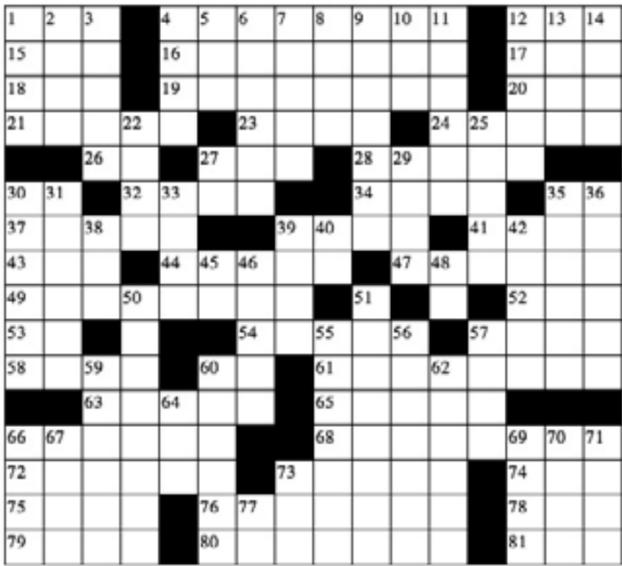


Stars

CROSSWORD 1796



ACROSS

1. A mature blood cell that contains hemoglobin to carry oxygen to the bodily tissues.
4. The academic world.
12. An enclosed space.
15. A constellation in the southern hemisphere near Telescopium and Norma.
16. A railway having a single track.
17. A flat wing-shaped process or winglike part of an organism.
18. A sharp hand gesture (resembling a blow).
19. Infuse with spirit.
20. A coenzyme derived from the B vitamin nicotinic acid.
21. Small terrestrial lizard of warm regions of the Old World.
23. English pianist (1890-1965).
24. Lower in esteem.
26. A white soft metallic element that tarnishes readily.
28. A promontory in northern Morocco opposite the Rock of Gibraltar.
30. A soft silver-white ductile metallic element (liquid at normal temperatures).
32. Essential oil or perfume obtained from flowers.
34. A cord that is drawn through eyelets or around hooks in order to draw together two edges (as of a shoe or garment).
37. A small faint zodiacal constellation in the southern hemisphere.
41. Bulky grayish-brown eagle with a short wedge-shaped white tail.
43. United States musician (born in Japan) who married John Lennon and collaborated with him on recordings (born in 1933).
44. A river of southwestern Africa that rises in central Angola and flows east and then north (forming part of the border between Angola and Congo) and continuing northwest through Congo to empty into the Congo River on the border between Congo and Republic of the Congo.
47. The striking of one body against another.
49. Relating to the abomasum (the fourth compartment of the stomach of ruminants).
52. Something that bulges out or is protuberant or projects from a form.
53. A white metallic element that burns with a brilliant light.
54. Type genus of the family Lepididae.
58. The sixth month of the civil year.
61. Characterized by friendship and good will.
63. Intentional deception resulting in injury to another person.
65. Measuring instrument in which the echo of a pulse of microwave radiation is used to detect and locate distant objects.
66. In regular succession without gaps.
68. A wrongful interference with the possession of property (personal property as well as realty), or the action instituted to recover damages.
72. An African amulet.
74. A nucleic acid that transmits genetic information from DNA to the cytoplasm.
75. Any of various minerals consisting of hydrous silicates of aluminum or potassium etc. that crystallize in forms that allow perfect cleavage into very thin leaves.
76. A tricycle (usually propelled by pedaling).
78. A compartment in front of a motor vehicle where driver sits.
79. Lacking excess flesh.

80. A town in southern Turkey.
81. Title for a civil or military leader (especially in Turkey).

DOWN

1. A Hindu prince or king in India.
2. (informal) Exceptionally good.
3. A clique that seeks power usually through intrigue.
4. Type genus of the Amidae.
5. An argument opposed to a proposal.
6. (Babylonian) Father of the gods.
7. Treated or impregnated with a foreign substance.
8. (Greek mythology) Goddess of discord.
9. Dark sweet or semisweet dessert wine from Sicily.
10. Being one more than two.
11. Of or pertaining to or written in Altaic.
12. The capital and largest city of Yemen.
13. By bad luck.
14. (of a young animal) Abandoned by its mother and raised by hand.
22. A flat-bottomed volcanic crater that was formed by an explosion.
25. A short high tone produced as a signal or warning.
27. A soft silvery metallic element of the alkali earth group.
29. An island in Indonesia east of Java.
31. In the Arabian Nights a hero who tells of the fantastic adventures he had in his voyages.
33. The basic unit of money in Bangladesh.
35. Move out of a curled position.
36. A long wooden bench with a back.
38. A cry or noise made to express displeasure or contempt.
39. A large bundle bound for storage or transport.
40. The branch of computer science that deal with writing computer programs that can solve problems creatively.
42. The seventh month of the Moslem calendar.
45. A very poisonous metallic element that has three allotropic forms.
46. Food mixtures either arranged on a plate or tossed and served with a moist dressing.
48. A unit of information equal to one million (1,048,576) bytes.
50. (Irish) War goddess.
51. Medium-sized larch of Canada and northern United States including Alaska having a broad conic crown and rust-brown scaly bark.
55. An ancient country in Asia on the Caspian Sea.
56. With one side forward or to the front.
57. An association of people to promote the welfare of senior citizens.
59. The second largest continent.
60. Eurasian perennial bulbous herbs.
62. Melon having yellowish rind and whitish flesh.
64. A river in north central Switzerland that runs northeast into the Rhine.
67. A member of an Iroquoian people formerly living on the south shore of Lake Erie in northern Ohio and northwest Pennsylvania and western New York.
69. Type genus of the family Arcidae.
70. An unforeseen obstacle.
71. A island in the Netherlands Antilles that is the top of an extinct volcano.
73. An insecticide that is also toxic to animals and humans.
77. Half the width of an em.

Yesterday's Solution



STAR TRACK



Aries (March 21-April 19)

General good feelings and a sense of support and harmony make this a happy time. Those around you are impressed with your ability to make commonsense decisions regarding group matters when you already have so many responsibilities. You just naturally seem to know what others want. Putting your best foot forward and making a good impression take on greater importance as a new cycle gets under way in your life. Being in style and making a good appearance may count more than objects. Romance, the arts and life's other pleasures seem to take center stage. There is a good chance to understand those around you and to have a special time with someone you love. Relax; take on a listening attitude tonight.



Taurus (April 20-May 20)

Having the ability to sympathize and to understand others is an emotional quality that assumes a greater importance in your life now. Knowledge is not nearly as significant as wisdom. Accepting the past as just that, the past, or getting in touch with mystical and spiritual things are what has recently given you feelings of completeness. You understand what is not working in your life and you know just what to do next. You strive for cooperation, organization, authority and responsibility. It will take all of these things to get you where you know you must go. Just be sure that your vision is for the good of all and not just for yourself or your plans may backfire. There are good smells coming from your kitchen—someone you love is cooking for you.



Gemini (May 21-June 20)

Your expectation of success keeps you on your toes and challenges you to continue your road to achievement. This lucky day may find you presented with new opportunities. Your focus is strong and you accomplish much. You also are lucky in your friendships as your friends have high standards and may encourage the same from you. You feel free to seek advice as well as give advice when asked. Most people long to have the relationship you have with your friends. Your friends understand you and give you emotional nourishment. Take time to tend to whatever needs your outdoor animal friends have during the cold weather—pets, birds, etc. You appear most elegant in social situations this evening—a memorable time.



Cancer (June 21-July 22)

You may find yourself in the limelight now, especially with those in authority or in relation to your work. It may be easy for you to enjoy your job or the responsibility it encompasses more than usual. Those around you may find your sense of humor amusing and a bit on the eccentric side at times. You may find new insights or breakthroughs in respect to your living situation or life circumstances. Others find your independence and unique qualities admirable. Whatever you have done this year to improve your style or health is working and you are happy to be the social achiever this evening. This is a great opportunity to network. Be cautious of those who promise more than they can deliver. Focus on clearing your energy as you leave a party.



Leo (July 23-August 22)

You are the ideal candidate to take charge of a project this day. Your creativity and originality are high. Now would be an excellent time to appraise your professional life and just where it is leading you. You may be a bit restless at this time. Likely, you will feel the desire to set out on your own, giving your creative side the space it desires—a little more patience. It takes a brave and confident person to follow through with business plans but you can do it if you start now to research and understand what is involved in the launching and maintaining of your own business. You may want to open up more to relatives; this is an ideal time for strong support emotionally. It may also be a wise move to take a business class at a community college near your home.



Virgo (August 23-September 22)

New career developments lead to better opportunities in the workplace. In other words, you have graduated to be in line for new responsibilities. It is time to apply for a more challenging position within your company. Give yourself a little time to check out the different possibilities and consider expanding your abilities instead of changing what you do best. A transfer may be possible or perhaps further education for the next six months would be beneficial. This is the time to do your research. This afternoon you could have a visitor to your company that would give you several ideas without you saying a word. Listen; ask questions, research, etc. This evening you may think about your diet after all the holiday treats have been enjoyed.



Libra (September 23-October 22)

It could be valuable for you to make some plans regarding your packing for travel. Most of the time family and friends come to you, this year you will be able to visit family and friends. A little vacation is on the planning schedule. You love to ski and may have friends or family in a part of the country that has plenty of snow for your enjoyment. Feeling good in general and knowing that you enjoy your work makes this an exceptionally happy time. You may begin to realize the areas in your life that need some attention, as well as ways in which you can help others. You truly love to be helpful. This will take cooperation, organization, authority, discipline and responsibility on your part to accomplish what you must do to get where you must go.



Scorpio (October 23-November 19)

A little elbow grease and you are able to accomplish a lot. With several people out of the office today, you may be enthusiastic about a little housecleaning and moving furniture around that will help with the quality of care you can give your clients. A co-worker and you may decide to take the decorations down around the establishment. You and a family member may communicate about some past event that would be fun to enjoy again. Soon, your mind is busy with ideas on party planning for celebrating a new year. Friends inform you about fashion trends and shopping is on your mind. You and a friend have time later this afternoon to purchase what is needed for this party. Before you know it quite a few friends want to join your group. Yeah!



Sagittarius (November 22-December 21)

You just instinctively want to be powerful and in charge; pulling the strings, as it were, could lead to greater interest in investments, education and travel, etc. Your inner attitude has a lot to do with how you make and spend money. Now is a good time to think through any changes, adjustments, motivations or perhaps plans toward your goals. Some circumstances cause you to work late this afternoon. This may not make you very happy but because you are working late some surprise that is most pleasing makes you happy you got to stay a little late. There is a good opportunity to show off a talent or skill that the people in your office did not know you have. Tonight you help your friends and they help you. A new music performer has your attention.



Capricorn (December 22-January 19)

You are more visible at work and within organizations and groups. You may spend some time later today to focus on a new article of clothing for your professional appearance. At home after work is a good time to rest and relax, perhaps to read a romantic novel or take in a movie with a captivating theme. You should find ideas and thoughts projecting a greater meaning and form just now. You may be extremely eloquent or forceful in talking or communicating. People will have no problem in knowing exactly what you mean when you speak. You may find yourself looking for a little fun communication this afternoon or at least finding some kind of emotional release to enjoy. Enjoying the finer things in life eventually takes on a high priority.



Aquarius (January 20- February 18)

Now is a time when you may feel the need to get in touch with your spiritual side. This will have you looking for ways to broaden your horizons and to stretch to new possibilities. You may have the feeling that you are not doing the most with your talents; you search for new opportunities of expression; you will find success. Some of the areas where these energies can be expressed may be found through politics, religion or law. There is a big possibility that you will be traveling in your search, perhaps even internationally as well as domestically. Ambition, practicality and achievement are admirable, but they are means to an end—not ends in themselves—you look for ways to spend time with loved ones this evening.



Pisces (February 19-March 20)

You have a good attitude and are mentally alert and in a problem-solving mood. You may spend some serious contemplative moments wondering if you can succeed in what you have set out to accomplish; don't. The world was not made in a day and you must not think you have failed if you cannot do everything in the time frame you have planned. Knowing that you have made progress is sufficient for now. When the day is over, you will be pleased with your productive and positive accomplishments. Working with your favorite hobby this evening will help you to relax with those you love. As you consider what to bring a host at a party, consider a recorded book or music. This person will tell you the type of music he or she likes if you are not sure.

Wordsearch Puzzle

Fish 1

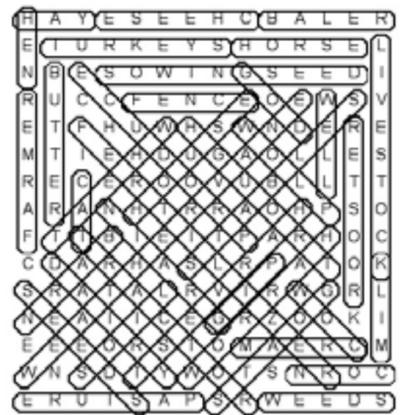
Find and circle all of the fish that are hidden in the grid. The remaining letters spell a secret message - a Benjamin Franklin quotation.



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| BLUEFISH | DRUM | PERMIT | SNOOK |
| BONEFISH | GAR | POMPANO | STURGEON |
| BULLHEAD | GRAYLING | RODFISH | SUNFISH |
| CATFISH | GRUNT | ROOSTERFISH | SWORDFISH |
| CHUB | HALIBUT | SALMON | TILAPIA |
| COO | JEWFISH | SAND DAB | TRIPLETAIL |
| CRAPPIE | MACKEREL | SAUGER | TUNA |
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| DOLLY VARDEN | PADDLEFISH | SHEEPSHEAD | WARMOUTH |

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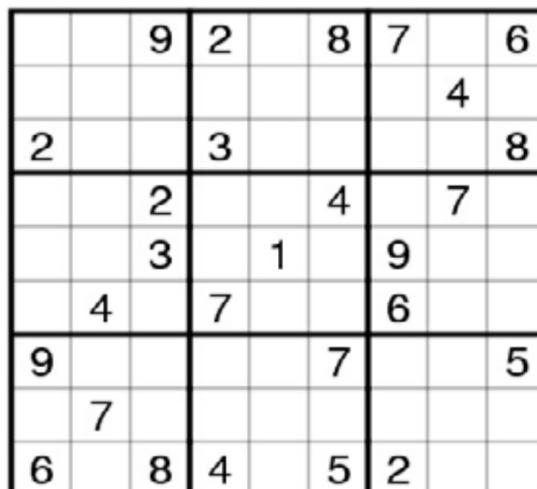
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| BARN | FENCE | LIVESTOCK | STABLES |
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| CAT | GOATS | PASTURE | TROUGH |
| CHEESE | GRAIN | PIG | TURKEYS |
| CORN | HARROW | PLOW | WEATHERVANE |
| COW | HARVEST | PRODUCE | WEEDS |
| CREAM | HAY | ROOSTER | WELL |
| DAIRY | HEN | SEEDS | WHEAT |
| DOG | HORSE | SOIL | |

The hidden message is: CHICKENS

Daily SuDoku



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