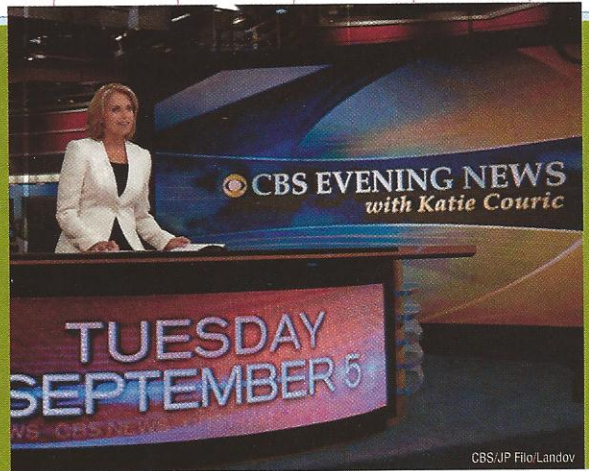


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My favorite celebrities:



- ▶ Katie Couric is the anchor of the *CBS Evening News*, becoming the nation's first female solo anchor of a major television network's weekday evening newscast.



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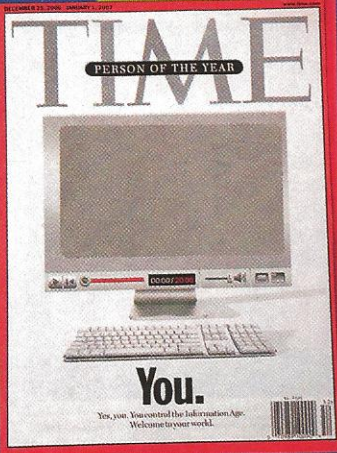
- ▼ Fans mourn Steve Irwin, the Crocodile Hunter, who is killed by a stingray while snorkeling at Australia's Great Barrier Reef.



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## Crocodile hunter

- ▶ Due to the popularity of user-generated websites like MySpace and YouTube, *TIME* magazine's annual person of the year is "You."



- ▶ Shortly after the birth of their second son makes headlines around the world, Britney Spears and Kevin Federline announce the end of their marriage.



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- ▶ Brad Pitt and Angelina Jolie, also known as "Bradgelina," make headlines when Angelina gives birth to daughter Shiloh in the African nation of Namibia.



## {Bradgelina}

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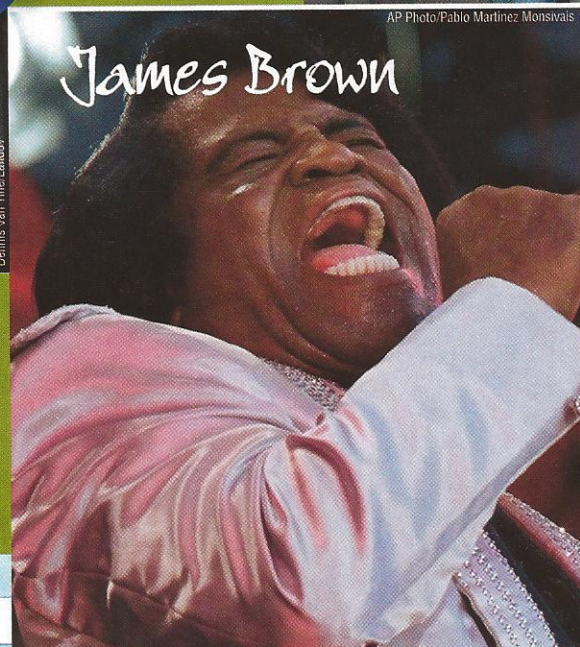
- ▶ Jessica Simpson's divorce from Nick Lachey is finalized. Romantic rumors link her to skateboarder Bam Margera, NFL quarterback Tony Romo, singer John Mayer and comedian Dane Cook.



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## James Brown

- ▶ Dynamic music legend James Brown, aka the Godfather of Soul, dies at the age of 73. He is remembered as one of the major musical influences of the past 50 years.



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