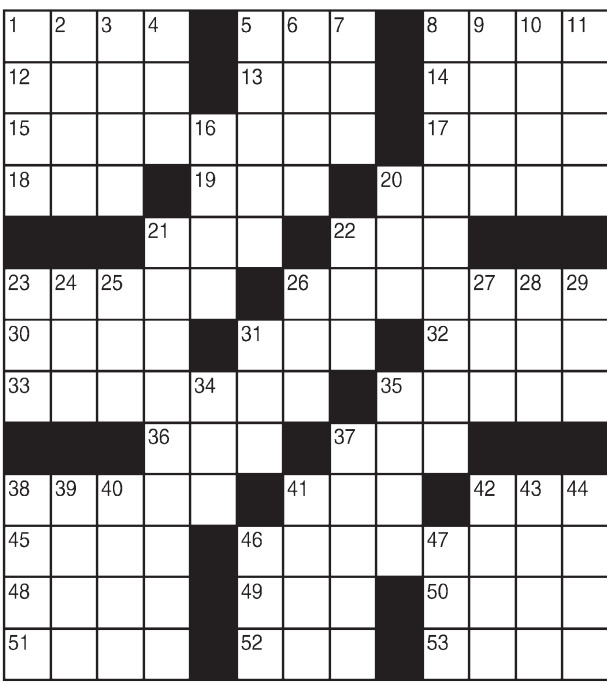


King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 "Grand"
- 5 Possessed
- 8 Notoriety
- 12 Perukes
- 13 Crib
- 14 Addict
- 15 Rodgers/Hammerstein show
- 17 Night light?
- 18 Get a glimpse of
- 19 Type measures
- 20 Chews away (at)
- 21 Sphere
- 22 Method
- 23 Podiatrist's concerns
- 26 Porter's burden
- 30 Last write-up
- 31 Boxer
- 32 Currier's partner
- 33 Smoker's gadget
- 35 "Lady and the —"
- 36 Listener
- 37 Crony
- 38 Aware of
- 41 Paving gunk
- 42 Pump up the volume
- 45 Scandinavian city
- 46 Rodgers/Hammerstein show



- 48 Radiate
- 49 Diving bird
- 50 Soy paste
- 51 Stitched
- 52 Sch. org.
- 53 Wan
- 9 Drifting
- 10 Cat call
- 11 Sea flock
- 16 Towel designation
- 20 Joke
- 21 Bernstein/Comden/ Green show
- 22 Joker
- 23 Army rank (Abbr.)
- 24 Japanese sash
- 25 18-wheeler
- 26 Prickly plant part
- 27 Actress
- 28 Gardner
- 28 Jewel
- 29 Kreskin's claim
- 31 Apiece
- 34 "The Way" in China
- 35 Poi base
- 37 Anorak
- 38 Swine
- 39 Capri, for one
- 40 Oxen's burden
- 41 Lacking slack
- 42 Unrepaired
- 43 Netting
- 44 Tactic
- 46 Upper limit
- 47 Ms. Thurman

DOWN

- 1 Pairs
- 2 Trudge
- 3 Look lecherously
- 4 G8 nation
- 5 Test ban subject
- 6 Intentions
- 7 Genetic stuff
- 8 Styne/Merrill

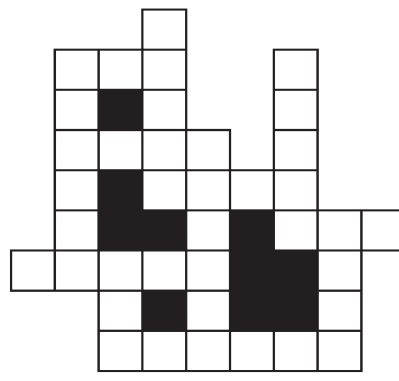
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FEAR KNOT

By: rj johnson

DOUBT? ... OR DARE!

- ORT
- TREBFE
- ♥ERMAS
- MOLA
- ♥GANLIM
- BFO
- MITO
- RABEM
- OMM
- ♥REMTIS
- TINFU
- ♥IREM

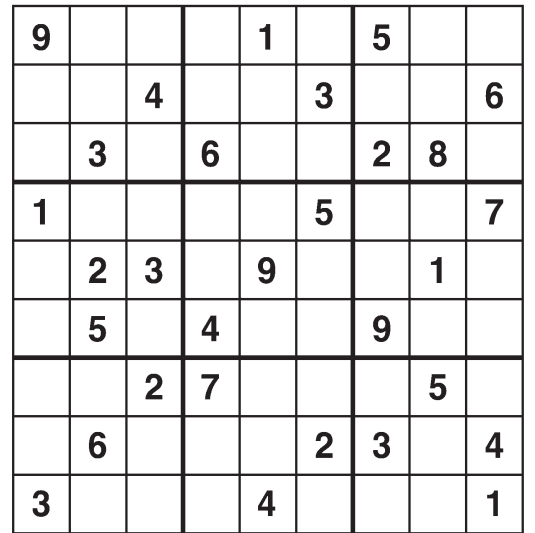


Unscramble these twelve letter strings to form each into an ordinary word (ex. HAGNEC becomes CHANGE). Prepare to use only ONE word from any marked (♥) letter string as each unscrambles into more than one word (ex. ♥RATHE becomes HATER or EARTH or HEART). Fit each string's word either across or down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

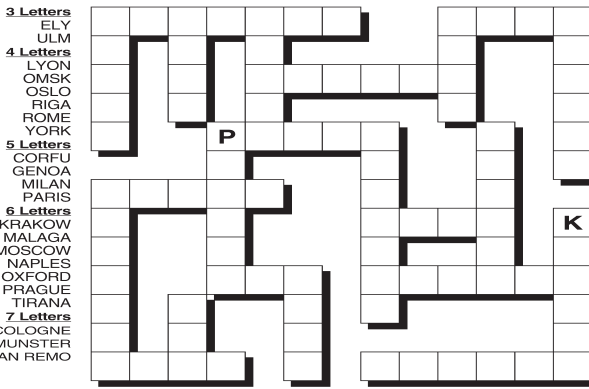
- ◆ Moderate
- ◆◆ Challenging
- ◆◆◆ HOO BOY!

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Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

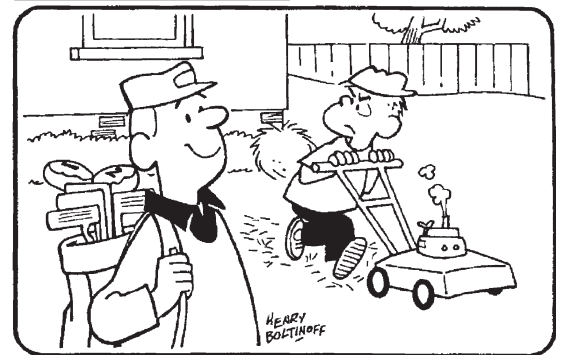
CRISSCROSS - PLACES IN EUROPE
Each word will fit into one spot in the grid. Use the starting letters as a guide and fit each word into its spot. All words will be used, so cross off each one after you put it into the grid.



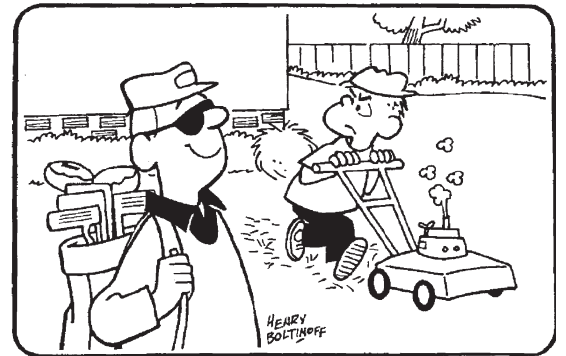
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Man is wearing sunglasses. 2. Window is missing. 3. Buses added along fence. 4. More smoke ticks have been added to foundation.

Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps



MAGIC MAZE • PRESIDENTS BACKWARD

S T Q N K H D A X U R P M J G
D A X V W S Q N K I F D A X V
T F Q O M A J H F C A Y W U R
P N O R L N S J H F D N B G Z
T X V R E W O H N E S I E R T
R Y Q A D A M S I O P X M A C
K I L H F D G L I N C O L N A
B Z Y E W V T A T D G N L T R
R Q O T R U M A N N A T L K T
K I H F D C F F I L L M O R E
A Z X W V T U J A C K S O N R

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

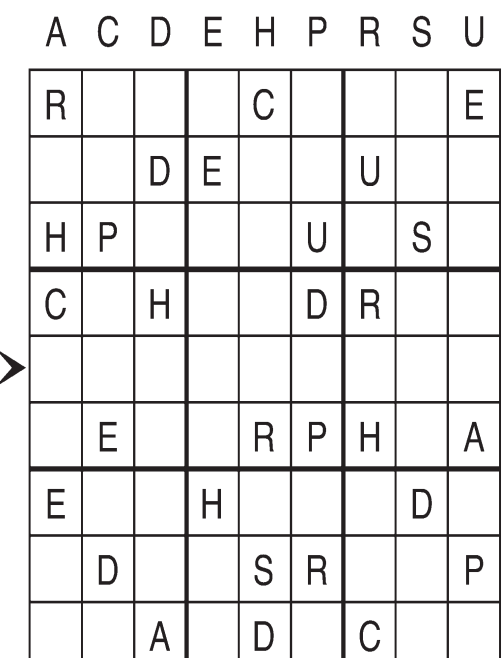
- DROF
- EROMLLIF
- KLOP
- NAGAER
- NAMURT
- NLOCNIL
- NOSIDAM
- NOSKCAJ
- NOTGNIHSAW
- NOXIN
- RETRAC
- REWHOESIE
- SMADA
- TFAT
- TNARG

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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. Hula hoop or fidget — — — Z — — — Thirst for — — — V — —
- 2. Released — — — E — — — Cooked in oil — — — I — — —
- 3. Inflate — — — A — — — Pay out — — — E — — —
- 4. Writing style — — — S — — — Investigate — — — B — — —
- 5. Billfold W — — — — — — Theatrical dance B — — — — — —
- 6. Garlic section — — — V — — — Nearby — — — S — — —
- 7. Fuzzy fruit — — — H — — — Truce — — — — — — E — — —
- 8. — — — Day Saints — — — A — — — Batch of puppies — — — I — — —
- 9. Clear soup B — — — — — — Fizz F — — — — — —
- 10. Australian city — — — Y — — — Actor Poitier — — — I — — —

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Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Things that usually come easily and quickly for the Aries Lamb might need more of your time and attention during the next several days. Try to be patient as you work things out.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) A changing situation can create some complications. But if you apply that sensible Bovine mind to what seems to be a hopeless tangle of confusion, you'll soon sort things out.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Creating a new look for your surroundings is fun. Expect to hear mostly positive comments on your efforts, as well as some well-intended suggestions you might want to note.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Maybe you'd rather do anything else than what you're "stuck with" right now. But if you stop complaining, you might see how this could lead to something with real potential.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Even a proud Leo ultimately recovers from hurt feelings. However, a damaged relationship might never heal unless you're willing to spend more time and effort trying to work things out.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) There are lots of changes on the horizon, so be prepared to make some adjustments in your usually fine-tuned life. One change might even impact a personal decision you've been putting off.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Being the dependable person you are could work in your favor for a project that requires both skill and accountability. But check this out carefully. There could be a hidden downside.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A temperamental outburst about a mishandled project causes some fallout. Be sure to couple an apology with an explanation. A new opportunity beckons by week's end.

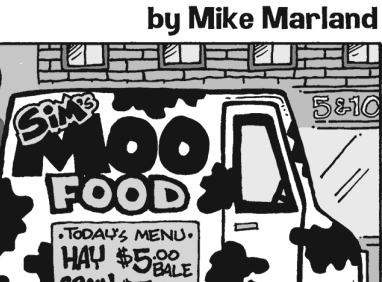
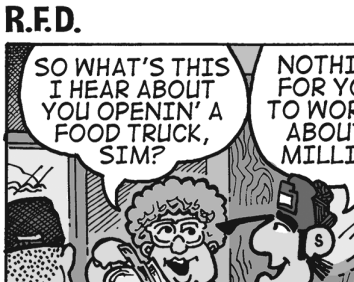
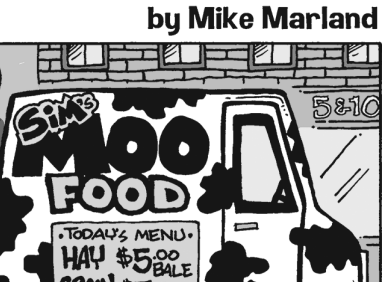
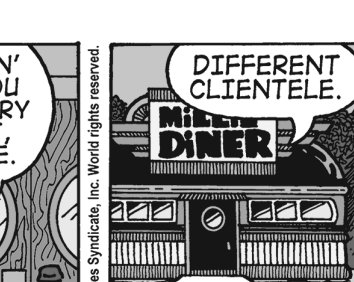
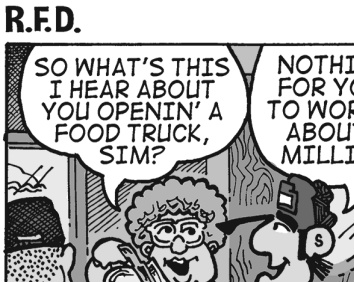
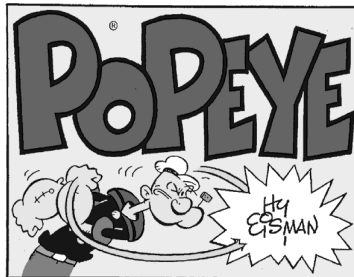
SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Changing horses midstream is usually unwise but sometimes necessary. Examine your options carefully before making a decision. A trusted colleague offers good advice.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) While much of your time is involved with business matters, fun-time opportunities open up by week's end. Enjoy yourself, but be careful that you don't overspend.

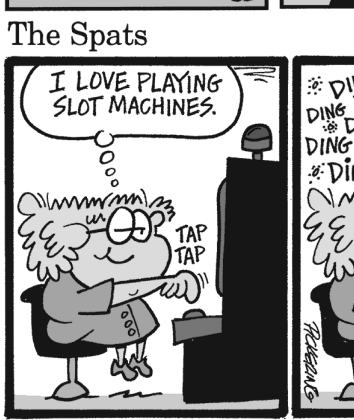
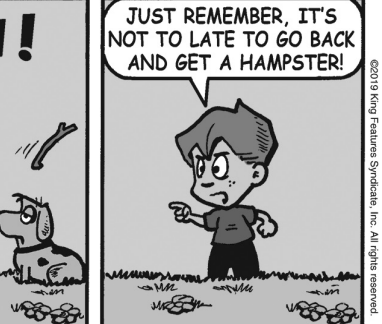
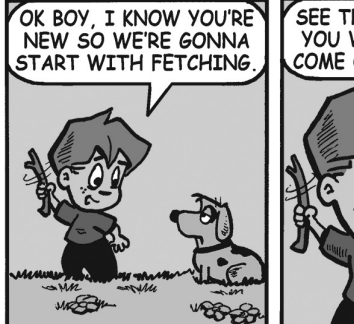
AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A "revelation" opens your eyes to what is really going on in the workplace. What you learn could make a difference in your career path. Continue to be alert for more news.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Not wanting to make waves might be the safest way to deal with a difficult situation. But no substantive changes can be made unless you share your assessments with others.

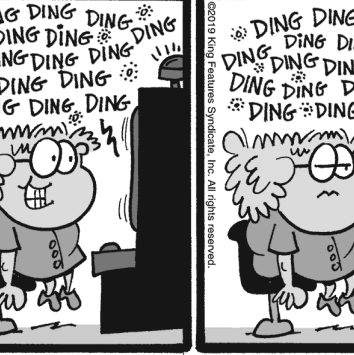
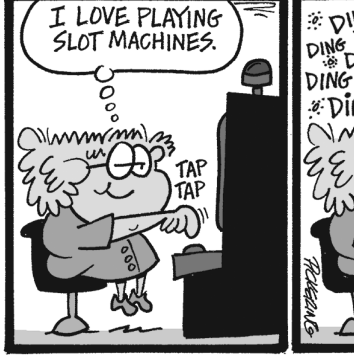
BORN THIS WEEK: You have a way of talking to people that makes them want to listen. You could find a successful career in politics.



Amber Waves



The Spats



Fetch!

