The definitive answer. This week: Channel 4's Krishnan Guru-Murthy

We ask a celebrity a set of probing questions – and only accept THE definitive answer. This week: Channel 4 News's Krishnan Guru-Murthy

The prized possession you value above all others... A graffiti remover spray can given to my wife Lisa and me for our wedding in 2005 by the artist Banksy. We are big Banksy fans and I am one of the few journalists to have met him. The can isn’t worth much, but I love it.

The biggest regret you wish you could amend... Not landing a role in the film Madame Sousatzka when I was 17. I made it down to the last two, but lost out.

The temptation you wish you could resist... Saying 'Yes' to everything from social events to chairing conferences. I'm always a bit over-stretched.

The priority activity if you were a kid... I'd watch our dog Chubbs, Chops, a Chihuahua. I'd love to find out what he gets up to all day!

The figure from history for whom you'd most like to buy a pie and a pint... Gandhi. He was sanctified and vilified in equal measure. I'd like to find out the truth.

The film you can watch time and time again... My Fair Lady. My dad is a big fan, so we watched it many times when I was a kid. I still know the songs by heart.

The poem that touches your soul... The unending quest that drives you on. To help find a cure for Duchenne muscular dystrophy [Krishnan is a patron of the Duchenne Children's Trust]. It's a devastating disease.

The song that means most to you... Fix You by Coldplay. It came out ten years ago when my daughter Jasmine was born and I listened to it a lot while rocking her to sleep.

The crime you would commit knowing you could get away with it... I’d hack into the accounts of the banks, then redistribute money to poor countries.

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The unfulfilled ambition that continues to haunt you... To play a badass villain in a Quentin Tarantino movie.

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The saddest time that shook your world... The sudden deaths of my children and my wedding. I was cycling up the Champs-Elysees in 2013 at the end of the Duchenne Dash charity bike ride. I never believed I'd make it.

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