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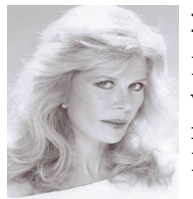


**November 2, 1942 - Stefanie Powers (Born)**

Stefania Federkiewicz, well-known by her stage name Stephanie Powers, starred in movies and television shows. Stephanie Powers is well known for her television series Hart to Hart with co-star Robert Wagner.

**November 3, 1951 - Edward Murawinski (Born)**

Edward Murawinski was born in Jersey City, New Jersey. He is currently employed by the New York Daily News as a cartoonist and a member of the National Cartoonist Society. He attended the Manhattan School of Visual Arts and has been employed by the Daily News since he was seventeen.

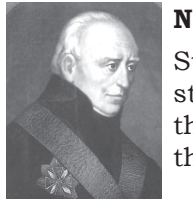


**November 4, 1937 - Loretta Swit (Born)**

Loretta Swit is a proud Polish American and well-known actress of the stage and television. She is best known for her portrayal of the character Major Margaret Houlihan on the television series M\*A\*S\*H.

**November 5, 1530 - Jan Kochanowski (Born)**

Jan Kochanowski was a Polish Renaissance poet and writer. He is recognized as one of the most important poets before the 19th century.



**November 6, 1755 - Stanislaw Staszic (Born)**

Stanislaw Staszic was a Catholic priest, philosopher, statesman, geologist, scholar, poet, writer and leader of the Polish Enlightenment. He had a direct influence on the Third of May Constitution of 1791.

**November 7, 1944 - Joe Niekro (Born)**

Joe Niekro was a Major League Baseball Player and the brother of Hall of Famer, Phil Niekro. Joe Niekro like his brother Phil, specialized in throwing the knuckleball. During the 1970's and 80's, the Niekro brothers combined for 539 total wins, making them the most successful brother combination in baseball history. Joe's son, Lance Niekro, is a major league baseball player.

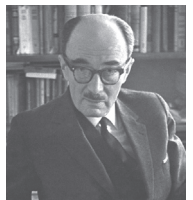


**November 8, 1940 - Charles Kowal (Born)**

Charles Kowal is a Polish American astronomer who discovered the two moons of Jupiter, Leda in 1974 and Themisto in 1975. Charles Kowal is also known for discovering many supernovas in other galaxies.

**November 9, 1505 - Mikolaj Rej (Born)**

Mikolaj Rej was one of the best known writers and poets of the Renaissance and was also a politician, musician and nobleman. The Polish Sejm pronounced 2005 as the year of Mikolaj Rej, celebrating the 500th Anniversary of his birth.



**November 10, 1909 - Pawel Jasienica (Born)**

Pawel Jasienica was the pen-name of Leon Lech Beynar, a Polish non-academic historian, journalist, writer and soldier.

**November 11, 1918 - Poland's Independence Day (Event)**

In 1918 after World War I, Poland was reestablished as a sovereign country with the assistance of United States President Woodrow Wilson and the Allied Powers.



**November 12, 1952 - Steve Bartkowski (Born)**

Steve Bartkowski was a well known quarterback for the National Football League. During his career Bartkowski played for the Atlanta Falcons and the Los Angeles Rams and was All American Quarterback during his senior season in 1974 at the University of California.

**November 13, 1806 - Emilia Plater (Born)**

Emilia Plater was a Polish freedom fighter who participated in the November Uprising of 1830. Emilia Plater, who achieved the rank of Captain of an Infantry Unit, is considered a revolutionary, patriot and national hero not just in Poland, but also in Belarus and Lithuania.

