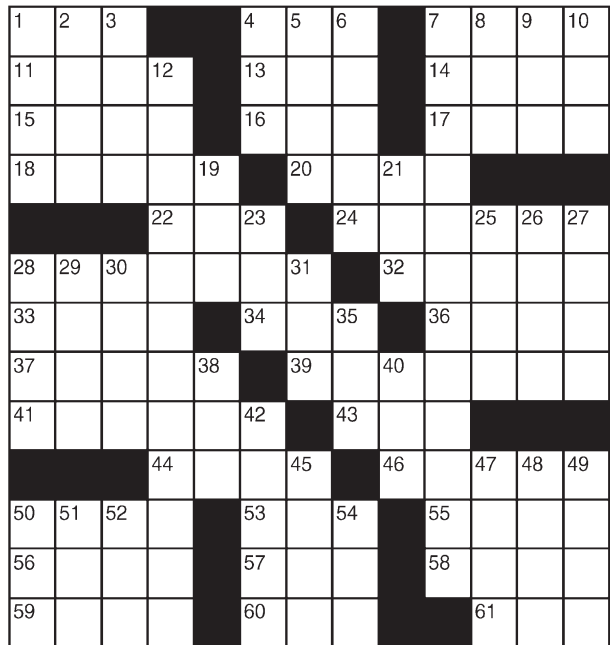


# King Crossword

**ACROSS**

- 1 Towel designation
- 4 Wildebeest
- 7 Oscar winner Patricia
- 11 Concept
- 13 A billion years
- 14 Gumbo need
- 15 Ripped
- 16 Kreskin's claim
- 17 Office part-timer
- 18 Does in
- 20 Opposite of "nope"
- 22 Commonest English word
- 24 Elvis' instrument
- 28 Annoys
- 32 Cutting tool
- 33 Jai --
- 34 Knock
- 36 Pleased
- 37 Fool
- 39 Roams
- 41 Followed relentlessly
- 43 Menagerie
- 44 Chew, as rodents do
- 46 Used a paper towel
- 50 Cincinnati's state



- 53 Pinch
- 55 Infamous Roman emperor
- 56 Aspiration
- 57 Genetic stuff
- 58 Kindly bloke
- 59 Disarray
- 60 Evergreen type
- 61 Decks in the ring
- 7 "Forget it!"
- 8 -- out a living
- 9 Upper limb
- 10 Once around the track
- 12 Cole Porter musical
- 19 That girl
- 21 Arctic bird
- 23 Blunder
- 25 Mosaic piece
- 26 Somewhere out there
- 27 Ball club from 50-Across
- 28 Musical
- 29 Hodgepodge
- 30 Piquancy
- 31 Witnessed
- 35 Peace (Sp.)
- 38 Japanese money
- 40 Present
- 42 Fine and -- suggestion
- 45 Sommelier's
- 47 Cheat at hide-and-peek
- 48 Cubesmith
- 49 They get connected
- 50 Resistance unit
- 51 Weeding implement
- 52 Tape speed meas.
- 54 Dog's hand

**DOWN**

- 1 Smacks
- 2 "American --"
- 3 Antitoxins
- 4 "Golly!"
- 5 Inquisitive
- 6 Open, in a way

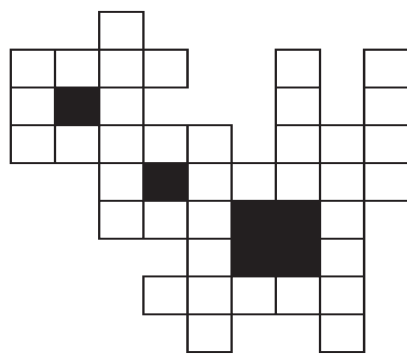
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# FEAR KNOT

By: rj johnson

DOUBT? ... OR DARE!

- ♥ BRO TIENCH LEEBI
- ♥ OLCO LIPRYE
- ♥ APL ERBU LATDI
- ♥ TCA ANOBIT
- ♥ TOPNI OLAT



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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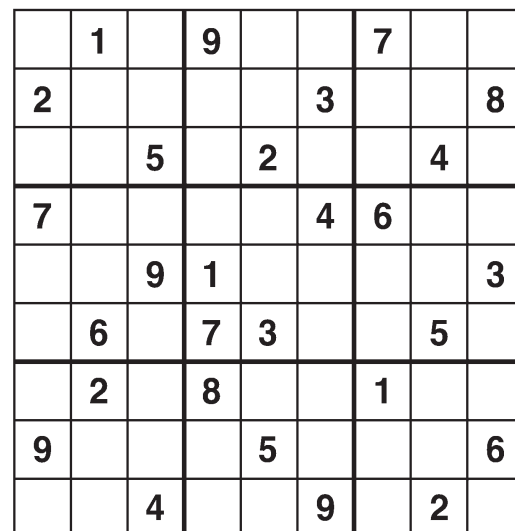
DANGER	N	P	E	D	A	L	I	T	S	T
DETOUR	O	O	W	A	L	S	T	O	H	R
EAST	S	N	R	O	I	E	U	G	I	U
EXIT	T	E	R	O	T	I	R	G	C	
GEAR	O	W	U	A	H	L	E	Y	H	K
GREEN LIGHT	P	A	O	D	N	G	P	I	W	R
HIGHWAY	P	Y	T	E	N	M	L	W	A	O
HILL	I	A	E	A	A	L	E	W	Y	U
NORTH	N	R	D	R	A	S	E	R	I	T
NO STOPPING	G	E	A	R	T	Y	T	I	X	E
OIL										
ONE WAY										
PEDAL										
RAMP										
SOUTH										
TIRES										
TRUCK ROUTE										
WEST										
YIELD										

Riddle answer: \_\_\_\_\_

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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!

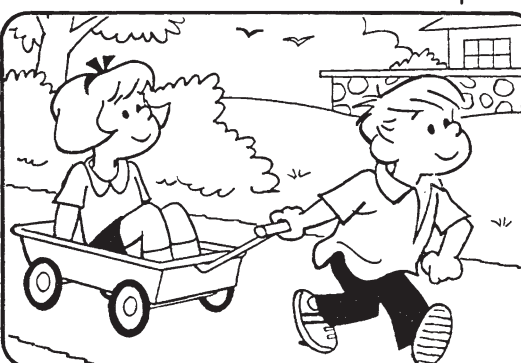
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# HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



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# Just Like Cats & Dogs

by Dave T. Phipps



ADDING IN OR OUT PREFIX MAKES A NEW WORD

# MAGIC MAZE

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

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

- |       |         |         |       |
|-------|---------|---------|-------|
| Board | Doors   | Growing | Set   |
| Bound | Fielder | Laws    | Sider |
| Box   | Flows   | Lay     | Ward  |
| Come  | Going   | Putting |       |

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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.

A	C	D	I	L	N	O	R	U
A						R		O
		C	U					A
		I	C	L		D		
		C	R	U		I		
	N	D		O		L		C
	U					C	I	
		D	I					A
		A		N	D			R

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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. Derrick           | --- N --- | Wooden enclosure     | --- T --- |
| 2. Meditation        | --- R --- | Actor or team member | --- L --- |
| 3. Gut feeling       | --- N --- | Pigeon enclosure     | --- T --- |
| 4. Torrent of rain   | --- G --- | Hoodwink             | --- D --- |
| 5. Aesop's specialty | F --- --- | Kitchen furniture    | T --- --- |
| 6. Modify            | --- E --- | Church platform      | --- A --- |
| 7. Smallest finger   | --- N --- | Hard to please       | --- C --- |
| 8. Energetic         | --- I --- | Attractive           | --- O --- |
| 9. Clothes holder    | --- E --- | Airplane garage      | --- A --- |
| 10. Underage person  | --- R --- | North Dakota city    | --- T --- |

# Salome's Stars

**ARIES** (March 21 to April 19) Home conditions still demand attention. Also, keep an open mind about a sudden question of trust involving a close friend. All the facts are not yet in.

**TAURUS** (April 20 to May 20) With summer just around the corner, travel begins to dominate your sign. Make plans carefully to avoid potential problems in the first half of June.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) A romantic Libra sets a challenge that your "sensible" side might question, but your idealistic self finds the prospect too intriguing to resist. The choice is yours.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) Those tense times in your personal life are just about over. Concentrate on reaffirming relationships. Your love of travel opens a surprising new opportunity.

**LEO** (July 23 to August 22) The Big Cat usually loves to be in the center of things. But this week it might be wiser to watch and learn from the sidelines. A Pisces wants to make you purr.

**VIRGO** (August 23 to September 22) "New" is your watchword this week. Be open to new ideas, both on the job and in your personal life. A romantic Aries or Sagittarian beckons.

**LIBRA** (September 23 to October 22) Some difficult family decisions have to be faced, but be sure to get more facts before you act. Be careful not to neglect your health during this trying time.

**SCORPIO** (October 23 to November 21) You still need to support a loved one through a difficult time. Meanwhile, things continue to work out to your benefit in the workplace.

**SAGITTARIUS** (November 22 to December 21) Aspects continue to favor expanding social opportunities. A Gemini reaches out to offer a chance for re-establishing a once-close relationship.

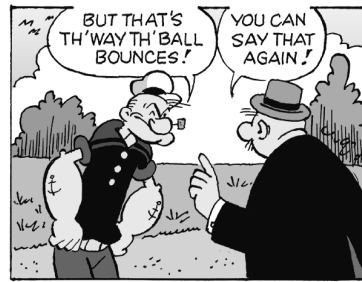
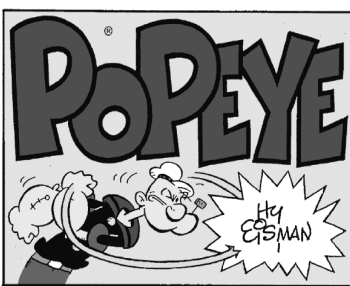
**CAPRICORN** (December 22 to January 19) There's a potential for misunderstanding in both your job and your personal life. A full explanation of your intentions helps smooth things over.

**AQUARIUS** (January 20 to February 18) You might be feeling restless on the job, but delay making any major moves until all the facts are in. A Scorpio has a surprising revelation.

**PISCES** (February 19 to March 20) Your business sense works to your advantage as you sort through the possibilities that are opening up. A Libra is Cupid's best bet for your romantic prospects.

**BORN THIS WEEK:** You have a gift for being open-minded about people. This helps you make friends easily. You would do very well in public service.

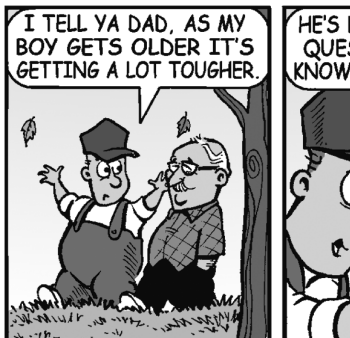
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# Amber Waves



# The Spats



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