

# Internet Scavenger Hunt:

## Olympic Gymnast Kerri Strug



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*Born on November 19, 1977, gymnast Kerri Strug's heroic performance was a highlight of the 1996 Olympics. Use the Web site below to answer the questions on this worksheet.*

**Web site:** inspiremykids.com

**URL:** <http://inspiremykids.com/2011/kerri-strug-a-big-olympic-hero-in-a-tiny-package/>

**1. Why was Strug under a lot of pressure when it was time for her to compete in the vault event?**

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**2. What happened when Strug performed her first vault?**

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**3. Strug began her second vault while facing what physical challenge?** \_\_\_\_\_

**4. For the U.S. team, what was the result of Strug's performance?** \_\_\_\_\_

**5. How was her performance an inspiration to the team and everyone watching the event?**

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**Something to think about:** Can you think of a time when you faced a difficult challenge? Were you able to succeed? If so, why? If not, what might you do differently next time?

**Learn more:** Learn more about Kerri Strug by reading her answers to some commonly asked questions: <http://www.strug.org/faqs.htm>.