

Today's anacrostic puzzle solution

Title: No-till farmer's best friend*

Quote: *The earthworm, though blind and silent, labors unceasingly in the soil turning decay into nourishment and proving that nature's quiet workers sustain the grandest harvests*

- A. NORRIS ... Actor, martial arts expert, all-around good guy, Chuck ____ [RIP]
- B. ANGLICAN CLERGYMAN ... Main occupation of the above quote's author
- C. THUMBPRINT ... Digital I.D.? (You've got two of them)
- D. UNTRUTHS ... Falsehoods
- E. RESTAURANT ... "You can get anything you want, at Alice's ____" 🎵
- F. ANYTHING ... This answer could be anything
- G. LADDERS ... Kids' game: Chutes and ____
- H. INDIANA ... Fifty years ago the last college basketball perfect season was completed by this University
- I. SOUND ... How birds detect worms
- J. THANKS ... Casual expression of gratitude
- K. GOSHEN ... County seat of Elkhart County
- L. -ISH ... Suffix meaning "sort of"
- M. LOST ... TV series that took place on an island following a plane crash
- N. BOTH ... Worm's answer to the gender question on his/her birth certificate
- O. ELITE EIGHT ... Round of NCAA tourney sandwiched between Sweet Sixteen and Final Four (and hopefully where Purdue finds itself today)
- P. REV. ... Preacher's nickname for his hot car
- Q. TO ... Fro's buddy
- R. WESTVIEW ... Today this school plays for the state boys basketball crown
- S. HEROD ... Biblical king eaten by worms for failing to "give glory to God": ____ Agrippa
- T. IS ... Wordplay: "That that ____, ____. That that ____ not, ____ not."
- U. TUNNELS ... Worms make them, sometimes six feet deep, helping mix nutrients above with soil below
- V. EQUATOR ... Earth's beltline

Acrostic: *Naturalist Gilbert White*