

DUMPLINGS

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ROYAL STARS

YOUR DAILY HOROSCOPE FROM GEORGIA NICOLS

The day ahead: ★★★★★ = Dynamic; ★★★★ = Positive; ★★★ = Average; ★★ = So-so; ★ = Difficult

Moon Alert: There are no restrictions to shopping or important decisions today. The Moon is in **LIBRA**.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★ Relax and take it easy today. The Moon is opposite your sign, which can create a bit of confusion. Furthermore, the way the cards are falling today, you might have to accommodate someone else. In fact, a friend or a member of a group might come on strong. Think before you react. Tonight: Partners and close friends.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★★ In one way, you have a lot of energy to get things done today! This will please you. Nevertheless, there is something in the wind that is confusing, which might make you second-guess yourself. Also, something to do with money or your possessions might surprise you. Keep your eyes open. Tonight: A health tip?

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) ★★★★★ Enjoy socializing with others today! Sports events and fun activities with kids will also appeal. Many of you will be unusually creative and full of original ideas. However, be vigilant with children to avoid accidents. Social plans might suddenly change. Tonight: Have fun socializing.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★ Be gentle with family members today. Don't try to coerce someone into agreeing with you. Meanwhile, your home routine might be interrupted. Small appliances might break down or a minor breakage could occur, or someone unexpected could appear at your door. Tonight: Take it easy.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) ★★★★★ Today is full of peppy energy and you're full of ideas! You might suddenly take a short trip. You might see new places and meet new faces. Steer clear of controversial topics and fuzzy ideas, because an element of confusion is possible. Keep things light. Tonight: Talk to someone.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★ Keep an eye on your cash flow, earnings and possessions today, because something unexpected might impact them. It might be favorable, or not. An element of confusion is also present. However, you might see a new way to make money. Yay! Tonight: Take care of your possessions.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) ★★★★★ Today the Moon is in your sign dancing beautifully with some planets and being challenged by others. It's a mixed bag. If conversations seem to go sideways, don't press any issues because confusion is likely today. Nevertheless, quirky situations that appeal to you might present themselves. Tonight: You're in charge.

TODAY'S ANSWER

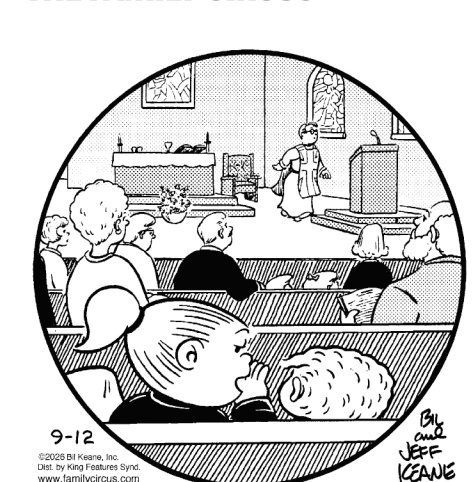
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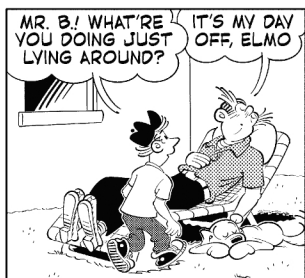


"AT LEAST WE WON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT THE SMOKE ALARM GOING OFF OUT HERE!"

THE FAMILY CIRCUS

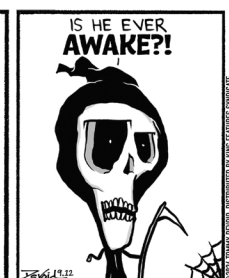
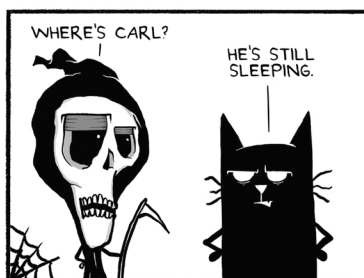


"This is the part he gets to make up by himself."



NEVER BEEN DEADER

BY TOMMY DEVOID



HAGAR THE HORRIBLE

BY CHRIS BROWNE



INSANITY STREAK

BY TONY LOPES



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Difficulty: ★★★★★

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- Bits of butter
- TV alien
- ISP giant
- were (so to speak)
- Flair
- Pair
- Actress Merrill
- He loved Lucy
- Weekend date time
- Service charge
- Briny expanse
- Toys on strings
- AAA job
- Science room
- Union payment
- Brady Bunch girl
- Painter Salvador
- Use a straw
- Deli creation
- Relaxed

- Mess up
- "Kapow!"
- CBS News show presented by Jane Pauley
- Morales of "Jericho"
- Homer's son
- Middling grade
- Monopoly payment
- "Alternatively," in a text
- Dig in
- Big fusses
- TV's "Warrior Princess"

- Many coll. appli-cants
- Cisterns
- Corn Belt state
- Conspir-acy
- San Diego team
- Stage comment
- Funny Fey
- Decides not to retire
- TV, radio, etc.
- Couturier Cassini
- Impetu-ous

- Make a sweater
- Sci-fi vehicles
- Up-to-date
- QB's gains
- French "yes"
- "Uh-huh"
- Indent key
- Vegas opener?
- Brewery product
- eBay offer
- Court-room area
- Rhett's last word
- Span. lady
- Sultry singer Kitt
- Redacts
- Element No. 5
- Antitoxins
- Second-hand
- Small iPod
- Partner
- Frozen desserts
- Close
- Under-stands

Solution time: 26 mins.

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Yesterday's answer 9-12

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