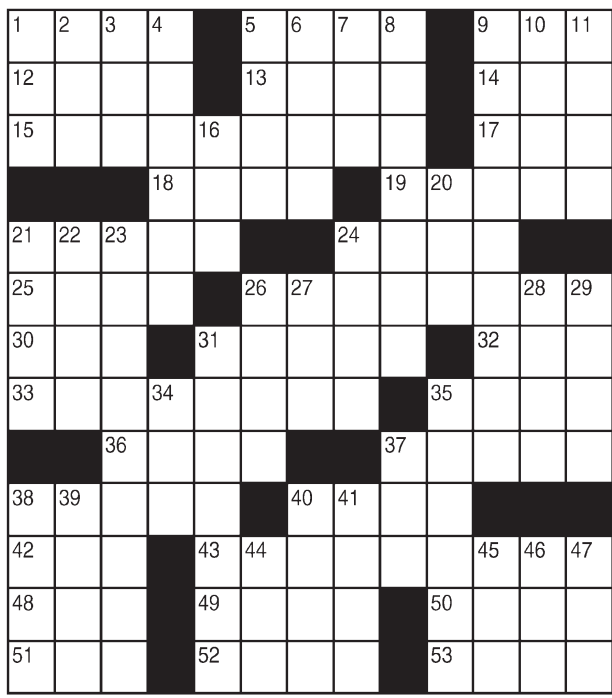


# King Crossword

**ACROSS**

- 1 Docket entry
- 5 Heidi's range
- 9 One's years
- 12 Greatly
- 13 Inquisitive
- 14 Present
- 15 Madison's place
- 17 Exist
- 18 Ardor
- 19 Cuts into cubes
- 21 Extra
- 24 Rover's friend
- 25 Difficult
- 26 Hawk trainer
- 30 Carte lead-in
- 31 Eliot's Marnier
- 32 Rotation duration
- 33 Outwardly curved on both sides
- 35 Bouquet holder
- 36 Reed instrument
- 37 Essential points
- 38 Prenatal test, for short
- 40 — morgana
- 42 Island neckwear
- 43 Grayish metallic element
- 48 A Gershwin
- 49 Author Hunter
- 50 Medicinal



- amount
  - X rating?
  - Force measure
  - Unseen hitch
- DOWN**
- 1 Crow's call
  - 2 Clay, now
  - 3 "Help!"
  - 4 Left an impression
  - 5 Actress
  - 6 Missing
  - 7 Omega predecessor
  - 8 Municipal magistrates
  - 9 Huge snakes
  - 10 Bush opponent
  - 11 Rams fans?
  - 16 U.K. ref. bk.
  - 20 Altar affirmative
  - 21 Moby-Dick's pursuer
  - 22 "The Persistence of Memory"
  - 23 Severe
  - 24 Linen source
  - 26 Basketball team
  - 27 Brewery product
  - 28 Right on the map?
  - 29 Deli loaves
  - 31 Took a nap
  - 34 Japanese sash
  - 35 Food
  - 37 Classic muscle car
  - 38 Settled down
  - 39 nembellished
  - 40 Lebescher or Lebowitz
  - 41 Zits
  - 44 Poison —
  - 45 Charged bit
  - 46 Portion of N.A.
  - 47 "Family Guy" daughter

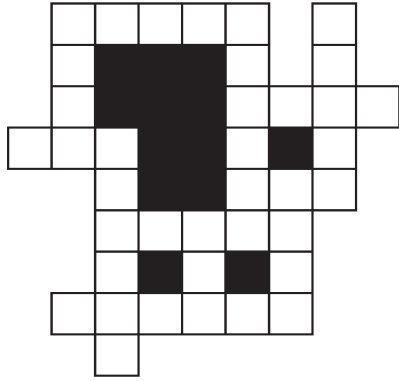
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# FEAR & KNOT

By: rj johnson

DOUBT? ... OR DARE!

- YMG
- HIMLUS
- NILVE
- ♥ LAAG
- BLAGMI
- ♥ NSI
- VYEL
- BASMY
- ♥ ABG
- TRWHAM
- TGMHI
- ♥ HTCI

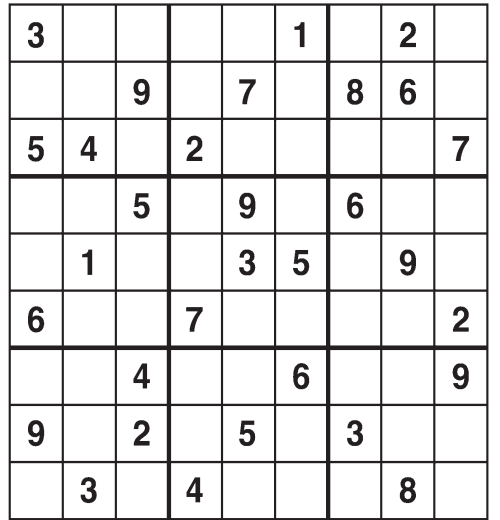


Unscramble these twelve letter strings to form each into an ordinary word (ex. HAGNEC becomes CHANGE). Prepare to use only ONE word from any marked (♥) letter string as each unscrambles into more than one word (ex. ♥ RATHER becomes HATER or EARTH or HEART). Fit each string's word either across or down to knot all twelve strings together.

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# Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK:** ♦

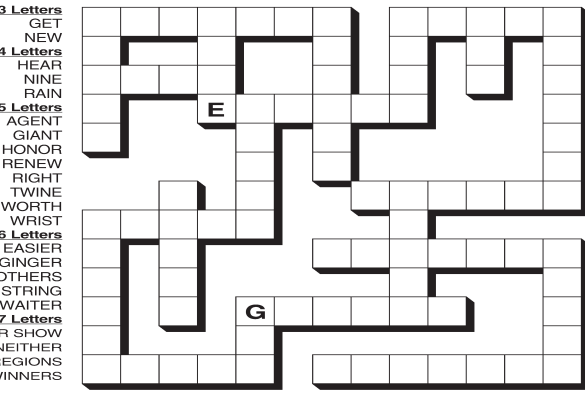
- ♦ Moderate
- ♦♦ Challenging
- ♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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# Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

**CRISSCROSS — GEORGE WASHINGTON WORDS\***  
Each word will fit into one spot in the grid. Use the starting letters as a guide and fit each word into its spot. All words will be used, so cross off each one after you put it into the grid.

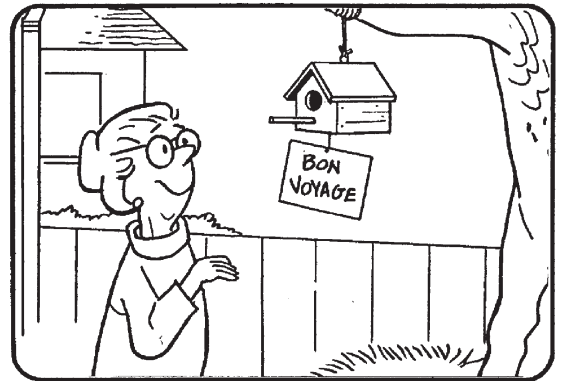


\*All words are formed from the letters in GEORGE WASHINGTON

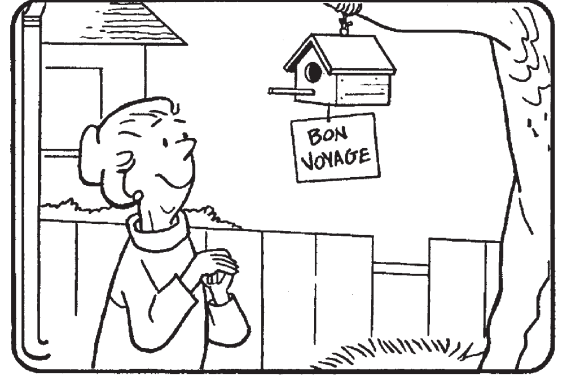
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# HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Arm is added; 2. Birdhouse is higher; 3. Sign is moved; 4. Downspout is added; 5. Glasses are removed; 6. Fence is broken.

# Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps



# MAGIC MAZE • 3-D WORDS

EGDAXDVSPNKIFCA  
DXVSOOQOLJHECAX  
VETORPOENBLMJHF  
SIDESADDLE UDBYX  
VAIITREPIDOMKIG  
DEVDCBLZNRDXWUT  
REIDEEDEDEIEIQON  
LJDAEHDAEDIGDGF  
DCEDADOOWDAEDYX  
WVDDATCDNEDIVID  
SRPYOWNLKNJIGFD

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally

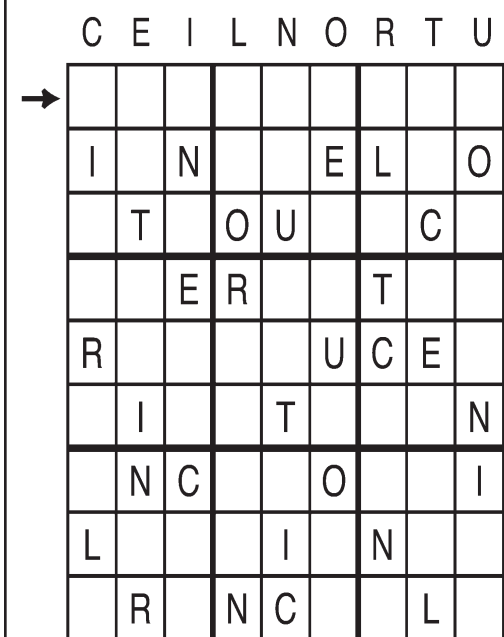
Added Deadhead Diddle Doodad  
Addendum Deadwood Diderdoo Sidesaddle  
Bedridden Decided Divided Wadded  
Coddled Deeded Dividend

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# Letter Box

by Linda Thistle

Place a letter in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the letters listed above the diagram. When completed, the row indicated will spell out a word or words.



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# Even Exchange

by Donna Pettman

Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

- |                        |               |                   |               |
|------------------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------|
| 1. Ledge               | _____ F _____ | Seashore souvenir | _____ L _____ |
| 2. Hit the tab key     | _____ D _____ | Create            | _____ V _____ |
| 3. Foot pedal          | _____ A _____ | Out of money      | _____ O _____ |
| 4. Depart              | _____ V _____ | Rental contract   | _____ S _____ |
| 5. Large gun           | _____ N _____ | Is unable to      | _____ T _____ |
| 6. Angelic instruments | _____ S _____ | Groucho's brother | _____ O _____ |
| 7. Dickens Artful      | _____ D _____ | Hotel guest       | _____ L _____ |
| 8. Gawk                | _____ T _____ | Dole out          | _____ H _____ |
| 9. Convenient          | _____ N _____ | Robust            | _____ R _____ |
| 10. Scanty             | _____ G _____ | More malicious    | _____ N _____ |

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# Salome's Stars

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) All that flattery and fawning shouldn't affect any decision you have to make. Keep your focus on the facts and ignore all the hyperbole, especially if it gets uncomfortably personal.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) Your Bovine instincts are on the mark about that "favor" you're being asked to do. Agree to nothing unless you get a full explanation — which you would check out first, of course.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) A somewhat unsettled recent period should give way to a smoother time going through the week. Use this quieter time to catch up on matters you might have had to let slide.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) Feeling a little confused is understandable with all those mixed messages. Take time to list the questions you have. Then present them and insist on answers that make sense.

**LEO** (July 23 to August 22) Cupid can be very helpful for Lions seeking a love connection. The chubby cherub also brings warm and fuzzy feelings to paired Leos and Leonas who already share a special love line.

**VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) Travel is favored this week, whether you'll be globe-trotting or taking a trip to a nearby getaway. You might be surprised (or maybe not) by who wants to be your traveling companion.

**LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22) Getting advice on your next business-related move is a good idea, but only if your advisers are trustworthy. Get references that you can check out before you make any decisions.

**SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) Getting a boost in your self-esteem is one benefit that comes with a job well done. There are other pluses as well, including being noticed by all the right people. Good luck.

**SAGITARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) Make time to deal with family matters, especially where they concern your elderly kinfolk. Being there for them from the start can help resolve problems sooner rather than later.

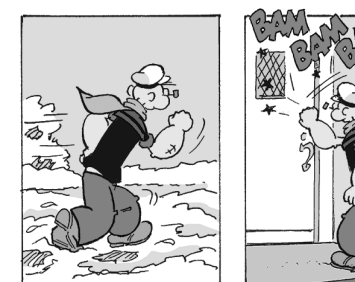
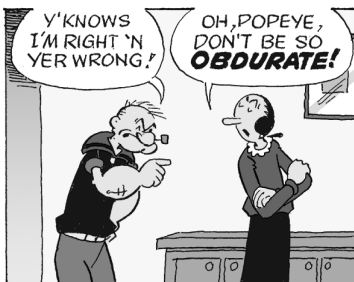
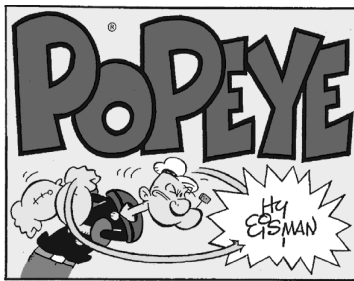
**CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) Getting a project started can often be difficult. But the good news is that you won't want for lack of assistance from colleagues who would like to work with you. So, let them!

**AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) A lot of work-related issues might be raised this week, and you need to be prepared for whatever comes along. Things should be easier when it comes to matters in your private life.

**PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) What might appear to be a much unwanted change in your life right now could turn out to be a very welcome event after all. Give yourself a chance to see where it might take you.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** You exercise your strong leadership qualities well, which is why people believe in you and feel reassured by you.

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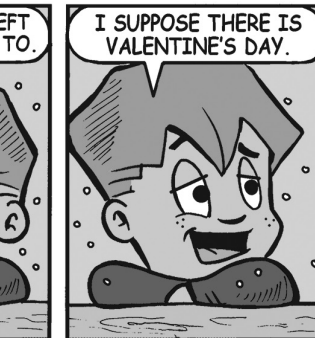


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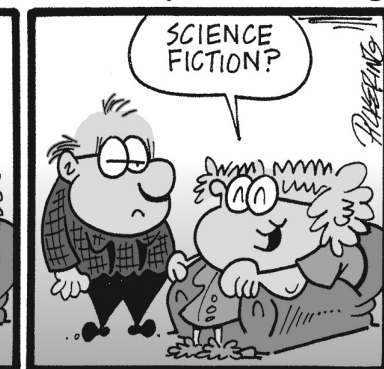
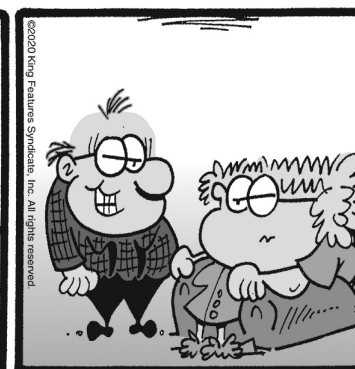
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