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THE FIRST NOËL

THE FIRST NOEL THE ANGEL DID SAY
WAS TO CERTAIN POOR SHEPHERDS
IN FIELDS AS THEY LAY;
IN FIELDS WHERE THEY LAY
KEEPING THEIR SHEEP,
ON A COLD WINTER'S NIGHT
THAT WAS SO DEEP.

NOEL, NOEL, NOEL, NOEL,
BORN IS THE KING OF ISRAEL.

THEY LOOKED UP AND SAW A STAR
SHINING IN THE EAST,
BEYOND THEM FAR;
AND TO THE EARTH
IT GAVE GREAT LIGHT,
AND SO IT CONTINUED
BOTH DAY AND NIGHT.

NOEL, NOEL, NOEL, NOEL,
BORN IS THE KING OF ISRAEL.

AND BY THE LIGHT
OF THAT SAME STAR
THREE WISE MEN CAME
FROM COUNTRY FAR;
TO SEEK FOR A KING
WAS THEIR INTENT,
AND TO FOLLOW THE STAR
WHEREVER IT WENT.

NOEL, NOEL, NOEL, NOEL,
BORN IS THE KING OF ISRAEL.
THIS STAR DREW NIGH
TO THE NORTHWEST,
O'ER BETHLEHEM IT TOOK ITS REST;
AND THERE IT DID BOTH
STOP AND STAY,

RIGHT OVER THE PLACE
WHERE JESUS LAY.

NOEL, NOEL, NOEL, NOEL,
BORN IS THE KING OF ISRAEL.
THEN ENTERED IN THOSE
WISE MEN THREE,
FULL REVERENTLY UPON THE KNEE,
AND OFFERED THERE,
IN HIS PRESENCE,
THEIR GOLD AND MYRRH
AND FRANKINCENSE.

NOEL, NOEL, NOEL, NOEL,
BORN IS THE KING OF ISRAEL.

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O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL

O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL, JOYFUL AND TRIUMPHANT,
O COME YE, O COME YE TO BETHLEHEM;
COME AND BEHOLD HIM BORN THE KING OF ANGELS;

O COME, LET US ADORE HIM;
O COME, LET US ADORE HIM;
O COME, LET US ADORE HIM, CHRIST THE LORD!

GOD OF GOD, LIGHT OF LIGHT;
LO, HE ABHORS NOT THE VIRGIN'S WOMB;
VERY GOD, BEGOTTEN NOT CREATED;

O COME, LET US ADORE HIM;
O COME, LET US ADORE HIM;
O COME, LET US ADORE HIM, CHRIST THE LORD!

SING, CHOIRS OF ANGELS, SING IN EXULTATION,
SING, ALL YE CITIZENS OF HEAV'N ABOVE;

GLORY TO GOD, ALL GLORY IN THE HIGHEST;

O COME, LET US ADORE HIM;
O COME, LET US ADORE HIM;
O COME, LET US ADORE HIM, CHRIST THE LORD!

YEA, LORD, WE GREET THEE,
BORN THIS HAPPY MORNING:
JESUS, TO THEE BE ALL GLORY GIV'N;
WORD OF THE FATHER, LATE IN FLESH APPEARING.

O COME, LET US ADORE HIM;
O COME, LET US ADORE HIM;
O COME, LET US ADORE HIM, CHRIST THE LORD!

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During this Holy Season of Christ's birth, we reflect on our many blessings and the Gift of Salvation that God sent to us in the form of His Only Begotten Son, Christ Jesus. Our prayer is that each of you know Him as your personal Lord and Savior and that you experience the Hope, Joy and Love that only comes through a personal relationship with Him. May you all know His Peace this Christmas! If you don't have a home church we would love to have you join us for worship. Have a Merry Christmas and a Blessed New Year!



Sunday School, 10 am; Sunday Morning Worship, 11 am; Sunday Evening Worship, 6 pm
Wednesday Bible Study, King's Kids & TOTAL for Teens, 7 pm



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O HOLY NIGHT

O HOLY NIGHT! THE STARS ARE BRIGHTLY SHINING,
IT IS THE NIGHT OF OUR DEAR SAVIOUR'S BIRTH.
LONG LAY THE WORLD IN SIN AND ERROR PINING,
'TIL HE APPEAR'D AND THE SOUL FELT ITS WORTH.
A THRILL OF HOPE THE WEARY WORLD REJOICES,
FOR YONDER BREAKS A NEW AND GLORIOUS MORN.

FALL ON YOUR KNEES! O HEAR THE ANGEL VOICES!
O NIGHT DIVINE, O NIGHT WHEN CHRIST WAS BORN;
O NIGHT DIVINE, O NIGHT, O NIGHT DIVINE.

LED BY THE LIGHT OF FAITH SERENELY BEAMING,
WITH GLOWING HEARTS BY HIS CRADLE WE STAND.



SO LED BY LIGHT OF A STAR SWEETLY GLEAMING,
HERE COME THE WISE MEN FROM ORIENT LAND.
THE KING OF KINGS LAY THUS IN LOWLY MANGER;
IN ALL OUR TRIALS BORN TO BE OUR FRIEND.

HE KNOWS OUR NEED,
TO OUR WEAKNESS IS NO STRANGER,
BEHOLD YOUR KING! BEFORE HIM LOWLY BEND!
BEHOLD YOUR KING, BEFORE HIM LOWLY BEND!

TRULY HE TAUGHT US TO LOVE ONE ANOTHER;
HIS LAW IS LOVE AND HIS GOSPEL IS PEACE.
CHAINS SHALL HE BREAK
FOR THE SLAVE IS OUR BROTHER;
AND IN HIS NAME ALL OPPRESSION SHALL CEASE.
SWEET HYMNS OF JOY IN GRATEFUL CHORUS RAISE WE,
LET ALL WITHIN US PRAISE HIS HOLY NAME.

CHRIST IS THE LORD! O PRAISE HIS NAME FOREVER,
HIS POWER AND GLORY EVERMORE PROCLAIM.
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Silent Night! Holy Night!

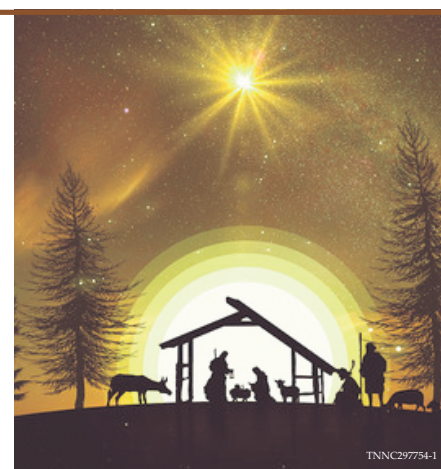
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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Worship 7:00 p.m.



SILENT NIGHT

SILENT NIGHT! HOLY NIGHT!
ALL IS CALM, ALL IS BRIGHT
'ROUND YON VIRGIN MOTHER AND CHILD!
HOLY INFANT, SO TENDER AND MILD,
SLEEP IN HEAVENLY PEACE,
SLEEP IN HEAVENLY PEACE.

SILENT NIGHT! HOLY NIGHT!
SHEPHERDS SHAKE AT THE SIGHT.
GLORIES STREAM FROM HEAVEN AFAR,
HEAV'NLY HOSTS SING, "ALLELUIA!
CHRIST THE SAVIOR IS BORN!
CHRIST THE SAVIOR IS BORN!"

SILENT NIGHT! HOLY NIGHT!
SON OF GOD, LOVE'S PURE LIGHT
RADIANT BEAMS FROM THY HOLY FACE
WITH THE DAWN OF REDEEMING GRACE,
JESUS, LORD, AT THY BIRTH!
JESUS, LORD, AT THY BIRTH!

SILENT NIGHT! HOLY NIGHT!
WONDROUS STAR, LEND THY LIGHT;
WITH THE ANGELS LET US SING
"ALLELUIA" TO OUR KING:
"CHRIST THE SAVIOR IS BORN!
CHRIST THE SAVIOR IS BORN."

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DECK THE HALLS

DECK THE HALLS WITH BOUGHS OF HOLLY,
FA LA LA LA LA, LA LA LA LA.
'TIS THE SEASON TO BE JOLLY,
FA LA LA LA LA, LA LA LA LA.
DON WE NOW OUR GAY APPAREL,
FA LA LA, LA LA LA, LA LA LA.
TOLL THE ANCIENT YULE TIDE CAROL,
FA LA LA LA LA, LA LA LA LA.

SEE THE BLAZING YULE BEFORE US,
FA LA LA LA LA, LA LA LA LA.
STRIKE THE HARP AND JOIN THE CHORUS.
FA LA LA LA LA, LA LA LA LA.
FOLLOW ME IN MERRY MEASURE,

FA LA LA, LA LA LA, LA LA LA.
WHILE I TELL OF YULE TIDE TREASURE,
FA LA LA LA LA, LA LA LA LA.

FAST AWAY THE OLD YEAR PASSES,
FA LA LA LA LA, LA LA LA LA.
HAIL THE NEW, YE LADS AND LASSES,
FA LA LA LA LA, LA LA LA LA.
SING WE JOYOUS, ALL TOGETHER,
FA LA LA, LA LA LA, LA LA LA.
HEEDLESS OF THE WIND AND WEATHER,
FA LA LA LA LA, LA LA LA LA.

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THE LITTLE DRUMMER BOY



COME THEY TOLD ME, PA RUM PUM PUM PUM,
A NEWBORN KING TO SEE,
PA RUM PUM PUM PUM.
OUR FINEST GIFTS WE BRING,
PA RUM PUM PUM PUM,
TO LAY BEFORE THE KING, PA RUM PUM PUM PUM,
RUM PUM PUM PUM,
RUM PUM PUM PUM.
SO TO HONOR HIM, PA RUM PUM PUM PUM,
WHEN WE COME.

LITTLE BABY, PA RUM PUM PUM PUM,
I AM A POOR BOY, TOO, PA RUM PUM PUM PUM.
I HAVE NO GIFT TO BRING, PA RUM PUM PUM PUM,
THAT'S FIT TO GIVE OUR KING, PA RUM PUM PUM
PUM, RUM PUM PUM PUM,
RUM PUM PUM PUM.
SHALL I PLAY FOR YOU, PA RUM PUM PUM,
ON MY DRUM.

MARY NODDED, PA RUM PUM PUM PUM,
THE OX AND LAMB KEPT TIME,
PA RUM PUM PUM PUM.
I PLAYED MY BEST FOR HIM, PA RUM PUM PUM PUM,
RUM PUM PUM PUM,
RUM PUM PUM PUM.
THEN HE SMILED AT ME, PA RUM PUM PUM PUM,
ME AND MY DRUM.

WRITTEN BY KATHERINE K. DAVIS

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ACROSS

1. MIMIC
4. PAYROLL FIRM
7. PERFORM IN A PLAY
10. OPINE: __ PHILOSOPHICAL
11. CRODY
12. POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE
13. 1991 WIMBLEDON WINNER
15. AFFIRMATIVE
16. EXCLAMATION OF DISGUST
19. ACTION OF CONNECTING
21. A WAY TO CALM
23. ESPECIALLY FINE OR DECORATIVE CLOTHING
24. WALKED PROUDLY
25. GROUP OF PEOPLE RELATED THROUGH MALE HEIR
26. SUPPLEMENTED WITH DIFFICULTY
27. SOFT TOUCH
30. ERASES
34. SPANISH RIVER
35. A PRINCESS CAN DETECT IT
36. CLOUDS OF GAS
41. A WAY TO GET THROUGH
45. PART OF A BOOK
46. SOUTHWESTERN US STATE

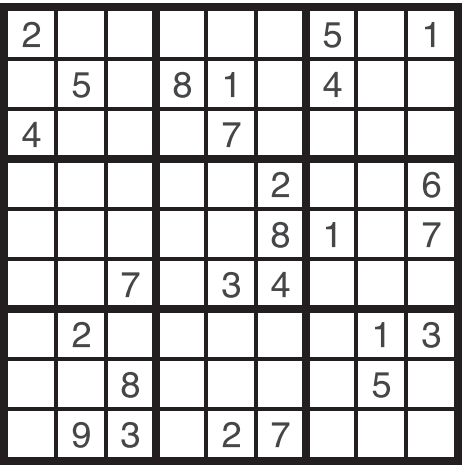
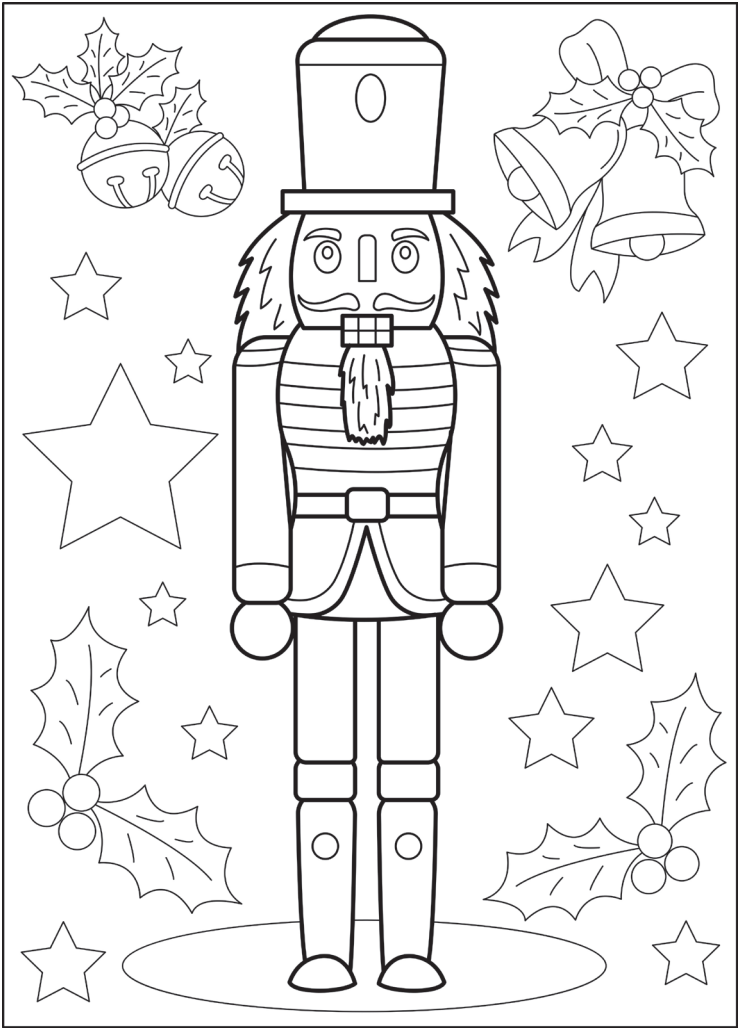
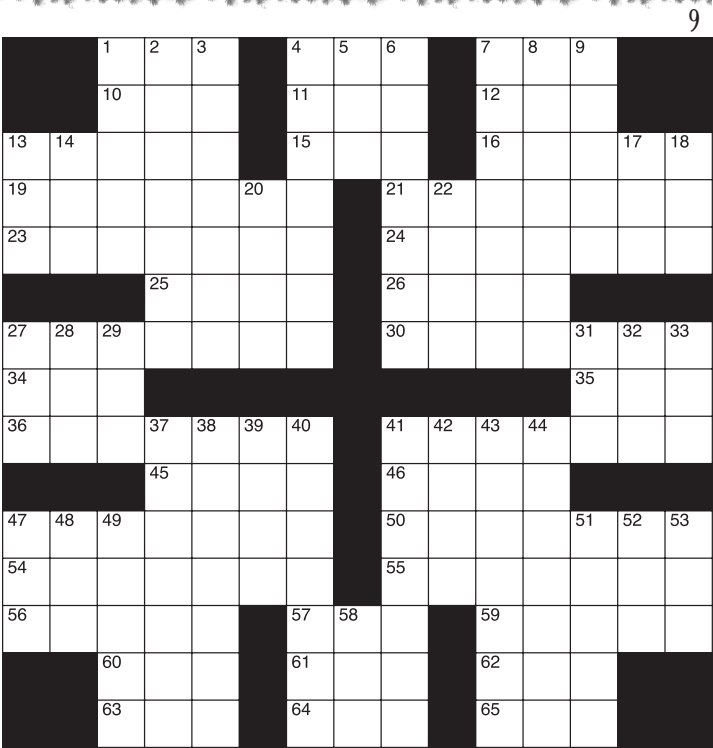
47. FIELDS WHERE RICE IS GROWN
50. AREA IN GHANA
54. SAYINGS
55. INVOLVE DEEPLY
56. COMPELS TO ACT
57. "IGNORE ALL RULES"
59. INDOOR ENTERTAINMENT SPACE
60. BORN OF
61. BACK MUSCLE
62. SEA DWELLER
63. TOOLS THAT RESEMBLE AN AXE
64. PREFIX DENOTING CLASS OR KIND
65. TOOTH CAREGIVER

DOWN

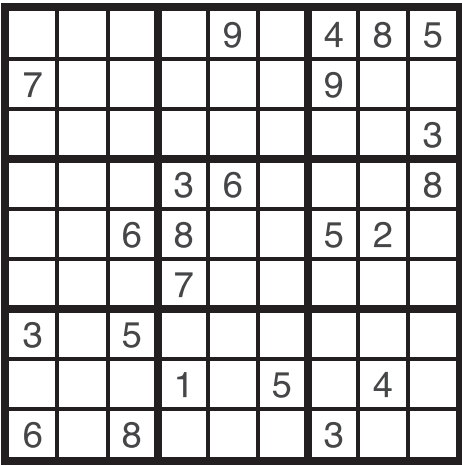
1. INSPIRING
2. PUT INTO A BOX
3. BREATHE OUT
4. PACIFY
5. PATRIOTIC SOCIETY FOR WOMEN
6. FELL DOWN
7. CLOTHING
8. DISHWASHER DETERGENT BRAND
9. FORMER FRENCH REPUBLIC
13. SINGLE LENS REFLEX
14. MEN'S FASHION ACCESSORY

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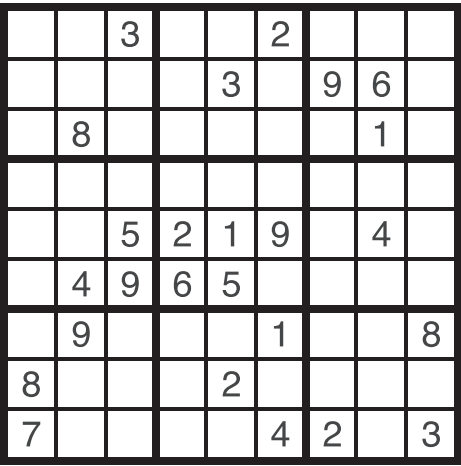
17. CONSUMED
18. MARRY
20. __ UP: INTENSIFIES
22. BODY OF WATER
27. PEOPLE OF SOUTHERN BENIN
28. DECORATE A CAKE WITH FROSTING
29. SNAG
31. YEARLY TONNAGE (ABBR.)
32. RECORDS BRAIN ACTIVITY (ABBR.)
33. CAR MECHANICS GROUP
37. BROUGHT UP TO SNUFF
38. __ FAIRE: ECONOMIC APPROACH
39. PHIL __, FORMER CIA
40. AFFIXED
41. PERIOD OF ADOLESCENCE
42. SUBSTANCE
43. DANCED
44. BAKED WITHOUT ITS SHELL
47. PARTS PER BILLION (ABBR.)
48. SATISFACTION
49. BALKANS RIVER
51. CHRISTMAS CAROLS
52. PARTNER TO TONIC
53. "THE GODFATHER" CHARACTER JOHNNY
58. SWISS RIVER



Level: Advanced



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CHRISTMAS WORD SEARCH

W R O L J O Y A D I L O H N E L T J S S
E R K R G D T K S M S T O M R Y K V L Y
S R B H V S W A N H J I N E S V H O E T
A V D A A C M J O M T G I E E L R I C G
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P S U S E J H D E L B T K E E A J A O A
J Y L T O E N C I B I I Y D E V T A G K
V U B I R I Y S O O A A E V Y J E H J J
U L C I G G T W N O I N D T U B V U L J
C J N H L E V E U K K Y D T L R E E N W
D G T R M R W V G P L I C H E J S K E S
J W J F F C Y B S I G O E S T N A S J A
H L O C D E C E M B E R A S I A O K C L
H I C I J C C A U S O H W T D P R R U K
I Y E R U N F V D N P R E S E N T S F R

Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

CAROLS
CELEBRATION
CHRISTIAN
CHRISTMAS
COOKIES
DECEMBER
EVE
EVERGREEN

FAMILY
GATHERING
HOLIDAY
JESUS
LIST
MIDNIGHT
ORNAMENT
PRESENTS

REINDEER
ROAST
SHOPPING
STORES
TINSEL
VACATION
WREATH
YULETIDE

GUESS WHO ?

I am an actor born on December 3, 1968 in Indiana. I made my acting debut in a crime reenactment for “America’s Most Wanted.” I’m a star who made it big in the 1990s with various action movies, including a trilogy about mummies. After a hiatus, I made a strong comeback and even won an Academy Award.

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A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z
CRYPTO FUN
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Determine the code to reveal the answer!

WORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to Christmas.

L H L Y O

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A. 26 13 18 5 1 17 23

Clue: Special day

B. 19 17 22 25 17

Clue: Bearded gift-giver

C. 15 8 18 8 3 7 17 25 8

Clue: Engage in fanfare

D. 21 13 18 18 23

Clue: Happy and cheerful

CROSSWORD ANSWER FROM PAGE 9:

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SUDOKU ANSWER FROM PAGE 9:

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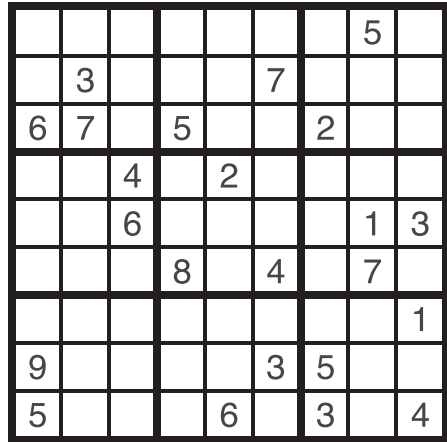
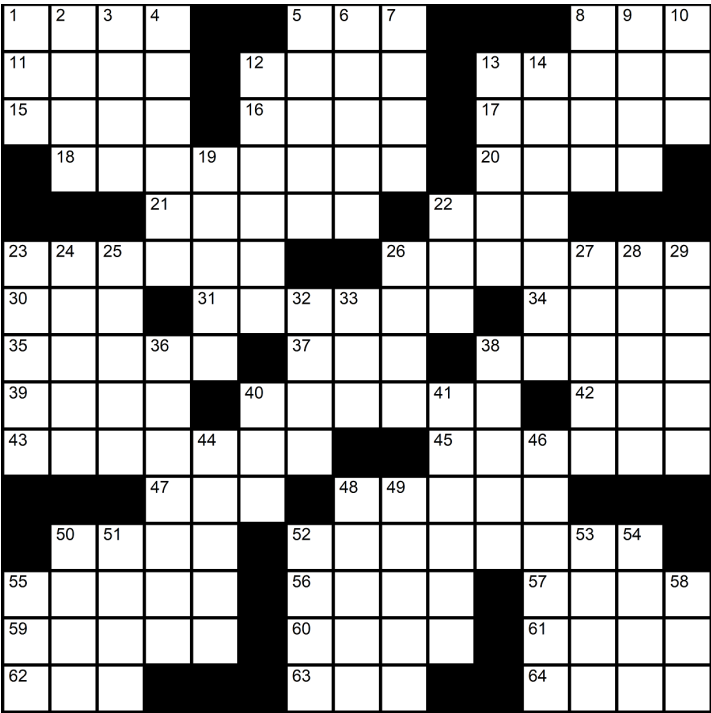
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- ACROSS**
1. SHAPELESS FORM
5. HOT SPRINGS RESORT
8. NOT SQUARE
11. PRIVATE THEATER BOX
12. RELATING TO EAR
13. ROME'S COLOSSEUM, E.G.
15. I ____ YOU SO!
16. *THE OPPOSITE OF A STORE THE DAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS?
17. *"AULD LANG SYNE" POET
18. *PARTRIDGE'S PERCH (2 WORDS)
20. VEGAS NUMBERS
21. NEW ZEALAND'S INDIGENOUS PEOPLE
22. FUSS
23. TABBY'S FAVORITE HERB
26. MORE SO THAN SWELL
30. BIG-HEADEDNESS
31. RESEMBLING AN APE
34. JOHN WAYNE GACY'S ____ THE CLOWN
35. PHOTOGRAPHER DOROTHEA OF "MIGRANT MOTHER" FAME
37. TYPE OR KIND
38. LIKE A SHEEP AFTER A HAIRCUT
39. D'ARTAGNAN'S WEAPON OF CHOICE
40. SUPERLATIVE OF #33 DOWN
42. U.S. CENTRAL BANK
43. WILMA AND FRED'S HOMETOWN
45. *LATKE'S MAIN INGREDIENT

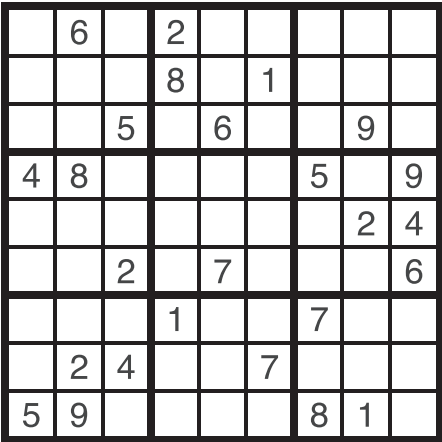
47. WORD OF POSSIBILITY
48. TURNING TOKEN TAKER
50. EXCLAMATION OF SORROW
52. * ____ ODBODY OF "IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE"
55. RASPBERRY DRUPELETS
56. SAINTLY GLOW
57. LETTER OPENER
59. HUNTS FOR FOOD
60. BANANA LEFTOVER
61. GUESSTIMATE PHRASE
62. *COLOR ON A KWANZAA FLAG
63. NOT DIVISIBLE BY TWO
64. SCHOLARSHIP CRITERION

- DOWN**
1. DELI ACRONYM
2. CHICAGO'S CENTRAL DISTRICT, WITH THE
3. GAWK AT
4. WISH HARM UPON, ARCH.
5. ONE OF THE BEATLES
6. PILEUS, PL.
7. "THE ROAD RUNNER" CORPORATION
8. GROUP OF COWS
9. BED-AND-BREAKFAST ALTERNATIVE, PL.
10. *"THE NUTCRACKER" STEP
12. CERTAIN CEPHALOPOD, PL.
13. IT'S SOMETIMES HUMBLE

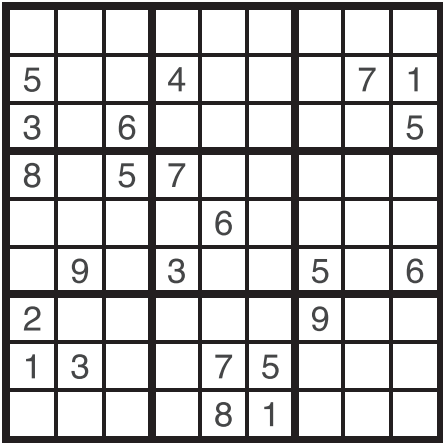
14. *CHUCK BERRY'S "RUN, ____, RUN"
19. REASON TO STRIKE
22. GRASS BRISTLE
23. FAMOUS ONE, SLANGILY
24. OPEN-MOUTHED
25. LIKE A WELL-DEFINED MUSCLE
26. HOT ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE
27. WASHING SPONGE
28. TYPE OF HERON
29. RONDEAU, ALT. SP.
32. *SANTA'S BEVERAGE OF CHOICE
33. NOT WELL
36. *ORIGINAL HOME OF CHRISTMAS TANNENBAUM
38. FUR SHAWL
40. EXTREMELY UNFRIENDLY
41. PLANE TRICK
44. REPRIEVE IN A DESERT
46. MUSCLE TO BONE CONNECTOR
48. SKIDDED
49. WEIGHED
50. 4,840 SQUARE YARDS
51. TOLD AN UNTRUTH
52. HEAD OF FAMILY
53. WRAP IN WAXY CLOTH
54. COMFORT
55. FINANCING ACRONYM
58. STEWART OF "MAGGIE MAY" FAME



Level: Advanced



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GUESS WHO ANSWER FROM PAGE 10:

Brendan Fraser

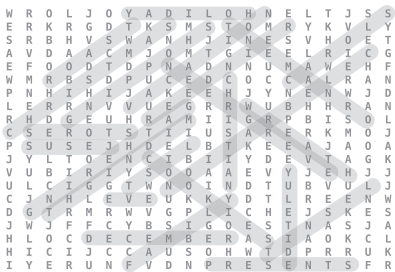
WORD SCRAMBLE ANSWER FROM PAGE 10:

Holly

CRYPTO FUN ANSWER FROM PAGE 10:

- A. holiday*
B. Santa
C. celebrate
D. jolly

CHRISTMAS WORD SEARCH ANSWER FROM PAGE 10:



DECK THE HALLS WORD SEARCH

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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

GUESS WHO?

I am an actress born in New York on December 19, 1972. I began acting at age 8 after landing a role on a national tour of "Annie." I rose to fame as a teen on a television show about a male housekeeper. I later starred alongside two other "sisters" on a magical show.

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| BELLS | NUTCRACKER |
| BOUGH | ORNAMENTS |
| CHRISTMAS TREE | POINSETTIA |
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| DISPLAY | SLEIGH |
| FIREPLACE | SNOWMAN |
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Solve the code to discover words related to Christmas.
Each number corresponds to a letter.
(Hint: 16 = E)

- A. 15 22 5 5 8**
Clue: Happy
- B. 23 22 5 20 9 12 8**
Clue: Special occasion
- C. 9 16 11 16 18 7 16 26**
Clue: Twelfth month
- D. 1 26 16 24 16 19 3 24**
Clue: Gifts



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WORD SCRAMBLE

Rearrange the letters to spell something pertaining to Christmas.

E R T E

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DECK THE HALLS WORD SEARCH ANSWER FROM PAGE 12: CROSSWORD ANSWER FROM PAGE 11:

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| TOLD | CALM | BURNS |
| PEAT | TREE | ODDS |
| MAORI | ADO | |
| CATNIP | SWELLER | |
| EGO | SIMIAN | POGO |
| LANGE | ILK | SHORN |
| EPEE | ILLEST | FED |
| BEDROCK | POTATO | |
| MAY | STILE | |
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| ACINI | AURA | DEAR |
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| RED | ODD | NEED |

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ACROSS

1. WINGED NUT
7. __ HUMBUG!
10. ONE WHO SETS APART
12. CIRCLE ABOVE A SAINT'S HEAD
13. UNPLEASANTLY LOUD AND HARSH
14. EXPRESSED PLEASURE
15. FEMININE GIVEN NAME
16. COMPANY OF BADGERS
17. POPULAR DODGE PICKUP TRUCK
18. WITTY SAYINGS
19. LEADER
21. AUTONOMIC NERVOUS SYSTEM
22. PREMOLAR
27. ATOMIC #28
28. HOLIDAY DECORATIVE ITEM
33. EXCLAMATION OF SURPRISE
34. RUSK OR CRACKER
36. RETURNED MATERIAL AUTHORIZATION (ABBR.)
37. SCOTTISH OR IRISH GAELIC LANGUAGE
38. EAT
39. MARXIST ECONOMICS THEORY (ABBR.)

40. CEASES TO EXIST
41. MALE ARABIC NAME
44. SERIES OF RIDGES ON AN ORGAN WALL
45. PLACES WHERE BEES ARE KEPT
48. ONE-TIME YANKEES SENSATION KEVIN
49. CHURCH OFFICE
50. SINGLE LENS REFLEX
51. PIECES OF FIBROUS TISSUE

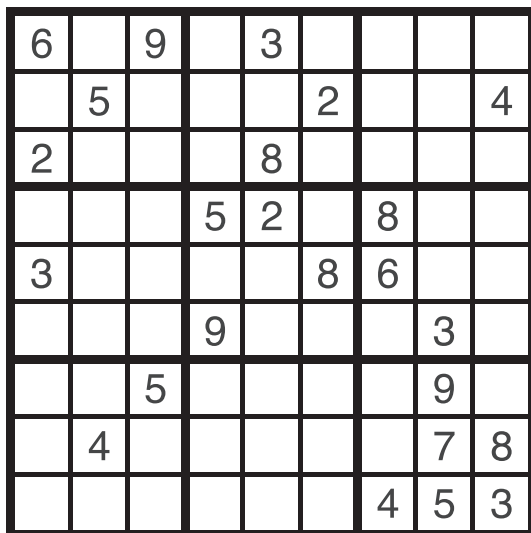
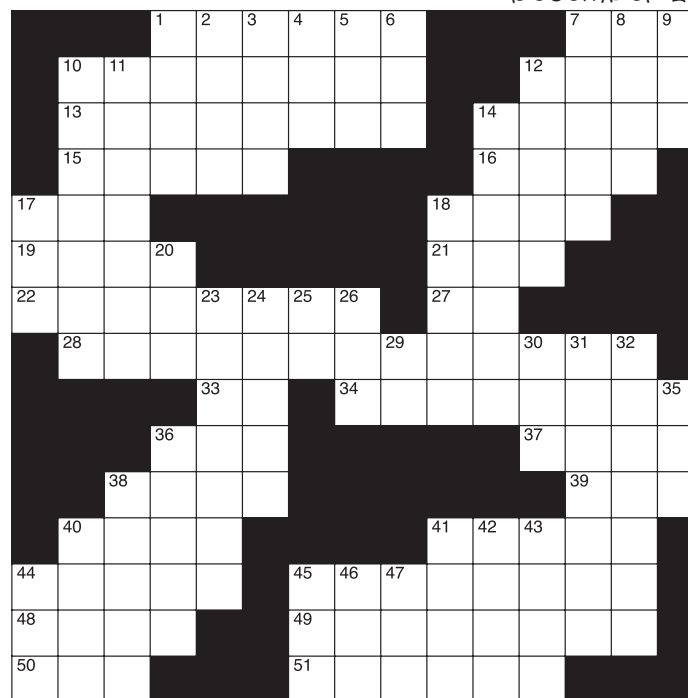
DOWN

1. CLASSIFY
2. DISMOUNTED
3. PRODUCED
4. CONSUMED
5. DIRECTOR HOWARD
6. THE PRODUCTS OF HUMAN CREATIVITY
7. THAI MONETARY UNITS
8. AWAY FROM WIND
9. BUILDER'S TROUGH
10. RELATING TO ISLAM
11. IT CAN SOMETIMES ACHIEVE
12. SMALL QUANTITIES (SCOT.)
14. POISONOUS PLANT

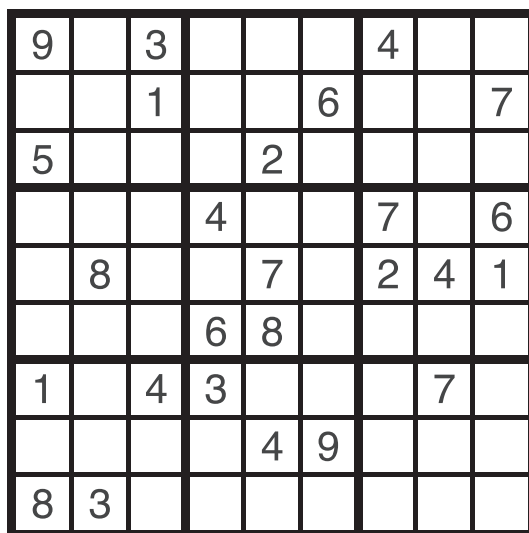
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17. LAUGH AT
18. VOGUE
20. C. EUROPEAN RIVER
23. TYPE OF CAT
24. EXCLAMATION OF DISGUST
25. STEPHEN KING NOVEL
26. WITHOUT ARMIES
29. EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY
30. RELATIVE BIOLOGICAL EFFECTIVENESS (ABBR.)
31. PREVIOUSLY
32. ILLEGAL DRUG
35. KILOELECTRONVOLT
36. LARGE, FLIGHTLESS BIRDS
38. FOR SMOKING
40. BINARY
41. COMPETITION
42. MARK RESEMBLING AN ARROW
43. CONTAINERS
44. ROOT MEAN SQUARE (ABBR.)
45. COMMERCIALS
46. I.M., ARCHITECT
47. 007'S CREATOR

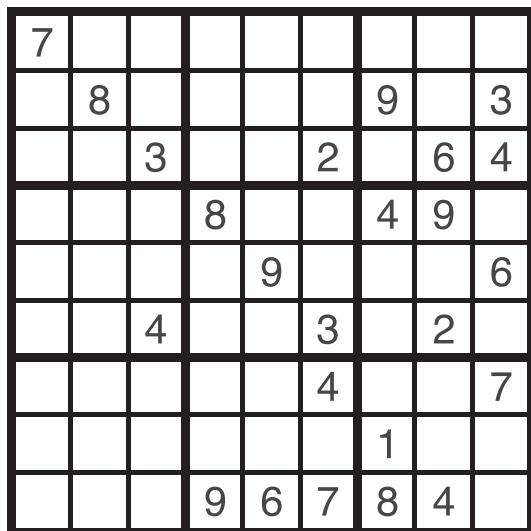
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Solve the code to discover words related to the holiday season.
Each number corresponds to a letter.
(Hint: 11= A)

A. 12 11 16 1 22 19

Clue: Come together

B. 8 11 9 23 26 4

Clue: Related people

C. 15 23 25 25 22 19

Clue: Evening meal

D. 1 13 26 23 15 11 4

Clue: Festive event

WORD SCRAMBLE ANSWER FROM PAGE 13:

Tree

GUESS WHO ANSWER FROM PAGE 12:

Alyssa Milano

CRYPTO FUN ANSWER FROM PAGE 12:

- A. jolly
B. holiday
C. December
D. presents

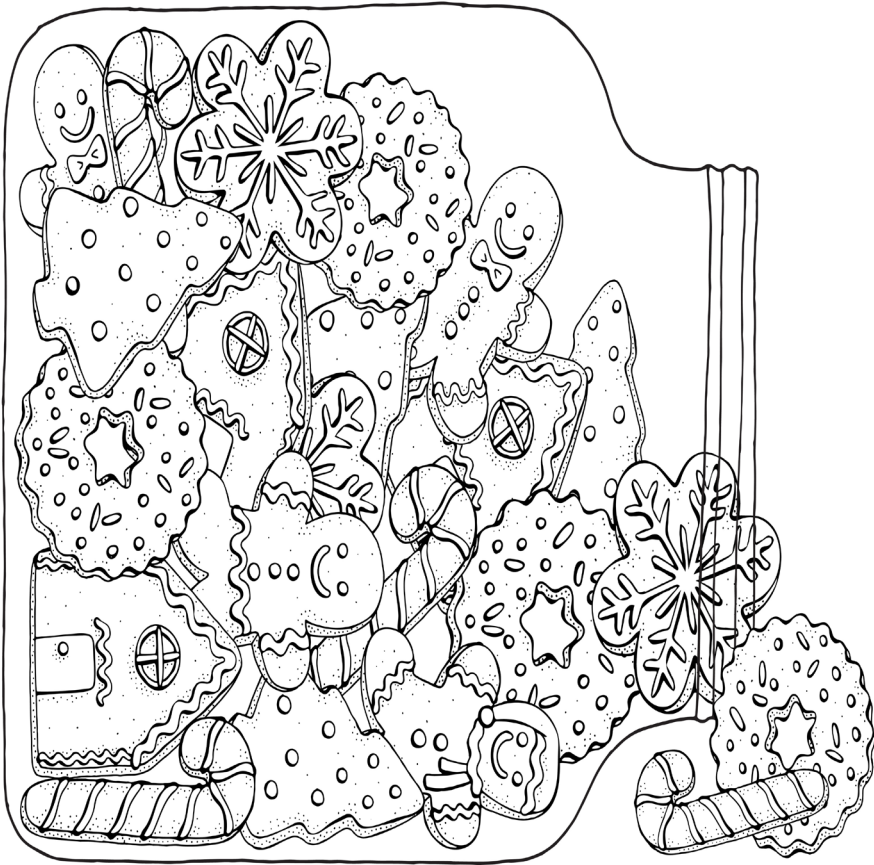
HOLIDAY BAKING WORD SEARCH

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A T E S T I A K M Y R O L L I N G P I

Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

GUESS WHO ?

I am an actor born in Texas on December 13, 1967. I broke several school records as a young football player in high school. I had a breakout role on a TV series that also included Jim Carrey. I won an Oscar for playing a famous blind musician.



- BAKED
CHOCOLATE
COOKIES
CREAM
CRUMBS
DESSERT
EGGS
FOLD
FRUITCAKE
GINGERBREAD
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- PASTRY
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CROSSWORD ANSWER FROM PAGE 14:

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GUESS WHO ANSWER

Jamie Foxx

CRYPTO FUN ANSWER FROM PAGE 14

- A. gather
- B. family
- C. dinner
- D. holiday



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