

# PUZZLES

SUDOKU

DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★★★

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

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## PREVIOUS SOLUTION

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

## 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.

TRUE BEAUTY

Solution: 8 letters

L	U	F	P	L	E	H	E	T	H	O	P	E	T	M
E	R	M	L	A	C	A	H	L	G	O	F	I	A	C
V	T	E	W	A	L	G	O	D	E	A	R	E	N	H
I	S	A	E	I	L	U	O	S	G	R	F	A	A	
T	U	T	V	R	S	E	C	I	V	D	A	P	C	R
I	R	E	B	I	A	E	N	C	C	I	P	N	I	A
S	T	O	R	Y	T	C	L	O	T	Y	S	E	T	C
O	N	C	U	T	E	O	M	H	H	E	U	C	N	T
P	E	I	E	R	U	P	M	T	C	L	O	I	E	E
E	D	N	E	D	A	E	A	O	I	P	R	N	H	R
R	I	S	S	S	N	P	U	F	O	M	E	N	T	O
U	F	P	S	T	M	R	E	S	H	I	N	E	U	M
T	N	I	O	E	A	I	E	Y	E	S	E	R	A	U
A	O	R	H	G	U	A	L	A	O	G	E	S	H	
N	C	E	E	S	E	C	A	L	E	P	E	O	P	L

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THE LOGIC PUZZLE THAT MAKES YOU SMARTER.

EASY					WORKSPACE:				
3-			24×	3					
5+									
			7+	3-					
3				2÷					

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CHALLENGING					WORKSPACE:				
1-			2÷	3	5-				
2-			2	20×					
4-			25×		10+	1-			
2÷				3					
80×	3		16+	3+					

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## RULES

- Each row and each column must contain the numbers 1 through 4 (easy) or 1 through 6 (challenging) without repeating.
- 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.
- Freebies: Fill in single-box cages with the number in the top-left corner.

4+	6×	3	2	2÷
1	3	2	4	
3	4	1	2	
2÷	2÷	1	4	3
2	1	4	3	
4	2	3	1	

PREVIOUS ANSWERS

4	2	1	5	3	6
3+	30×	5	3	4	1
1	3	2	4	6	5
5	6	3	2	1	4
6	4	5	1	2	3
3	1	4	6	5	2

PREVIOUS ANSWERS

## YOUR HOROSCOPE

SATURDAY, APRIL 3, 2021

Take your time. Gather information. Make a move when you have everything in place, and you can determine the outcome. Playing it safe will help ease stress, keep you on track and lead to success.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** Don't jump into something if you lack knowledge and experience. Do your best to nurture and stabilize meaningful relationships, and you will get the support you require.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** Change begins with you. Evaluate your accomplishments, then consider what you want to do next. Choose something that will have an impact on you physically.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** An inevitable change will take you by surprise. Don't panic; look for the silver lining, and you will discover something that you can do to compensate for any disruption.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22):** Truth matters. Question anything that doesn't sound right. Let your intuition guide you, not your emotions. A partnership, contract or pending legal issue will surface.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** A safe get-together will be enlightening. Whether it's a virtual gathering or spending time with the people you share your bubble, it will lead to conversations that spark hope.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** A change will be useful for you. Check out online courses that offer something new and exciting or promote getting a better job and building a brighter future.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** Experience is the spice of life, and learning or trying something new will encourage you to expand your circle of friends.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** You'll view what you do for a living differently. Assess your situation and the skills you have honed, and you'll find a new way to market what you have to offer.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** Refuse to get dragged down by someone's negativity or inability to acknowledge the truth. Concentrate on being your best. Take the initiative to get fit.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** A financial problem will arise if you share expenses. Take control, and stay on top of who pays for what in order to avoid putting a dent in your credit rating.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** Look on the bright side of every situation you face. Be aggressive in your pursuit to minimize your lifestyle, possessions and obligations. Clearing time and space to enjoy life and those you love will bring you satisfaction and happiness.

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):** Sensitive issues will surface, affecting your status. Own up to any matter that might make you look bad before it has a chance to go public. Stick to the truth, and you will bring about a positive change.

By Eugenia Last

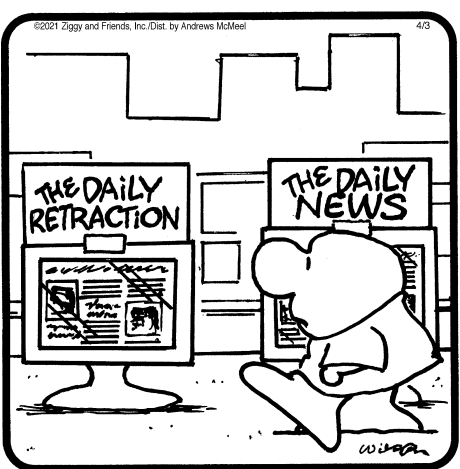
# CLASSIC COMICS

ZIGGY

By Tom Wilson

HERMAN

By Jim Unger



BEETLE BAILEY



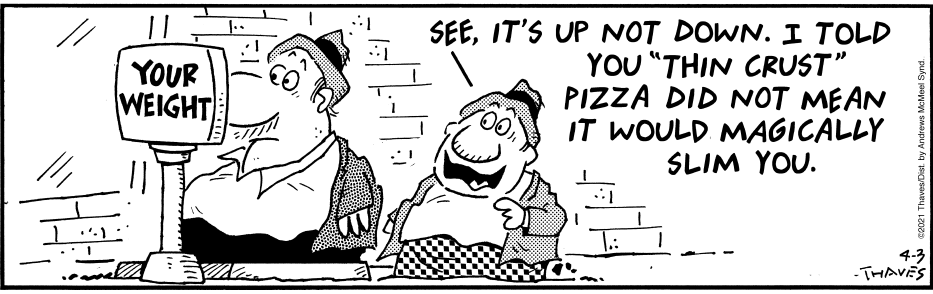
ARLO & JANIS

By Jimmy Johnson



FRANK & ERNEST

By Thaves



B.C.

By Mastroianni & Hart



# NEW YORK TIMES DAILY CROSSWORD

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- ACROSS**
- Hoopster's mantra
  - Two-time FIFA Women's World Player of the Year (2001, 2002)
  - "My point is ..."
  - Like castaways, before being cast away
  - Set for the afternoon?
  - Clinches
  - A couple of dollars?
  - Material whose name is a Scandinavian country in French
  - Moves like a butterfly
  - Countenance
  - Stingray feature, once
  - Pioneer in 35mm cameras
  - School softball?
  - Singer Braxton, sister of Toni
  - Its birthstone is peridot: Abbr.
  - "Let's get \_\_\_\_!" (party cry)
  - Individually
  - In the cloud, say
  - Title character in a "Sgt. Pepper" song
  - Night light
  - Wiz Khalifa's "We \_\_\_\_ Boyz"
  - Ron who played Tarzan on old TV
  - Moving
  - Some didy changers
  - Fare from some bars

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		11	12	13	14
15											16			
17											18			
19					20					21				
22				23		24				25				
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		35	36				37		38					
39							40		41					
42					43			44		45		46	47	48
49				50			51		52		53			
54							55			56		57		
58							59				60			
61							62							
63							64							

PUZZLE BY YACOB YONAS

- DOWN**
- "Buzz off!"
  - Renato's wife in Verdi's "Un Ballo in Maschera"
  - Some deals from dealerships
  - "\_\_\_\_ Mañanitas" (Mexican birthday song)
  - Woman's name that's also a plural suffix
  - Work it, on the runway
  - Four-time Grammy winner Lyle
  - George Sand title heroine
  - [I'm such an idiot!]
  - Inspect
  - Selassie of Ethiopia
  - What this is an example of: \(\wedge\)/
  - Trope seen in rom-coms
  - Rub the right way?
  - Switched (on)
  - Alternative to polyester
  - Home for a drone
  - Jokester
  - Props of sorts
  - Target
  - Vehicle equipped with photovoltaic cells
  - Schroeder plays one, in the comics
  - Dig for insights, digitally
  - Annual NYC event hosted by Vogue
  - Some Pepperidge Farm cookies
  - Begrudge
  - "Get Out" star
  - Kaluuya
  - Like, *now*
  - Birth control pioneer Margaret
  - Like some drones
  - Forfeits
  - What comes before old age?
  - "Of course it looks good on you!," maybe
  - Zip

## ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE:

T	A	C	T	I	C			I	M	P	A	S	T	O	
E	R	R	A	T	A			G	R	E	E	N	C	A	R
S	K	Y	P	E	R			L	A	T	E	N	E	W	S
L	I	F	E		G	I	O		S	V	E	N			
A	N	O		C	O	M	B	S		E	X	I	S	T	
		R	A	H		B	A	H			C	E	O		
S	P	A	C	E	T	E	L	E	S	C	O	P	E	S	
P	U	T	A	F	A	C	E	T	O	A	N	A	M	E	
A	R	T	I	S	T	I	C	L	I	C	E	N	S	E	
N	E	E				L	O	A		A	G	O			
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