Ambitious 16. Longevity 17. Medieval
18. Skepticism 19. Culture 20. Celebrated

Matching sentence: 1. Prowess 2. Showcase 3. Newborn 4. Expressed 5. Relationship 6. Collaborates 7. Iconic
8. Thrilling 9. Dynamic 10. Intriguing

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