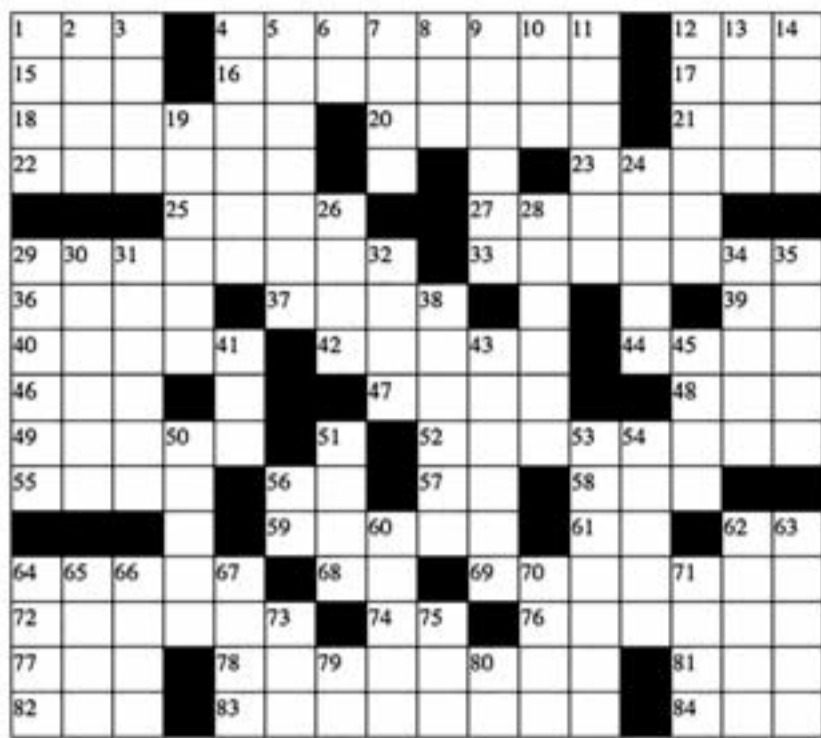


Stars

CROSSWORD 2325



ACROSS

1. Thickening of tissue in the motor tracts of the lateral columns and anterior horns of the spinal cord.
4. The use of an archaic expression.
12. Counting the number of white and red blood cells and the number of platelets in 1 cubic millimeter of blood.
15. The number that is represented as a one followed by 6 zeros.
16. A republic in northwestern South America.
17. A river in north central Switzerland that runs northeast into the Rhine.
18. Made of bamboo.
20. Remote and separate physically or socially.
21. The compass point midway between east and southeast.
22. A Dravidian language spoken in south central India.
23. A shot in billiards made by hitting the cue ball with the cue held nearly vertically.
25. English writer and a central member of the Fabian Society (1858-1943).
27. Jordan's port.
29. Undergo resorption.
33. (Sumerian and Babylonian) A solar deity.
36. American novelist (1909-1955).
37. Minute floating marine tunicate having a transparent body with an opening at each end.
39. A state in northwestern United States on the Pacific.
40. A religious doctrine that is proclaimed as true without proof.
42. United States film actress (born in Sweden) known for her reclusiveness (1905-1990).
44. An inflammatory disease involving the sebaceous glands of the skin.
46. A strong emotion.
47. Any of various edible seeds of plants of the family Leguminosae.
48. Headdress that protects the head from bad weather.
49. A crown-like jewelled headress worn by women on formal occasions.
52. A small loosely aggregated mass of flocculent material suspended in or precipitated from a liquid.
55. Freedom from difficulty or hardship or effort.
57. A silvery ductile metallic element found primarily in bauxite.
58. An ugly evil-looking old woman.
59. A Bantu language spoken by the Kamba people in Kenya.
61. The blood group whose red cells carry both the A and B antigens.
64. A region of Malaysia in northeastern Borneo.
68. A soft silvery metallic element of the alkali earth group.
69. Hamed or injured or spoiled.
72. (electronics) Of a circuit or device having an output that is proportional to the input.
74. (astronomy) A measure of time defined by Earth's orbital motion.
76. West Indian tree having racemes of fragrant white flowers and yielding a durable timber and resinous juice.
77. The state of matter distinguished from the solid and liquid states by.
78. A region of northern France on the English Channel.
81. A decree that prohibits something.
82. The residue that remains when something is burned.
83. The Palestinian uprising (beginning in 1987) against the Israeli occupation of the West Bank and Gaza Strip.
84. A loose sleeveless outer garment made from aba cloth.

DOWN

1. A platform raised above the surrounding level to give prominence to the person on it.
2. (archaic or Scottish) Faithful and true.
3. (computer science) A standardized language for the descriptive markup of documents.
4. Islands in the Atlantic Ocean belonging to Portugal.
5. South African shrub having flat acuminate leaves and yellow flowers.
6. Being ten more than one hundred forty.
7. Showing characteristics of age, especially having gray or white hair.
8. The basic unit of electric current adopted under the System International d'Unites.
9. A large Yoruba city in southwestern Nigeria.
10. Term of address for a man.
11. Combatant who tries to throw opponent to the ground.
12. Conqueror of Gaul and master of Italy (100-44 BC).
13. Having or denoting a low vocal or instrumental range.
14. A member of an Algonquian people living in central Canada.
19. An old Scottish coin of little value.
24. Capital of Nigeria in the center of the country.
26. (informal) Exceptionally good.
28. A loose robe.
30. Small genus of dioecious tropical aquatic plants.
31. A mythical Greek warrior who was a leader on the Trojan side of the Trojan War.
32. Divulge information or secrets.
34. Employing variations in pitch to distinguish meanings of otherwise similar words.
35. A sharp narrow ridge found in rugged mountains.
38. Manufactured in standard sizes to be shipped and assembled elsewhere.
41. A beverage made by steeping tea leaves in water.
43. A narrative song with a recurrent refrain.
45. The dull explosive noise made by an engine.
50. Belonging to or befitting a supreme ruler.
51. Someone who works (or provides workers) during a strike.
53. A genus of Paridae.
54. A clique that seeks power usually through intrigue.
56. A state in northwestern North America.
60. New Zealand conifer.
62. Cubes of meat marinated and cooked on a skewer usually with vegetables.
63. A city in southern Turkey on the Seyhan River.
65. Type genus of the Anatidae.
66. A vigorous blow.
67. A member of the Shoshonean people of northeastern Arizona.
70. Harsh or corrosive in tone.
71. An amino acid that is found in the central nervous system.
73. Strong liquor flavored with juniper berries.
75. Hormone released by the hypothalamus that controls the release of thyroid-stimulating hormone from the anterior pituitary.
79. A New England state.
80. An official prosecutor for a judicial district.

STAR TRACK



Aries (March 21-April 19)

There is a feeling that time is slipping away before you even get up this morning. There may not be enough hours in the day to accomplish all you want to do. Be fair to yourself and make a list with the most important chores at the top of the list. Set a stop time for additional projects and give up the rest of your list if family members need your attention. When your friends call, consider trading lists: laughter can then be enjoyed. Make a fun project out of your chores. There may be some painting or repair of some sort. You find yourself talkative and quick-witted. While working through your list, you may find the time good for thinking over your own affairs.



Taurus (April 20-May 20)

Your attention is drawn to lovers, children and other people or things dear to your heart. Being appreciated and admired for the way you share and give of yourself is a powerful need and you enjoy returning the same appreciation to others. Your appreciation of others and the beauty in your life as well as the love of those around you are where you will be refreshed and relaxed. This afternoon there is time to bust out of your thoughts and try something fresh: perhaps you have never been to a flea market or a farmer's market. There is also much communication between friends. Philosophical disagreements can become overblown, however—careful.



Gemini (May 21-June 20)

You will prosper through new insights, inventions and an independent point of view. Meditation and planning can only be productive if you write down your ideas, let them develop and begin to plan. Perhaps you have an art you would like to display. Anytime is a good time to begin the process of expressing your art. This may mean landscaping, music, drawing, photography, lighting, pottery, etc. You can expect a little boost, some sort of extra support or recognition from some new observer. Through your own ability to follow through and be expressive, you will be helping others. You could find that you are admired for your talents and for how quickly you show the results of your effort.



Cancer (June 21-July 22)

Sometimes you enjoy the feeling that anything is possible. Many days, like this one, encourage productive efforts, and you busy yourself unintentionally impressing the people around you. Through your work you encourage others to rise above the demands of the day and achieve your reach. There is a kind of restlessness for great emotional or physical experiences. Others cheer you on and wish they had your attitude for most any challenge. You are able to dispense with some of the unessential and develop what is most essential in your environment. You encourage better support because you are flexible, agreeable, security conscious and reliable.



Leo (July 23-August 22)

Memories come to the forefront of your mind as you work through some of your chores today. An old picture album or some school autograph book may come to your attention. You may be preparing your place for company or for the possibility of providing a place to freshen up before a reunion or a special social event. Meeting at your place before an event is a good thing as it renews a closeness from long ago. Whatever the case, you enjoy having people in your home and providing the necessities for their comfort—people enjoy your hospitality. You have done all this preparation work because you enjoy doing it, and if you really enjoy providing basic needs and special items for your guests, you might think of investing in a bed and breakfast.



Virgo (August 23-September 22)

You will be pleased at the progress you have made today—just take a look! This is a gratifying day. This may mean an art project or perhaps you are refurbishing the old family homestead. Support and praise should be coming, not only from family but also from neighbors and the general public as well. Some civic duty may be in order—your ideas are not challenged. You are right where you need to be at this time. You could have insight into your own feelings and inner, spiritual nature. A little playtime is in order this afternoon, perhaps a dinner with friends later this evening. Someone may suggest a camping trip or a group get-together: whatever you are in the mood to do, others will follow. You feel healthy and natural.



Libra (September 23-October 22)

Be open to those around you—listen to their words. Someone could challenge you on a very sensitive issue but this is the opportunity you have been waiting for as it gives you the opening to try out some new communication techniques. You have some insights that will help others as well as yourself today. Your friends are very pleased with the attitude changes you have developed over the last few months. New tools for communication, especially with a disagreeable person, are proving quite successful. Harmonious ties to others are what you yearn for: refinement and elegance are what you seek. The ideal partnership, the perfect balance, the highest standards of truth and beauty—these are some of the things that quicken your pulse.



Scorpio (October 23-November 21)

Like wheat or grass blowing and bending in the wind, you can and will create ways to make projects and circumstances bend to your will: things have a way of working out smoothly. Here is a real opportunity to complete any personal projects and work out difficulties. You should be able to get your ideas across to family or friends with ease. Today and tomorrow are wonderful times to enjoy a short trip or begin a vacation. Good feelings and a sense of support make this a happy time: you are flexible as well as witty and people laugh and are merry in your presence. There are makings for a bright and witty day.



Sagittarius (November 22-December 21)

There is a loan in the works today, whether it is for you or you see fit to loan money to another person, make sure an iou is dated and signed. In choosing whether to take or to give this loan, you consider the person and his or her past. You might admit or advise that rainy days and celebrations are good reasons to begin a savings account. You have a lot of optimism for whatever goals you set before yourself at this time. A new hobby may have your attention the remainder of the day. After you get really good at this hobby, it is possible that you could use this hobby to make a little extra income from time to time.



Capricorn (December 22-January 19)

Professional advice this Sunday is advised. Financial savvy and a practical turn of mind are qualities that take on greater importance now. This could be a real-estate situation or an auction of some sort. You are a wheeler-dealer and seem to have a knack for knowing when to purchase the best buys. You also play the role of a facilitator and this can be a rewarding day. You value fairness in all things and go out of your way to be just. You appreciate others who have been successful and may surround yourself with those in power—be they politicians, officials, etc. Your sense of quality and discrimination may amount to some sort of livelihood for you.



Aquarius (January 20-February 18)

Beginning a diet is favored. Also on the list of things to do are the holiday list-making opportunities. Now is a great time to shop and find just the right thing for the right person on your list. It is also a good time to stock up on the canned goods that you won't have to purchase all at one time when those special dates approach. Any money or timesaving plan is a good one. Loved ones and other people or things dear to your heart are emphasized at this time in your life. Later today is for you and if you know of a massage therapist or health food store, this would be a good time to see what they have to offer.



Pisces (February 19-March 20)

A desire for the stimulation of new ideas and ideals is emphasized now. You may appear very at-ease today. Everything seems to be working together; you may find yourself expressive and outgoing. New friends and an involvement in fun activities make you hopeful that you can meet again. You can agree to regular meetings with these friends. You and your friends enjoy all the same activities and the grand thing about it all is that you are easygoing with each other. There are golf, tennis, bicycle tours, educational treks, etc. You may find that at this time of the year, some of you like to make things to send to a senior home or some other place where people need blankets or gloves to keep warm. The best part of today is that feeling of being useful to others.

Wordsearch Puzzle

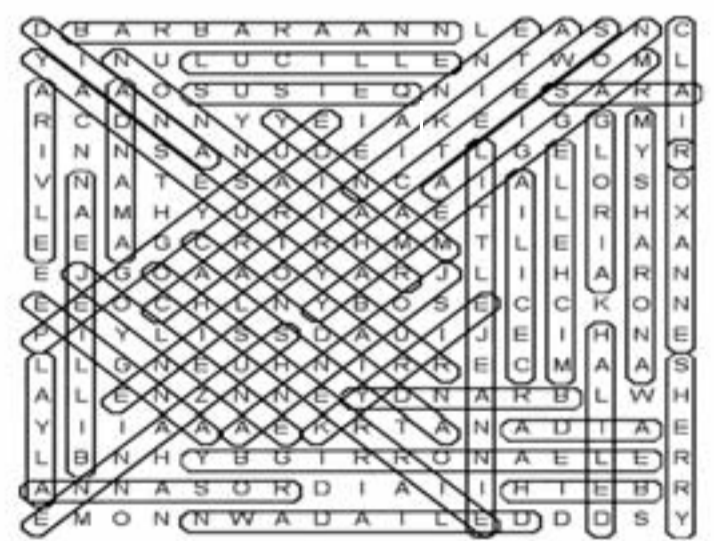
The Golden Girls

Find and circle all of the words and names from *The Golden Girls* TV show. The remaining letters spell the name of a spinoff of *The Golden Girls*.

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| BLANCHE | FRIENDSHIP | SITCOM |
| CHARLEY | MIAMI | SOPHIA |
| CHEESECAKE | MILES | SOUTHERN BELLE |
| CLAYTON | RELATIONSHIPS | ST OLAF |
| COCO | ROSE | STAN |

Songs With Girls' Names



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| ALISON | ELEANOR RIGBY | NIKIITA |
| AMANDA | ELVIRA | OH SHERRIE |
| ANGIE | GLORIA | PEGGY SUE |
| BARBARA ANN | JOANNA | RHIANNON |
| BETH | JOLENE | ROSANNA |
| BILLIE JEAN | KYRIE | ROXANNE |
| BRANDY | LAYLA | RUBY TUESDAY |
| CANDIDA | LITTLE JEANNIE | SARA |
| CARRIE ANNE | LUCILLE | SHERRY |
| CECILIA | MAGGIE MAY | SUSIE Q |
| CLAIR | MANDY | SUZANNE |
| DELILAH | MICHELLE | SWEET CAROLINE |
| DELTA DAWN | | |

The hidden song title is: LUCY IN THE SKY WITH DIAMONDS

Friday's Solution



Daily Sudoku

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Friday's Solution

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