

King Classic Sudoku

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Difficulty: ★★★★★

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1	9	2	4	3	7	8	6	5
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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: FOOD & COOKING
(e.g., What fruit has seeds on the outside? Answer: Strawberry.)

FRESHMAN LEVEL

1. What do you do when you dice an onion?
Answer _____
2. How should you store tomatoes to make them last longer?
Answer _____
3. This vegetable makes people cry when they cut it.
Answer _____

GRADUATE LEVEL

4. What nut is used to make marzipan?
Answer _____
5. Cutting steak against the grain makes it more _____.
Answer _____
6. What is the term for moistening meat with melted butter while it cooks?
Answer _____

PH.D. LEVEL

7. Term for a clear thin broth made by simmering beef or chicken in water.
Answer _____
8. What is the main ingredient in guacamole?
Answer _____
9. What does "mise en place" mean in cooking?
Answer _____

ANSWERS: 1. Cut it into small cubes. 2. Upside down. 3. Onion. 4. Almonds. 5. Tender. 6. Baste. 7. Bouillon or broth. 8. Avocado. 9. Have all ingredients prepared and ready before you start cooking.

SCORING:

18 points — congratulations, doctor; 15 to 17 points — honors graduate; 10 to 14 points — you're plenty smart, but no grind; 4 to 9 points — you really should hit the books harder; 1 point to 3 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.

"DKHU OI IK CKCPHYT IOGCHX

JRVYPIR OE OI ENR JR IE DYGR OB

ENR FKTHS YE FNOVN EK JR JYS."

— Y. Y. GOHBR

Previous Solution: "Life is very interesting; in the end some of your greatest pains become your greatest strengths." — Drew Barrymore

TODAY'S CLUE: *— J. Spence*

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NEA Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1 "— humbug!"
- 4 Spill the beans
- 8 Soapstone
- 12 "Exodus" hero
- 13 Fury
- 14 Moonfish
- 15 Drenched
- 16 Object of devotion
- 17 Street performer
- 18 Fastened with shoe-strings
- 20 Drink taken after a drink
- 22 Crone
- 23 Simple dwelling
- 24 Bug barrier
- 27 Grass cutter
- 31 Diving bird
- 32 Bit of smoke
- 34 Give — — whirl
- 35 Curve
- 36 Touched
- 37 Crisp cookie
- 38 "The butcher, the — ..."
- 40 Grommet
- 42 Doze
- 44 Hard liquor
- 45 Color, hippie-style (Hyph.)
- 48 Playing marble
- 51 Rights org.
- 52 Club fee
- 55 Relatives
- 56 Nonsense poet
- 57 Poker stake
- 58 Antiquity
- 59 Laborer of old
- 60 Fibber
- 61 Home (Abbr.)
- DOWN
- 1 Cry
- 2 Length x width
- 3 "Psycho" director
- 4 Card game
- 5 Fond du —, Wisconsin
- 6 In the past
- 7 Long seat
- 8 Beefsteak or cherry
- 9 Sacred bull of ancient Egypt
- 10 Metallic fabric
- 11 "Believe" singer
- 19 Merit
- 21 Camel feature
- 24 Marsh bird
- 25 Female sheep
- 26 "Death on the —"
- 28 Vintner
- 29 Coup d'—
- 30 Knock

Answer to Previous Puzzle

I	F	I	B	A	L	E	S	P	R	Y
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- 30 Knock
- 31 Workplace, for short
- 33 Piggery
- 36 Unravel
- 37 Hit hard
- 39 Put up with
- 41 School-room essential
- 43 Piano part
- 45 Yarn
- 46 Frozen desserts
- 47 — vital
- 49 Flooring piece
- 50 Tips
- 53 Numerical prefix
- 54 Between zeta and theta

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