

King Classic Sudoku

	4					7	
7		3	4				
9	6		1		5	4	
8			7	1		4	
6	3						2
2				6		5	
		1		6		7	9
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Difficulty: ★★★★★

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4	8	3	9	6	1	7	2	5
5	7	1	4	2	3	9	6	8
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1	9	7	3	4	2	5	8	6
3	6	8	5	1	9	4	7	2
9	4	2	1	5	6	8	3	7
8	1	5	2	3	7	6	4	9
7	3	6	8	9	4	2	5	1

Difficulty: ★★★★★

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ISAAC ASIMOV'S SUPER QUIZ

Take this Super Quiz to a Ph.D. Score 1 point for each correct answer on the Freshman Level, 2 points on the Graduate Level and 3 points on the Ph.D. Level.

Subject: MARY OR MARIE
(e.g., The voice of Princess Aurora in Disney's "Sleeping Beauty." Answer: Mary Costa.)

- FRESHMAN LEVEL**
1. She starred on TV along with Ed Asner, Betty White and Ted Knight.
Answer: _____
2. This woman washed the feet of Jesus after he cured her of evil spirits.
Answer: _____
3. Actress who was a founder of the United Artist Corporation.
Answer: _____
4. Wife of Louis XVI of France who was executed during the French Revolution.
Answer: _____
5. She is the author of the novel "Frankenstein."
Answer: _____

- GRADUATE LEVEL**
6. The first lady of the U.S. until her husband was assassinated.
Answer: _____
7. She pioneered research on radioactivity and won two Nobel Prizes.
Answer: _____
8. Actress, comedian, singer-songwriter who married Ted Danson in 1995.
Answer: _____
9. She is often referred to as "Queen of Hip-Hop Soul" and "Queen of R&B."
Answer: _____
10. Actress best remembered for her role as Brigid in "The Maltese Falcon."
Answer: _____

- PH.D. LEVEL**
11. The first U.S. woman to win the all-around gold medal in Olympic gymnastics.
Answer: _____
12. Actress best remembered for her role as the title character in "My Friend Irma."
Answer: _____
13. She was a host of "Donny & Marie" alongside her brother.
Answer: _____
14. Canadian actress, comedian of silent and Depression-era films.
Answer: _____
15. Catholic Queen who was forced to abdicate and was eventually executed.
Answer: _____

ANSWERS: 1. Mary Tyler Moore. 2. Mary Magdalene. 3. Mary Pickford. 4. Marie Antoinette. 5. Mary Shelley. 6. Mary Todd Lincoln. 7. Marie Curie. 8. Mary Steenburgen. 9. Mary J. Blige. 10. Mary Astor. 11. Mary Lou Retton. 12. Marie Wilson. 13. Marie Osmond. 14. Marie Dressler. 15. Mary, Queen of Scots (Mary Stuart).

SCORING:
24 to 30 points — congratulations, doctor; 18 to 23 points — honors graduate; 13 to 17 points — you're plenty smart, but no grind; 5 to 12 points — you really should hit the books harder; 1 point to 4 points — enroll in remedial courses immediately; 0 points — who reads the questions to you?

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CELEBRITY CIPHER
by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

" T S X N A G Y J Z V I ' Z F G K Y P I J V I G V I
K Y Z I Z F G L I D I Z L F G V F Z O T D E Y D T
O Y X W K I Y E C T N Z . " — L F B T K K I G

Previous Solution: "The great secret that all old people share is that ... your body changes, but you don't change at all." — Doris Lessing

TODAY'S CLUE: ☞ sjenbe S

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NEA Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1 Singer — Benatar
4 "Survivor" network
7 Date (Abbr.)
11 Night preceding a holiday
12 Ship's company
13 Con — (spiritedly)
14 Twitch
15 — moth
16 Containers for trash
17 Religious retreat in India
19 Tines
21 Spheres
23 Much-used abbr.
24 Word of woe
27 Playing card
29 "No —, ands or buts"
32 Movie genre — -com
33 No-sleeves garment
34 Fruit stone
35 Unruly crowd
- 36 Slant
37 State near Miss.
38 Schuss
39 Young fellow
40 Dilly- —
42 Sticky substance
44 Tale
46 Exterior plaster
49 Exit (2 wds.)
53 Goods
55 plundered
54 Bill
56 Wildebeest
57 Chills and fever
58 One of five Great Lakes
59 Massage
60 Flagpole
61 Nevertheless
62 Printing measures

DOWN

- 1 Anti-fur org.
2 Rara —
3 It's part of IT, informally
4 Bit of bread
5 London's Big —
6 Exchange
7 Head monk
8 Most important
9 High-pitched sound
10 Fling
12 Musician Gary — Jr.
18 Mythical bird
20 "Seasons of Love" musical
22 Regular
24 Weapons
25 "— Who's Talking!"
26 Unclear
28 Curved letter
30 "— 'er up!"

Answer to Previous Puzzle

S	R	O		R	E	A	M		V	I	P	S
T	A	B		E	C	R	U		A	T	O	P
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E	D	D	Y		M	O	N	T		D	E	N

- 31 Collar insert
33 By way of
36 Alliance of nations
40 Male duck
41 Every
43 Group of eight
45 Stand ready for
46 Criticize
47 Ancient garment
48 Follow the rules
50 Monstrous one
51 E pluribus —
52 Vessels
55 Before

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