

# King Classic Sudoku

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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: HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS**  
Identify the historical highlight that took place or began on the given date(s). (Example: 1492: A discovery. Answer: Discovery of the Americas.)

**FRESHMAN LEVEL**  
1. 1914-1918: A war. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
2. 1969: A first in space. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
3. 1939-1945: A war. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
4. 2023: A coronation. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
5. 1941: A surprise attack. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

**GRADUATE LEVEL**  
6. 1914: The opening of a construction. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
7. 1789: A revolution. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
8. 1929-1939: An economic downturn. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
9. 1950-1953: A war. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
10. 1990: Launch of a telescope. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

**PH.D. LEVEL**  
11. 1941-1945: Genocide. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

12. 1346-1353: A pandemic. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
13. 1649: An execution. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
14. 1921: A Banting and Best discovery. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_  
15. 1957: A launch. Answer: \_\_\_\_\_

**ANSWERS:** 1. World War I. 2. Neil Armstrong is first to set foot on the moon. 3. World War II. 4. King Charles III is crowned king of the United Kingdom. 5. Japan attacks Pearl Harbor. 6. Panama Canal opens. 7. The French Revolution. 8. The Great Depression. 9. The Korean War. 10. Launch of the Hubble Space Telescope. 11. The holocaust (the Shoah). 12. The Black Death in Europe. 13. The beheading of Charles I, King of England. 14. Discovery of insulin. 15. The launch of Sputnik 1.

**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 M T M R M X T I Q S H M K H X K K H M Y C H S  
... U A G L E H U X X R H H K M X M A G L R H S ,  
K C H B T I T L K C H S U X K C M K X R H H K  
A G L R H S L A G L E H . ” — X K H E U H R L B O H S

Previous Solution: "Fame is fickle and I know it. It has its compensations, but it also has its drawbacks and I've experienced them both." — Marilyn Monroe

TODAY'S CLUE: *U sjenbo S*

# NEA Crossword Puzzle

**ACROSS**  
1 Gesture of respect  
4 Clubs or hearts, e.g.  
8 Display  
12—before beauty  
13“The King —”  
14Domesticate  
15Chosen one  
17Asia’s — Sea  
18Gripped  
19Unusual thing (2 wds.)  
21Wildebess  
23— soda  
24Old movies  
28Sphere of influence  
32ET’s craft  
33“— Framed Roger Rabbit”  
34Cow sound  
35Sack  
36Mimic  
39Lawyers’ org.  
40Cyclone

43Chef’s domain  
45Lubricate  
47Chinese “way”  
48Ground beef dish (2 wds.)  
52From — to riches  
56“— Karenina”  
57Bangle  
59Stolen goods  
60Liver secretion  
61Literary collection  
62Serf  
63Lock maker  
64Piggery

**DOWN**  
1 Big shindig  
2 Gothic arch  
3 Healthy  
4 Cul-de- —  
5 Lie  
6 “What’s the big —?”  
7 Rows  
8 Place for horses  
9 Mata —  
10 Gen. — Bradley  
11 Join metal parts  
16 Brink  
20 Corn spike  
22 Pt. on a compass  
24 U-boats  
25 “— first you don’t succeed ...”  
26 Corporate emblem  
27 Steep  
29 Eastern servant  
30 Ear part  
31 Complain

Answer to Previous Puzzle

A	S	P		P	R	A	T	E		T	A	M
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37 Hidden danger  
38 Letter before theta  
41 Turn  
42 Thickness measure  
44 Heart  
46 Reception area  
48 Buck or bull  
49 Slaughter of baseball  
50 Soon  
51 Diva’s song  
53 “Woe is me!”  
54 Bloke  
55 Remain  
58 So-so grade

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