



# Elvis Presley

Elvis Presley was born in Tupelo (Mississippi) on January 8, 1935. His parents were very poor but managed to buy him a guitar for his birthday in 1946. He sang in church and played music at school. The family went to live in Memphis in 1948. In 1953, he left school after graduation and became a truck driver. He made his first recording in 1953. Presley began his career in 1954. He sang rock & roll and

blues. He was on TV two years later. He soon became famous and people called him "The King". Then he signed a contract in Hollywood. He starred in many films. He started losing popularity in the 60ies. In 1976, he married Priscilla and they had a baby girl named Lisa Marie. He did his comeback in 1968. But in 1973, the couple divorced. Elvis then became addicted to drugs and put on weight. He gave his last concert in 1977 in Indianapolis. On August 16, 1977 he died of heart failure. He was 42 years old.

Date of birth : .....

Date of death : .....

Where's he grew up : .....

Married  Unmarried

Length of married : .....

Children ? How many ? : .....

Sort of music he played : .....

Nickname : .....

Beginning of career : .....

Beginning of fame : .....

Music instrument : .....