

soner a fitting send-off Sunday.  
**60 Minutes** was the week's top-rated program, due largely to Andy Rooney's fond farewell to Reasoner, who died last Tuesday.  
 Rooney's tribute was in the last 15 minutes of the program. In **60 Minutes'** last half-hour, viewership rose 14% over the first half-hour as viewers tuned in to see the Reasoner salute.

the top 20. **ABC's PrimeTime Live** was No. 11, followed by sister program **20/20** at No. 16 and **CBS' 48 Hours** at No. 20.  
 NBC's entries, **Real Life With Jane Pauley** at No. 78 and **Exposé** at No. 86, continued to struggle in the competitive Sunday 8 p.m.-to-9 p.m. EDT/PDT time period.  
 Peter Jennings was on vacation, but **ABC** still won the supertime news race, followed by **CBS** and **NBC**.



**ROONEY:** Eulogized Harry Reasoner on '60 Minutes'

## Using this chart

- ▶ Ratings information comes from the A.C. Nielsen Co.
- ▶ A ratings point represents 931,000 TV households; shares are the percentage of sets in use; number of viewers is in millions.
- ▶ (\*) indicates a Nielsen ratings tie.
- ▶ (r) indicates a repeat episode.
- ▶ (s) indicates a special broadcast.

### Monday, August 5, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 Evening Shade (CBS) (r)	13.7	9.8	19	33
Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (NBC) (r)	13.4	9.6	19	*34
NFL Preseason Football (ABC)	12.3	8.7	16	49
The Sure Thing (Fox) (r)	8.3	5.8	10	*74
8:30 Major Dad (CBS) (r)	14.6	10.4	19	*23
A Different World (NBC) (r)	13.6	9.5	18	*36
9:00 Murphy Brown (CBS) (r)	18.0	12.6	22	6
Rage of Angels (NBC) (r)	11.5	9.0	16	43
9:30 Designing Women (CBS) (r)	18.9	13.5	23	3
10:00 Northern Exposure (CBS) (r)	17.5	12.8	23	*4

### Tuesday, August 6, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 Matlock (NBC) (r)	14.2	10.2	20	29
Rescue 911 (CBS) (r)	15.0	9.9	19	*31
Who's the Boss? (ABC) (r)	12.4	8.9	18	*44
8:30 Coconut Downs (ABC)	10.5	7.5	14	58
9:00 Roseanne (ABC) (r)	17.8	12.2	22	8
In the Heat of the Night (NBC) (r)	16.0	11.1	19	*12
Beverly Hills Cop II (CBS) (r)	16.6	11.0	20	*16
9:30 Coach (ABC) (r)	15.3	10.7	18	*21
10:00 Law and Order (NBC) (r)	12.5	9.1	17	42
thirtysomething (ABC) (r)	8.0	6.3	12	*69

### Wednesday, August 7, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 Unsolved Mysteries (NBC)	17.5	12.4	25	7
The Wonder Years (ABC) (r)	13.0	9.2	19	41
Police Squad (CBS) (r)	9.0	6.3	13	*69
8:30 Growing Pains (ABC) (r)	14.3	10.3	20	*25
Morton & Hayes (CBS)	6.4	4.5	9	85
Doogie Howser, M.D. (ABC) (r)	14.4	10.3	19	*25
Night Court (NBC) (r)	14.5	9.6	17	*34
Jake and the Fatman (CBS) (r)	12.3	8.9	16	*44
9:30 Davis Rules (ABC) (r)	13.4	9.5	17	*36
Seinfeld (NBC) (r)	12.1	8.5	25	51
10:00 48 Hours (CBS) (r)	15.6	10.9	20	20
Anything but Love (ABC) (r)	9.2	6.9	13	63
Quantum Leap (NBC) (r)	11.9	7.9	15	*56
10:30 Married People (ABC) (r)	8.6	6.5	13	*67

### Thursday, August 8, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 The Cosby Show (NBC) (r)	14.8	10.0	20	30
The Simpsons (Fox) (r)	14.4	9.4	19	*39
Top Cops (CBS) (r)	12.1	8.9	18	*44
Gabriel's Fire (ABC) (r)	7.9	5.9	12	73
8:30 A Different World (NBC) (r)	16.1	11.0	21	*16
True Colors (Fox) (r)	19.0	7.2	14	60
9:00 Cheers (NBC) (r)	19.7	13.9	25	2
Beverly Hills, 90210 (Fox)	17.4	11.1	19	*12
Father Dowling (ABC) (r)	9.1	6.8	12	*64
Trials of Rosie O'Neill (CBS) (r)	8.3	6.5	11	*67
9:30 Wings (NBC) (r)	16.0	11.1	19	*12
10:00 PrimeTime Live (ABC)	15.8	11.6	21	11
L.A. Law (NBC) (r)	12.1	8.6	16	50
Stephen King's Golden Years (CBS)	11.9	8.0	15	55

### Top 10

- 60 Minutes (CBS)
- Cheers (NBC)
- Designing Women (CBS)
- Commando (ABC)
- Northern Exposure (CBS)
- Murphy Brown (CBS)
- Unsolved Mysteries (NBC)
- Roseanne (ABC)
- Murder, She Wrote (CBS)
- Family Matters (ABC)

### Network ratings

For the week:

- CBS: 9.2
- ABC: 8.9
- NBC: 8.8
- Fox: 6.4

Season to date:

- NBC: 11.6
- CBS: 11.4
- ABC: 11.4
- Fox: 6.2

### Evening news

For the week:

- ABC: 8.5
- CBS: 8.3
- NBC: 7.4

Last week:

- ABC: 8.1
- CBS: 7.8
- NBC: 7.8

### Bottom 5

- Totally Hidden Video (Fox)
- Ferris Bueller (NBC)
- Claws (CBS)
- Parenthood (NBC)
- Vidiots (CBS)

### Friday, August 9, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 Full House (ABC) (r)	17.5	11.0	24	*16
Fantastic Facts (CBS)	12.9	8.4	18	*52
Joshua's Heart (NBC) (r)	8.3	6.3	13	*69
America's Most Wanted (Fox)	7.4	5.3	11	*78
8:30 Family Matters (ABC) (r)	19.4	11.7	24	10
Primetime Pets (CBS)	10.3	6.8	14	*64
9:00 Perfect Strangers (ABC) (r)	16.4	10.3	21	*25
Pair of Aces (CBS) (r)	12.4	7.9	16	*56
Marilyn: Something's Got to Give (Fox) (r)	6.6	4.8	10	*82
9:30 Hi Honey, I'm Home (ABC)	13.5	8.9	18	*44
10:00 20/20 (ABC)	15.5	11.0	22	*16
Hunter (NBC) (r)	8.9	5.8	12	*74

### Saturday, August 10, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
8:00 Golden Girls (NBC) (r)	11.4	8.4	20	*52
Cops (Fox)	8.9	6.1	14	72
Young Riders (ABC) (r)	7.2	4.8	11	*82
Claws (CBS)	5.9	3.4	8	91
8:30 Golden Girls (NBC) (r)	13.1	9.4	21	*39
Cops (Fox)	10.4	7.0	16	62
Vidiots (CBS)	3.7	2.6	5	93
9:00 Empty Nest (NBC) (r)	15.1	10.7	23	*21
Perfect People (ABC) (r)	10.3	7.4	16	59
NFL Preseason Football (CBS)	8.0	5.7	13	76
Totally Hidden Video (Fox)	7.2	4.8	10	*82
9:30 Dear John (NBC) (r)	11.7	8.4	18	*52
Babes (Fox) (r)	5.6	3.9	8	88
10:00 Sisters (NBC) (r)	9.7	6.7	14	66

### Sunday, August 11, 1991

	Viewers	Rating	Share	Rank
7:00 60 Minutes (CBS) (r)	22.4	16.1	36	1
Life Goes On (ABC) (r)	7.5	5.1	11	81
Totally Hidden Video (Fox) (r)	4.9	3.5	8	*89
Ferris Bueller (NBC) (r)	4.7	3.5	8	*89
7:30 Parker Lewis (Fox)	6.1	4.2	9	87
Parenthood (NBC) (r)	3.6	2.7	6	92
8:00 Murder, She Wrote (CBS) (r)	16.6	12.1	24	9
Home Videos (ABC) (r)	17.0	9.9	20	*31
In Living Color (Fox)	10.7	7.1	14	61
Exposé (NBC) (r)	6.1	4.3	9	86
8:30 Funniest People (ABC) (r)	18.5	10.4	20	*23
Get a Life (Fox) (r)	7.9	5.3	10	*78
Real Life W/ Jane Pauley (NBC)	7.3	5.3	10	*78
9:00 Commando (ABC) (r)	21.8	12.8	22	*4
Perry Mason (NBC) (r)	16.1	11.1	19	*12
The Stranger Within (CBS) (r)	14.4	10.3	18	*25
Married With Children (Fox) (r)	13.6	8.9	16	*44
9:30 Married With Children (Fox) (r)	14.6	9.5	16	*36
10:00 Sunday Comics (Fox)	8.2	5.6	10	77