King Classic Sudoku

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Difficulty: ★★★★★ 5/31

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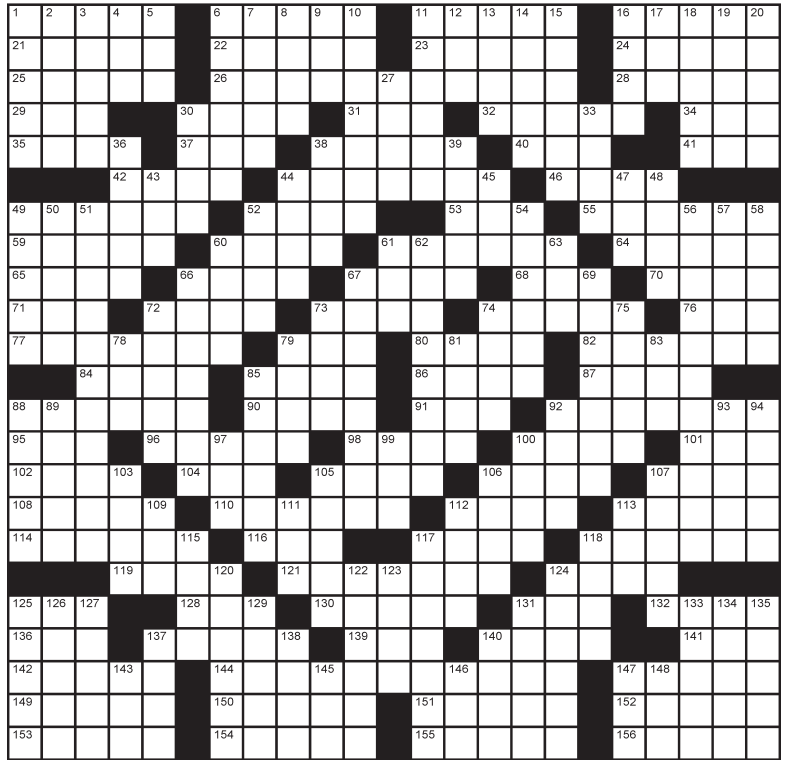
SUNDAY PUZZLER

ACROSS

1 Supporting piece
6 Disdain
11 Expertise, slangily
16 Shoe made from wood
21 Pass along
22 "__ Days of the Condor"
23 Bizarre
24 Wide open
25 Banded quartz
26 Business traveler (2 wds.)
28 Afterward
29 Uncle __
30 Ringlet
31 Bread roll
32 Wish for enviously
34 Goof
35 Opening for a coin
37 Expert
38 Term of endearment
40 Not many
41 Actor Daniel __ -Lewis
42 __ and file
44 Depict
46 Salty bodies of water
49 Fully grown
52 Celestial body
53 Office VIP
55 Ski at high speed
59 Mistreat
60 Cheat
61 New version much like the first
64 Fractional part
65 Civil wrong
66 Harden with heat
67 Angry speech
68 Burst
70 Remotely
71 Plastic container
72 Adorable
73 Held on to
74 Jargon
76 Mine's output
77 Tummy
79 That man's
80 Doing nothing
82 Flew high
84 Bark that floats
85 Tree trunk
86 Depend
87 Befit
88 Instruct
90 "A __ With a View"
91 Curved letter
92 Isolate
95 Mauna __
96 On the level
98 Stop suddenly
100 Hit hard
101 Nothing
102 Not theirs
104 Hang down
105 Tactic
106 Sturdy cups
107 Kind of 1960s lamp
108 Rye fungus
110 Scream
112 Decorative jar
113 Beelzebub
114 Cooked in water
116 Upper surface
117 "Porgy and __"
118 Traditional story
119 Burn
121 Gobi and Mojave
124 Prong
125 Panhandle
128 Aries, for one
130 Roundup
131 Barrier for water
132 Flightless bird
136 Moray
137 Flat-topped hills
139 Estuary
140 Sharpen
141 Friend in France
142 Stage play
144 Multiplied by 10, twice
147 Toil
149 Source of fine down
150 Escape
151 Ceasefire
152 Aristocracy
153 Does a gardening job
154 Fight off
155 Zenana
156 Like some private communities

DOWN

1 Military VIPs
2 Fit for a king
3 San Antonio landmark
4 Kitty
5 Storm's center
6 Hit
7 Task
8 Surgeon type
9 Blushing
10 Infant
11 Where streets meet
12 "Ben- __"
13 Of the ear
14 Evidence
15 Puts the ball in play
16 Season
17 Ottoman title
18 With __ breath
19 Musical drama
20 Fabric for towels
27 "Travels With My __"
30 Woody stem
33 Adult sheep
36 Family fund
38 Curved needle
39 Boat in a race
43 Exist
44 Warsaw denizen
45 Certain vote
47 Behave
48 Former Mets Stadium
49 Dillon and Damon
50 Circa
51 Soup up
52 Actor __ Myers
54 Large hawk
56 Ill-starred
57 Fixed gaze
58 Tear into strips
60 Washing event
61 Knock
62 Altogether
63 Farm animal
66 Fasteners
67 Look like
69 Have
72 Holiday song
73 2.2 lbs.
74 "__ Well That Ends Well"
75 Abut
78 Low
79 Owl's cry
81 Escritoire
83 Trouble
85 Radiant
88 Fruits of the blackthorn
89 Woo
92 Wise man
93 Upholstered seat
94 Antelope
97 State of matter
99 Perfectly fine (Hyph.)
100 Kiss
103 Does a farm job
105 Pied __ of Hamelin
106 Bulk
107 Brewed drink
109 Links peg
111 Staff
112 Nix
113 Legislator (Abbr.)
115 Challenge
117 Scope
118 Juicy fruit
120 Bacon slice
122 Reddish-brown horse
123 Actress __ Adams
124 Bike for two
125 Moisten
126 Not of this world
127 Clearing
129 Pale purple
131 "La __ Vita"
133 Custom
134 Chew the scenery
135 Broadcast
137 God of war
138 Break
140 Time
143 Garment size (Abbr.)
145 JFK predecessor
146 Monk's title
147 Cost an arm and a __
148 State near Miss.



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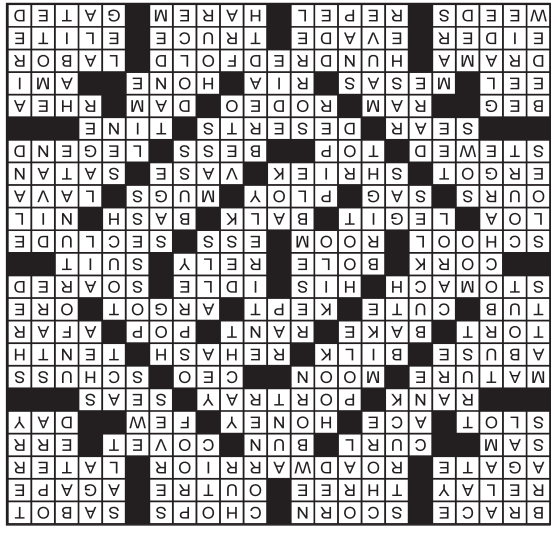

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