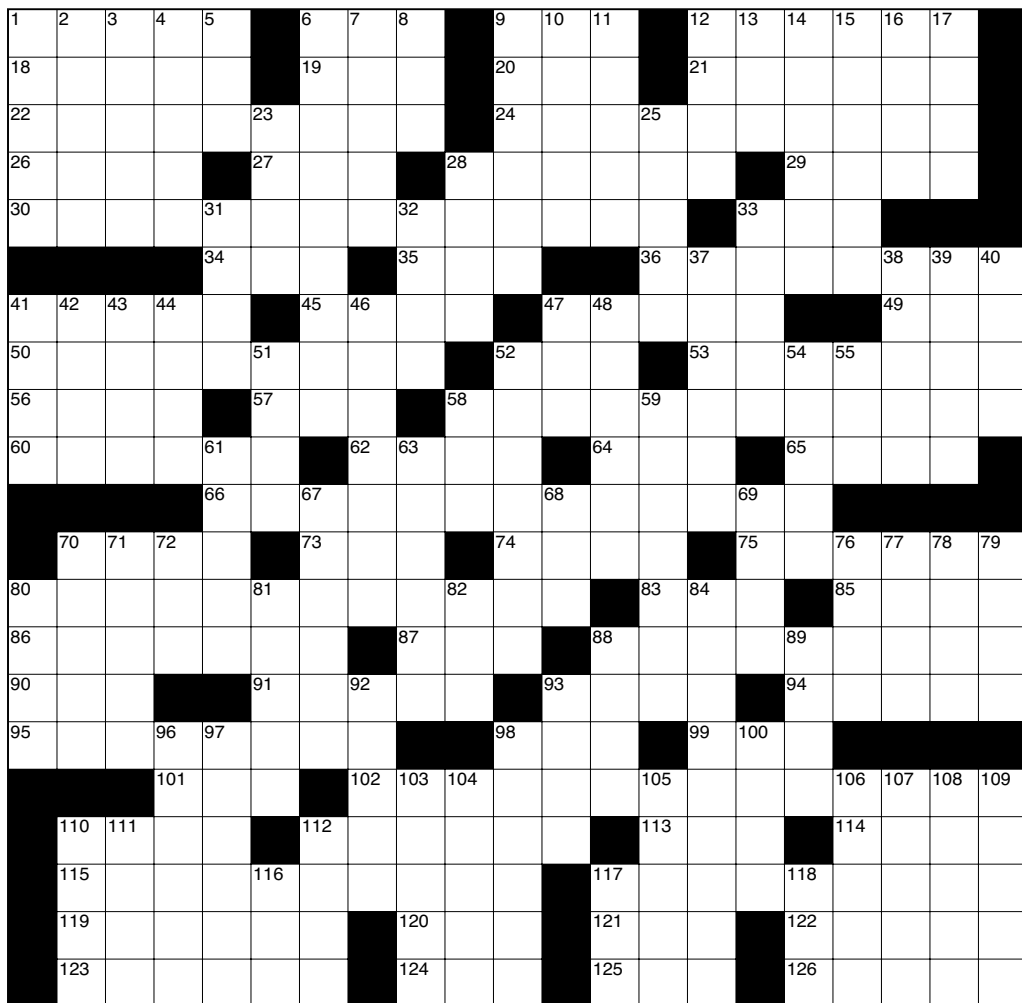


Guy Friends

By Merl Reagle

ACROSS

- 1 Southernmost Spanish province
- 6 Anagram of 9 Across
- 9 Out-of-date, in the dict.
- 12 1954 Faulkner novel
- 18 ___ of one's own medicine
- 19 ___ budget
- 20 Monk's title
- 21 Freeway nightmare
- 22 Devout guy?
- 24 Weird guy?
- 26 Ms. Fitzgerald
- 27 "Purty" one
- 28 "He will ___" (I Sam. 7:8)
- 29 Subterfuge
- 30 Nudist colony guy?
- 33 Laude lead-in
- 34 Boater, for one
- 35 Teal, for one
- 36 Explosive guy?
- 41 Snow fort of a sort
- 45 Symbol
- 47 Boss, often
- 49 Tallahassee sch.
- 50 Guy with an oil fortune?
- 52 Him, to Henri
- 53 Inhuman
- 56 Smoothness
- 57 Get the picture
- 58 Hell-raising guy?
- 60 Bear witness
- 62 "Boy, you weigh ___!"
- 64 "Okay by *moi*"
- 65 Fiery saint
- 66 Dentistry guy?
- 70 1969 Alan Arkin film
- 73 Intro to Asia
- 74 "The wolf ___ the door"
- 75 Firstborn
- 80 Guy who backed into a cactus?
- 83 Grille cover
- 85 Culture medium
- 86 Most risqué
- 87 Photog's original
- 88 Guy who sticks up for the little guy?
- 90 TNT finish
- 91 Hurls
- 93 *Mardi*, in Eng.
- 94 Dicey
- 95 Guy who's just plain useless?
- 98 Airport monitor?: abbr.
- 99 Scot's cap
- 101 Above, in one syllable
- 102 Guy who worries about waiting?
- 110 Marshy wasteland
- 112 Of a blood vessel
- 113 Fantastic flyer
- 114 Restaurant ending
- 115 Guy who doesn't fix stick shifts?
- 117 Puzzle editor's sweaty brother?
- 119 Keaton and Ladd
- 120 Sweet Betsy's guy
- 121 Hairy guy
- 122 Join
- 123 Property in toto
- 124 Fool
- 125 Director Craven



DOWN

DOWN

- 1 Walking sticks
- 2 *Die Fledermaus* chambermaid
- 3 Lace mat
- 4 Five Pillars faith
- 5 Letter from London
- 6 Part of a direct-sunlight energy system
- 7 Bag capacity, often: abbr.
- 8 Tampa or San Francisco, e.g.
- 9 "The bitter wormwood ___" (Boccaccio)
- 10 "Well done!"
- 11 Hawthorne's birthplace
- 12 Some 2 BR places
- 13 Douglas, e.g.
- 14 Old call to arms
- 15 Deaden
- 16 Schleps
- 17 Saber alternative
- 23 Rain in Spain?
- 25 Actress Lucci
- 28 Flabbergast
- 31 "___ I love thee!" (Shak.)
- 32 Cries of realization
- 33 Actor MacDonald
- 37 Carrie's mom
- 38 "I saw ___ today, oh boy" (Beatles lyric)
- 39 Secondhand, as a car, in Spanish
- 40 Stubborn one

- 41 "The very" thing
- 42 Zodiac zoo member
- 43 A Deadly Sin
- 44 Curved molding
- 46 Explain
- 47 "My" cousin
- 48 Actress Ryder
- 51 A direction, in Italian
- 52 Lunar event of 1969
- 54 "Neato!"
- 55 No later than
- 58 Ghost line
- 59 Mayberry matron
- 61 Malice
- 63 Autocrat
- 67 Avis offering
- 68 Suffix meaning "full of"
- 69 Rich soil
- 70 Nixon's instrument
- 71 ___ year (not too often)
- 72 Omega preceder
- 76 Surreal guy
- 77 Clashers in Hollywood
- 78 Went down
- 79 Card name
- 80 Little bird
- 81 Trophy of a sort
- 82 "You rang?"
- 84 Assisted-living centers
- 88 Island feast
- 89 Corps group?
- 92 Did needlepoint
- 93 Art colony of the Southwest

- 96 Ridicule, in a way
- 97 *Romeo and Juliet* setting
- 98 Fuses (metals) by melting
- 100 Rudiments
- 103 Tagore's land
- 104 Appearance
- 105 Complain
- 106 Sierra ___
- 107 Hatch in Washington
- 108 Ness nemesis
- 109 Stares
- 110 Type
- 111 Elevator guy
- 112 Flower holder
- 116 Ran into
- 117 Gab
- 118 Film for which Patricia Neal and Melvyn Douglas won Oscars

* PUZZLE FANS ! *

For info on Merl's
Sunday crossword
anthologies, visit

www.sundaycrosswords.com

Puzzle © 2024 by M. Reagle