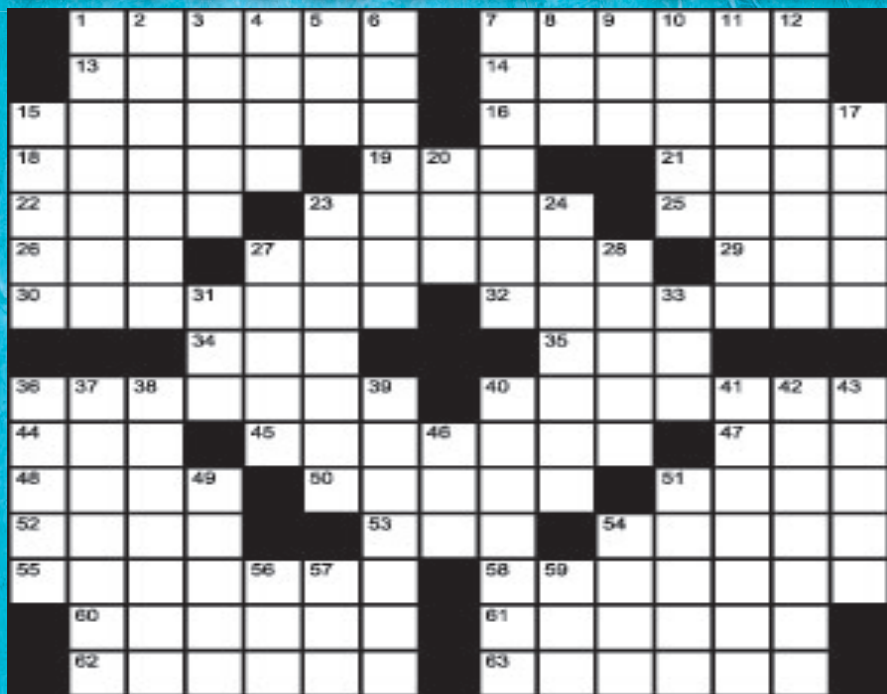


CROSSWORD PUZZLE



ACROSS

1. Bouquets
7. Prejudices
13. Emissary
14. Cause of hereditary variation
15. Spruce up
16. Power tools for smoothing wood
18. "Unforgettable" singers
19. Decide to leave, with "out"
21. Arch type
22. Cuckoos
23. Pigtail, e.g.
25. Bluster
26. Affranchise
27. Fixed
29. After expenses
30. Aridity
32. Baton wielder
34. Appropriate
35. Charge
36. Sack
40. ___ Island, TV show
44. Backstabber
45. Vine-supporting

latticework

47. "So ___ me!"
48. ___ acid, a product of protein metabolism
50. Lieu
51. "Empedocles on ___" (Matthew Arnold poem)
52. Data
53. Sylvester, to Tweety
54. Ishmael's people
55. Collapse
58. Some theater
60. Farmer, at times
61. Sacred Zoroastrian writings
62. Fitting room endeavors
63. Cash in

DOWN

1. One who distributes charity
2. That which exists
3. Baddies
4. Foot pads
5. Absorbed, as a cost
6. Married women (Spanish)
7. Christian rite involving water
8. Down with the flu
9. ___ king, food (2 wds)
10. Man of La Mancha
11. Chic
12. More tranquil
15. Almost boil
17. Begin
20. Crash site?
23. Rouses to action
24. Hearing impairment device (2 wds)
27. Cache
28. Parenting challenges
31. 40 winks
33. Undertake, with "out"
36. Ancient Celtic priest
37. Heartfelt
38. More rigid
39. A through Z
40. Freight car without sides or roof (2 wds)
41. Ancient fertility goddess
42. Ray of sunlight
43. Bakery supply
46. Grassland
49. England Dan and John Ford ___, singing duo
51. Clear, as a disk
54. Lying, maybe
56. "Much ___ About Nothing"
57. Big ___ Conference
59. "___ Maria"