

20 memories from 20 Cups

The Sunday Times looks back at every edition since the inaugural World Cup in 1930 to relive some of the best goals, celebrations, and moments that have earned a place in the football lexicon.



1 The one-armed footballer celebrates, Uruguay 1930

Hector Castro, scorer of Uruguay's fourth goal, celebrates with team-mates Enrique Ballesterero and Hector Scarone after their 4-2 win over Argentina in the final. The striker's arm was amputated when he was 13.

11 Cubillas' free kick, Argentina 1978

Peru are awarded a free kick during their group game against Scotland. Juan Munante steps over the ball, leaving Teofilo Cubillas to find the top corner with the outside of his boot. Peru win 3-1.

2 The goal that couldn't be replicated, Italy 1934

Raimundo Orsi scores against Czechoslovakia and Italy win 2-1. After the final, he tries to recreate the curler for photographers but cannot do so despite more than 20 tries.

12 Battiston loses his teeth, Spain 1982

West Germany goalkeeper Harald Schumacher's shoulder charge on Patrick Battiston in their semi-final leaves the Frenchman with a cracked vertebra and broken teeth. The match ends 3-3 after extra time and West Germany win 5-4 on penalties.

3 Black shirts, France 1938

During Benito Mussolini's reign, Italy controversially wear black shirts and give the Fascist right-arm salute before their quarter-final against France. Italy win 3-1 and go on to win the title.

13 Maradona's mazy route to goal, Mexico 1986

Four minutes after the "Hand of God", Argentina midfielder Diego Maradona beats six England players, including goalkeeper Peter Shilton, in the quarter-final. Argentina win 2-1.

4 Maracana mourns, Brazil 1950

Brazil need just a draw to become champions. But in the 79th minute, Uruguay's Alcides Ghiggia scores the winner and the hosts fall 2-1 in the decisive final-round game.

14 Milla's wiggle, Italy 1990

Cameroon's Roger Milla, 38, dances around the corner flag after scoring his second goal against Colombia. They win 2-1 to make the quarter-finals.

5 The Battle of Berne, Switzerland 1954

Brazil forward Indio wipes out Hungary's Nandor Hidegkuti in a quarter-final that was later dubbed the "Battle of Berne" due to the rough play. The game has 42 free kicks, three red cards and two penalties before Hungary end up 4-2 winners.

15 Baggio balloons penalty, USA 1994

With Italy 3-2 down in the penalty shoot-out against Brazil, Roberto Baggio needs to score to prolong the final but skies his effort.

6 Pele's flick, Sweden 1958

Pele controls Nilton Santos' cross into the box with his chest, flicks the ball over Bengt Gustavsson and volleys past Sweden goalkeeper Kalle Svensson to put Brazil 3-1 up in the final. Brazil win 5-2.

16 Beckham boo-boo, France 1998

With the score at 2-2, England midfielder David Beckham sees red for kicking Argentina's Diego Simeone in their last-16 clash. Argentina win 4-3 on penalties.

7 Yashin's save, Chile 1962

USSR goalkeeper Lev Yashin dives to his right to deny Chile forward Honorino Landa from close range in the quarter-finals. Chile win 2-1.

17 South Korea's spot in history, South Korea & Japan 2002

South Korea captain Hong Myung Bo scores the winning spot kick against Spain. The co-hosts win the penalty shoot-out 5-3 to become the first Asian side to reach the semi-finals.

8 England get over the line, England 1966

Geoff Hurst's shot in extra time appears to go in off the underside of the crossbar. West Germany complain that the ball never crossed the line but it is awarded by the referee and England lead 3-2 in the final. The hosts win 4-2.

18 Zidane loses his head, Germany 2006

Zinedine Zidane headbutts Marco Materazzi after the Italy defender insults the Frenchman's sister in extra time of the final. Italy win 5-3 on penalties.

9 Bandaged Beckenbauer, Mexico 1970

Franz Beckenbauer has a broken collarbone and a dislocated shoulder but plays for 120 minutes - 50 minutes with his arm in a sling - in West Germany's 4-3 semi-final loss to Italy.

19 Iniesta's tribute, South Africa 2010

Spain's Andres Iniesta takes off his shirt and reveals a vest honouring his late friend Dani Jarque after scoring in extra-time to defeat the Netherlands 1-0 in the final. The message reads: "Dani Jarque siempre con nosotros" which translates to "Dani Jarque always with us".

10 The Cruyff turn, West Germany 1974

With one swivel, Dutch captain Johan Cruyff wrongfoots Sweden defender Jan Olsson in a group game that ends 0-0.

20 Floored by Germany, Brazil 2014

David Luiz sinks to his knees following Brazil's 7-1 thrashing by Germany in the semi-final.