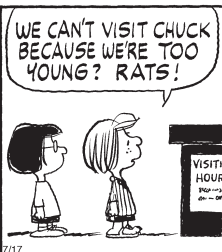


CLASSIC COMICS

PEANUTS



Charles Schulz FOR BETTER OR FOR WORSE



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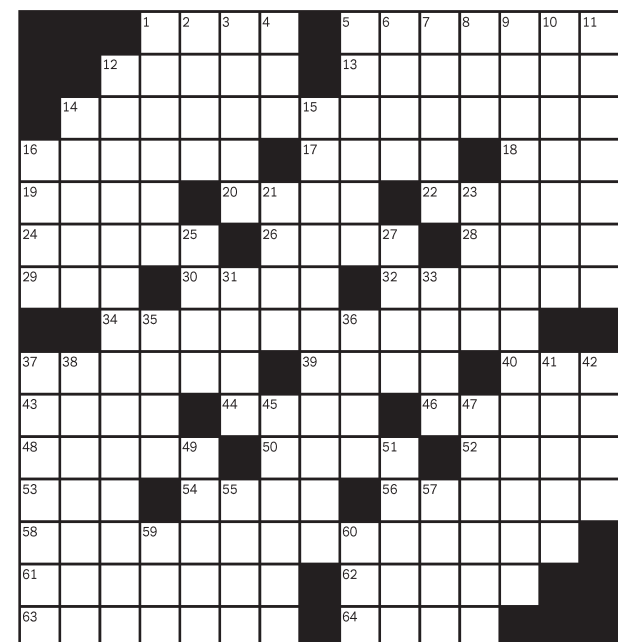
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- ACROSS**
- 1 Get-up
- 5 Exhibiting a green face, stereotypically
- 12 Children's book title character in a green suit
- 13 Ambassador's aide
- 14 Inheritance source, for good or ill
- 16 "Red, the color of ___ / Black, the color of despair" ("Les Misérables" lyric)
- 17 Prefix with present
- 18 Farm grazer
- 19 "Empire of the ___" (1977 sci-fi film with an approval rating of 5% on Rotten Tomatoes)

- 20 Velociraptor, e.g., informally
- 22 ___ asada
- 24 Followers of the guru Nanak
- 26 Elate
- 28 Some fragrant gifts
- 29 Half ass reply?
- 30 Microscopic
- 32 Weight
- 34 Style with spotty coverage?
- 37 Good market news
- 39 Slip material
- 40 Tally: Abbr.
- 43 Ex-
- 44 Big name in cups
- 46 Contents of a modern flood
- 48 Lock
- 50 Some camera moves

- DOWN**
- 52 Commedia dell' ___
- 53 Needing no script
- 54 Deuce follower
- 56 "That's good to hear"
- 58 Home of the world's largest independently owned bookstore (spanning an entire city block)
- 61 Windflower
- 62 Play again
- 63 Cone holders
- 64 Cost of a hand



PUZZLE BY AMANDA WINTERS

- 14 One who might say "You wish!"
- 15 Site of America's first roller coaster
- 16 T, in Morse code
- 21 "___ it?"
- 23 Locale for 11 Winter Olympics
- 25 Mix up
- 27 Tzatziki ingredient
- 31 Quality establishments?
- 33 M.C.'s need
- 35 Baseball trio
- 36 Symbol of courage
- 37 Satisfactory
- 38 Epic beginning
- 41 Saturn satellite
- 42 Runners carry it
- 45 Puts in one's two cents
- 47 Smith who has won the Triple Crown of Acting
- 49 Do business?
- 51 Obstacle for Odysseus
- 55 ___ Point, Calif.
- 57 Central point
- 59 "OMG, stop!"
- 60 Pray, in Latin

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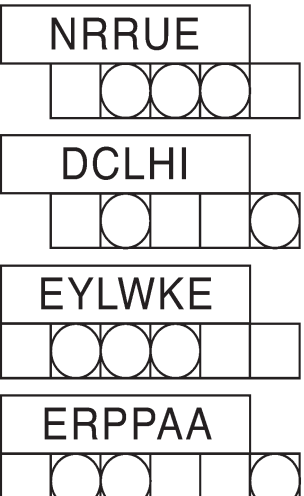
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ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

HALF	ACMES	OAKS
ARAL	LOOSE	ULNA
MENU	TWOCAPTAIN	
MASSLESS	FAINTS	
HAR	VOTE	
HUNDREDLEGS	CDC	
OPERAGOER	SHOO	
NOVA	ONAIR	ALUM
KNEW	OPTICLOBE	
SER	FORTYSHEETS	
MARS	KAI	
AFRAID	ACIDTRIP	
FOURLEAGUE	EASE	
ROSE	ACRES	MRNA
ODES	LEAST	SETS

JUMBLE

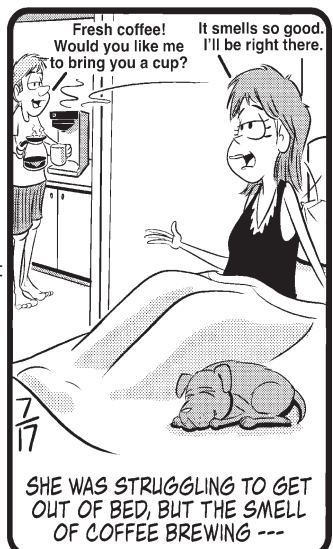
Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.



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THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME

By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek



Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.



(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: HASTY GRUNT DELETE VANISH
Answer: He was trying to talk his girlfriend into camping, but she was — "RESIST-TENT"

WONDERWORD

By DAVID OUELLET

HOW TO PLAY: All the words listed below appear in the puzzle — horizontally, vertically, diagonally and even backward. Find them, circle each letter of the word and strike it off the list. The leftover letters spell the WONDERWORD.

INBAR LAVI (ACTRESS) Solution: 12 letters

T	B	S	L	I	L	L	I	T	H	A	L	A	N	A
S	S	L	A	O	V	N	E	V	E	C	N	A	D	N
U	O	D	R	V	A	A	A	R	T	I	S	T	O	R
D	N	I	E	H	I	T	L	A	I	N	O	S	A	A
E	S	M	S	Y	H	B	R	A	V	O	I	C	A	L
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R	A	E	M	C	E	O	I	R	E	R	U	S	S	O
G	R	E	N	S	E	A	R	I	R	S	H	A	T	
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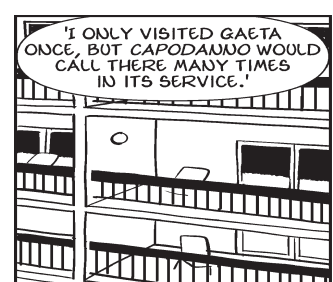
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Yesterday's Answer: Clown

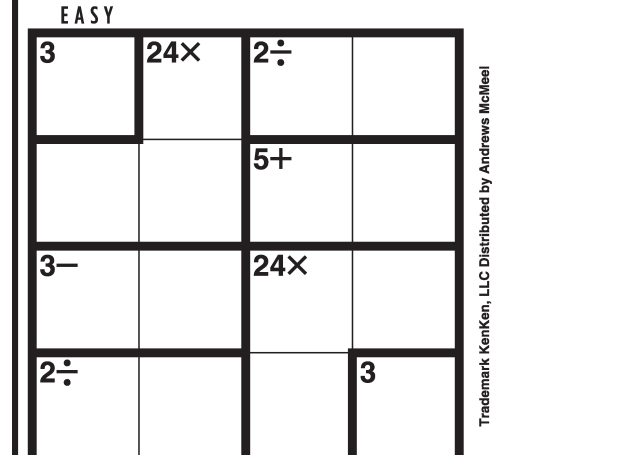
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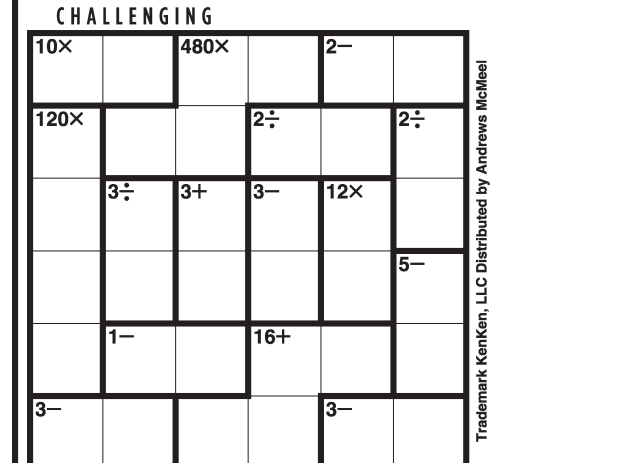


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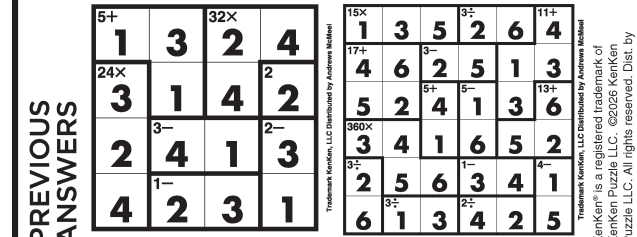
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- 1 Each row and each column must contain the numbers 1 through 4 (easy) or 1 through 6 (challenging) without repeating.
- 2 The numbers within the heavily outlined boxes, called cages, must combine using the given operation (in any order) to produce the target numbers in the top-left corners.
- 3 Freebies: Fill in single-box cages with the number in the top-left corner.



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