Indians think belly buttons are important. Vishnu is an Indian god. Many Indians believe men were born from his belly button. This makes belly buttons special. They're the link between heaven and earth.

Some people think eating seeds is bad. Seeds will stick to stomachs. They'll grow. They'll become trees. The trees will come out of belly buttons.

Most belly buttons are pushed in. About 4 percent stick out. Some people think they can fix belly buttons that stick out. They tape a coin over the belly button. They think this will push belly buttons in.

Truth: Stomachs have acids. This would kill seeds. Seeds can't grow inside living people. They can grow inside dead people.



## Spotlight Biography

Napoleon Bonaparte was born in 1769. He was a famous French general. He became the emperor of France. He was very superstitious. He grew up believing in omens. He carried good luck charms with him. He had a lucky star. He hired someone who saw the future. He avoided Friday the 13th. He believed his dreams told the future. He believed black cats were unlucky. He fought in the Battle of Waterloo. Before the battle, he had dreamed of a black cat. He ended up losing the battle. This made him even more superstitious. He believed in a ghost. The ghost was called the Little Red Man of Destiny. It controlled his life. It followed him everywhere. It told him about the future.