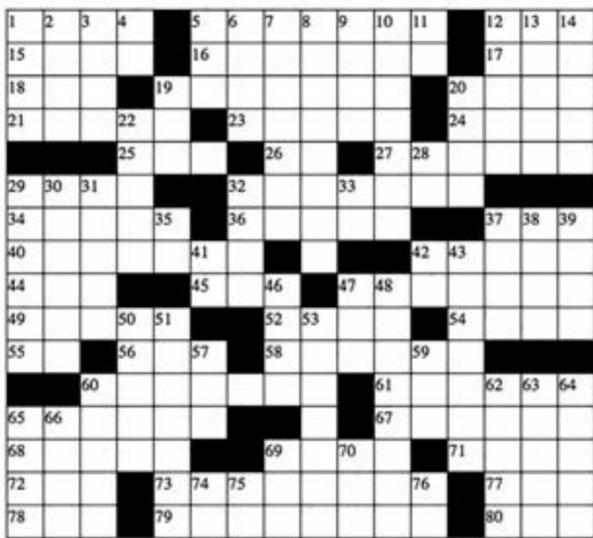


Stars

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ACROSS

1. Fail to keep or to maintain.
5. A group of languages of the Hokan family in California.
12. An enclosed space.
15. Type genus of the Alcidae comprising solely the razorbill.
16. Examine by palpation for medical purposes.
17. Inflammation of the urethra of unknown cause.
18. Seed of a pea plant.
21. A genus of Ploceidae.
23. A kind of heavy jacket ('windcheater' is a British term).
24. A republic consisting of 26 of 32 counties comprising the island of Ireland.
25. A federal agency that supervises carriers that transport goods and people between states.
26. A brittle silver-white metalloid element that is related to selenium and sulfur.
27. 1 species.
29. (of molten metal or glass) Formed by pouring or pressing into a mold n 1.
34. Feeling or showing extreme anger.
36. A port in northwestern Israel on the Bay of Acre.
40. Alternatively, a member of the family Nymphaeaceae.
44. A constellation in the southern hemisphere near Telescopium and Norma.
45. A loose sleeveless outer garment made from aba cloth.
49. The capital and largest city of Bangladesh.
52. A flat-bottomed volcanic crater that was formed by an explosion.
54. A slender double-reed instrument.
55. A highly unstable radioactive element (the heaviest of the halogen series).
56. A dark-skinned member of a race of people living in Australia when Europeans arrived.
58. Wear away through erosion or vaporization.
61. Large high frilly cap with a full crown.
65. A mock scepter carried by a court jester.
67. The 3 goddesses of fate or destiny.
68. An island of central Hawaii.
71. (Greek mythology) Daughter of Zeus and Demeter.
72. The products of human creativity.
73. Capable of being scaled.
77. Mythical bird of prey having enormous size and strength.
78. (formerly) A title of respect for a man in Turkey or Egypt.
79. Without a hand or hands.
80. The compass point midway between northeast and east.

DOWN

1. An inhabitant of Lapland.
2. Evergreen trees and shrubs having oily one-seeded fruits.
3. Any of a number of fishes of the family Carangidae.
4. (Akkadian) God of wisdom.
5. A health resort near a spring or at the sea-side.
6. A fastener for a door or lid.
7. A region of northeastern France famous for its wines.
8. A cut of pork ribs with much of the meat trimmed off.
9. An enclosed armored military vehicle.
10. Unarmed feather palms of central and northern South America.
11. A colorless odorless gaseous element that give a red glow in a vacuum tube.
12. Freshwater or marine or terrestrial gastropod mollusk usually having an external enclosing spiral shell.
13. Earlier a god.
14. Spicy fruit of the cubeb vine.
19. Committee formed by a special-interest group to raise money for their favorite political candidates.
20. United States labor organizer who ran for President as a socialist (1855-1926).
22. A mark used to indicate the word above it should be repeated.
28. A very poisonous metallic element that has three allotropic forms.
30. The mountain peak that Noah's ark landed on as the waters of the great flood receded.
31. A region of Malaysia in northeastern Borneo.
32. According to the Old Testament he was a pagan king of Israel and husband of Jezebel (9th century BC).
33. 30 to 300 kilohertz.
35. The square of a body of any size of type.
37. Block consisting of a thick piece of something.
38. (Greek mythology) The Muse of history.
39. A native or inhabitant of Denmark.
41. A soft silvery metallic element of the alkali earth group.
42. A heavy odorless colorless gas formed during respiration and by the decomposition of organic substances.
43. Pertaining to or resembling amoebae.
46. A woman hired to suckle a child of someone else.
47. A close friend who accompanies his buddies in their activities.
48. A restraint that confines or restricts freedom (especially something used to tie down or restrain a prisoner).
50. A Bantu language spoken by the Kamba people in Kenya.
51. Do away with.
53. Situated away from the axis of any body or part.
57. A metal-bearing mineral valuable enough to be mined.
59. To an excessive degree.
60. The sister of your father or mother.
62. (in Indian English) The number that is represented as a one followed by 7 zeros.
63. American professional baseball player who hit more home runs than Babe Ruth (born in 1934).
64. The state prevailing during the absence of war.
66. A river in north central Switzerland that runs northeast into the Rhine.
69. An honorary law degree.
70. The compass point that is one point east (clockwise) of due north.
74. A white metallic element that burns with a brilliant light.
75. An associate degree in nursing.
76. A radioactive transuranic element produced by bombarding plutonium with neutrons.

Friday's Solution



STAR TRACK



Aries (March 21-April 19)

This is a good time to consolidate and organize your affairs or rearrange your living situation. You may be put in charge of the children or the yard work or some other chore that does not usually make up your day but this may call for a fair exchange and you are ready to help. General good feelings and a sense of support create a happy time. You have a clear vision into your own inner sense of values: how you appreciate and love. Take the time this afternoon to relax... Perhaps a movie or a bicycle ride through the park would be fun. If you are still sitting with children, a ball-game could be considered.



Taurus (April 20-May 20)

Perhaps this is the best time to think and study, for you have a real appreciation for ideas and thoughts. You may find yourself enjoying a long conversation with a friend—writing a letter, or making a special phone call. There are sudden insights into some of the most sensitive and vulnerable areas of a puzzling situation or person this day. Contemplating what you have heard and understanding that there may be more to the story will get you happily through the day. Dispute what you hear too soon, and the truth could be lost, as well as a real understanding of a difficult individual. Be patient and in a few days you will have a new understanding.



Gemini (May 21-June 20)

There is an instinctive imperative to be in control—pulling the strings. You may be the head of the household or think you are in charge, but others have their ideas and need your listening ear. This understanding may lead to greater interest or experience in healing and investing and gaining better insight into the people living around you. You may be reminded of your various responsibilities. Check your anxieties at the door and come into a room with your good attitude. Take care of any business you had previously postponed. A meeting with someone older or in authority is at hand this afternoon—with a listening and patient attitude, a satisfactory agreement can be met.



Cancer (June 21-July 22)

Refinement and relationships are the keys to emotional satisfaction. You may be able to enjoy and value your own life situation at this time or feel especially kind towards a friend or loved one. You have an opportunity to show this friend or loved one that you understand the words and the goals that are expressed. Your artistic talent and appreciation are heightened beyond words. You have a clear vision into your own inner sense of values and how you want your life to progress. This is a good time to examine and think about what is important, perhaps share your ideas. This is a very nice day that is filled with some renewed appreciation for all that is beautiful and fine.



Leo (July 23-August 22)

Family, home, relatives and real estate gain your attention today. You enjoy your family and want to help provide the best. You contribute a lot of energy to your family group that encourages confidence and trust. Matters of health come to your attention and you may decide to begin an exercise program—perhaps with a loved one. Early morning walks are a good thing. Today, someone new may come into your living surroundings. This could be a birth or the agreement to have someone in your home for a while. You could have compassion for a student or a young person who opens to you. You are able to dispense with the unessential in order to develop what is most basic in your environment. Planning can go on paper this evening.



Virgo (August 23-September 22)

You are very expressive and outgoing when it comes to your feelings and emotions; you may even be a little too sensitive at times. You could, however, be successfully working with some new creative expression to reveal the real you, perhaps through sports, art, theater, etc. Teaching, other than your professional work, may be where you find your thoughts today. This could be as a tutor or a teacher of some creative subjects. It may be a good time to teach a young person how to ride a bicycle. Creativity and time to create are important for you.



Libra (September 23-October 22)

Religious, philosophical and cultural matters are likely to have special appeal. These things have a way of stirring your blood. A meeting with someone older or in authority gets you thinking about gaining more insight through continued education. The ability to listen and express yourself in clear messages is most important to you. You will be pleased with some of the courses that are offered and you might even decide to continue your education so that you can teach others or work in the school system. This afternoon you can relax and just sit back and enjoy what you have—to live life. Your desires are strong and you will want to enjoy yourself this evening. There is a basic drive to appreciate and taste life.



Scorpio (October 23-November 21)

Your grasp for many subjects and ideas helps you to convey important messages to others, particularly when no one else can succeed. You may receive a challenge from someone in the business field who wants to break away and try new things. A business consultant or employee advisor may be a consideration for next week. If you are looking to improve your health, begin by reading the ingredient list on the products you love. Products with high-fructose corn syrup are the most important to mark off of your grocery list. For now, you might enjoy a walk, a little exercise—shampoo the dog.



Sagittarius (November 22-December 21)

There is an opportunity to understand those around you and to have a fun time with friends and family today. General good feelings and a sense of support and harmony make this a happy time. A young person may need lessons in managing money and you are providing a plan. Careful, do not become too carried away—he or she will learn about the state of the economy soon enough. You find yourself feeling more private and in a stay-at-home mood later today. You have a great social drive and love to work in a group or with close friends but this afternoon you may prefer to spend some time with your loved ones and family members.



Capricorn (December 22-January 19)

You possess, at your center, an intensity that burns through any inconsistency; searching for opportunities to understand the world and all of the many secrets therein is a search you love to perform. This may mean you listen to a special radio show or you read particular books about space travel, time, underwater living, stocking up the food shelves, survival techniques, technology that is new on the market, etc. Deep conversations may be disturbing, stimulating and enlightening and may encourage investigation. You enjoy the light-bulb effect these long talks promote. You could meet with some opposition with some of your own ideas.



Aquarius (January 20- February 18)

You may appear very tranquil this morning. Everything seems to be working together and you may find yourself expressive and able to communicate well. In-depth discussions and probing conversations find you at your top performance. Your investigative abilities are high. This afternoon you could find yourself in a hobby store buying parts, games or an addition to your favorite pastime. Before you begin to play with those hobbies of yours, clear away some of the things that no longer serve a purpose for you.



Pisces (February 19-March 20)

You may find that you have been chosen or volunteered as a guide for someone or several people that do not come to your town very often. Smile—this may be an opportunity to grow professionally. A friend may want to invest in real estate. This is generally a fruitful period for real-estate investments and you may want to invest as well. Your most respectable self is showing today. You have the ability to communicate well with others. Family, home and the other roots in your life give you a sense of mission. There is growth and gain through these things. Being appreciated and admired for your gifts and talents are powerful needs. Taking chances can bring big rewards. A new understanding between loved ones is possible.

Wordsearch Puzzle

Delicious Desserts

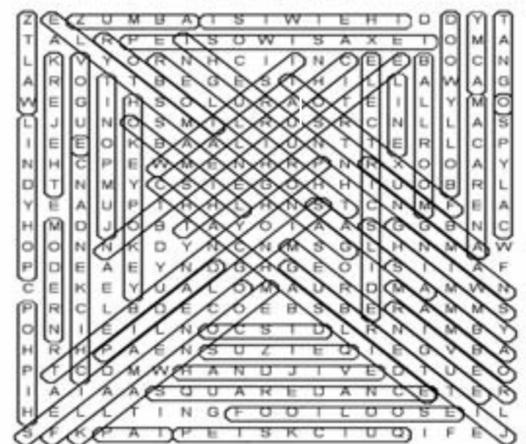
Find and circle all of the desserts that are hidden in the grid. The remaining letters spell a secret message.



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| AMBROSIA       | CINNAMON ROLLS | JELLY ROLLS   | PINEAPPLE DELIGHT     |
| APPLE CRISP    | CREME BRULEE   | LEMON BARS    | PLUM SQUARES          |
| APPLE PIE      | CREPES         | MACAROONS     | RAISIN PUDDING        |
| BAKED ALASKA   | ECLAIRS        | MERINGUES     | RUM BALLS             |
| BAKLAVA        | EMSPANADAS     | MONKEY BREAD  | SOBBET                |
| BANANA SPLIT   | FLAN           | MOUSSE        | STRAWBERRY SHORT CAKE |
| BREAD PUDDING  | FRUIT CRUMBLE  | NUT BRITTLE   | STRUDEL               |
| BROWNIES       | FUDGE          | PARFAIT       | SUNDAE                |
| BUTTER TARTS   | GELATO         | PASTRIES      | TIRAMISU              |
| CARROT CAKE    | GINGERBREAD    | PAVLOVA       | TORTES                |
| CHEESE CAKE    | ICE CREAM      | PEACH COBBLER | TRIFLE                |
| CHOCOLATE CAKE |                |               |                       |

Friday's Solution

Dance crazes



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|----------------|----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| BALLROOM       | HAND JIVE      | QUICKSTEP     | TEXAS TWO-STEP  |
| BOLLYWOOD      | HEP HOP        | REVER         | THE BUNNY HOP   |
| CALYPSO        | HOKEY POKEY    | ROBOT         | THE HUSTLE      |
| CHA CHA SLIDE  | JITTERBUG      | RUMBA         | THE JERK        |
| CHARLESTON     | JUMP ON IT     | SALSA         | THE RUNNING MAN |
| CHICKEN DANCE  | LIMBO          | SAMBA         | THE TWIST       |
| DA DIP         | LINDY HOP      | SHIMMY        | THRILLER        |
| DISCO          | LINE           | SINGLE LADIES | VOGUE           |
| ELECTRIC SLIDE | MACARENA MAMBO | SQUARE DANCE  | WALTZ           |
| FLAMENCO       | MERENGUE       | SUZIE Q       | WATUSI          |
| FOOTLOOSE      | MODERN         | SWING         | YMCA            |
| FOXTROT        | MOONWALK       | TANGO         | ZUMBA           |
| GANGNAM STYLE  | TAP            |               |                 |

The hidden message is: DANCING IS THE BODY'S WAY OF CELEBRATING LIFE

Daily Sudoku



Friday's Solution

