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Lou Gehrig: A Legacy of Baseball Greatness

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What nickname was given to Lou Gehrig due to his incredible durability on the baseball field?

- a) The Iron Man
- b) The Iron Fist
- c) The Iron Hammer
- d) The Iron Bat

2. Which disease forced Lou Gehrig to retire from baseball?

- a) Diabetes
- b) ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease)
- c) Cancer
- d) Parkinson's Disease

3. How many consecutive games did Lou Gehrig play, setting a record that stood for 56 years?

- a) 2,130
- b) 1,000
- c) 3,000
- d) 500

4. What was the famous speech that Lou Gehrig delivered at Yankee Stadium on July 4, 1939, known for?

- a) Announcing his retirement from baseball
- b) Expressing his love for football
- c) Declaring his dislike for baseball
- d) Expressing gratitude despite his illness

5. In which year was Lou Gehrig inducted into the Baseball Hall of Fame?

- a) 1945
- b) 1936
- c) 1952
- d) 1940

