

Puzzle #771

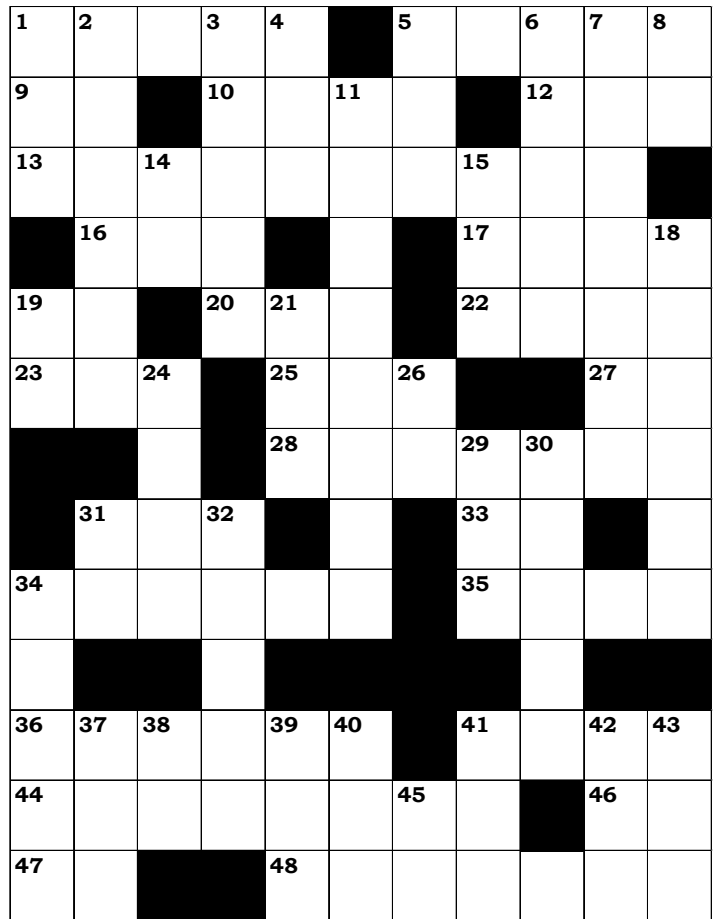
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ACROSS

1. This puzzle features the major foods commonly ____ and consumed in the Old Testament and/or time of Jesus.
5. “__ __ make no bones about it: I write from the standpoint of Christian orthodoxy,” —Flannery O’Connor (2 wds.).
9. Letters for Original Equipment; manufacturer warranties only cover repair/replacement costs of errors in original equipment from the factory.
10. “So faith, ____, love remain, these three; but the greatest of these is love,” (1 Corinthians 13:13).
12. If you forgot the title of the song, ____ the tune and we’ll remember it.
13. ____ like onions, leeks, broad beans, chickpeas, and cucumbers had been cultivated in Palestine since ancient times.
16. “When you do good, do it quietly, as if you were throwing a stone into the ____,” —Drana Bojaxhiu, mother of St. Teresa of Kolkata.
17. “Though the magicians tried to bring forth gnats by their magic ____, they could not do so,” (Exodus 8:14).
19. Prefix for tract or scent.
20. Trans World Airlines (____) was a major U.S.

airline from 1930-2001, when it was bought out by American Airlines. Until the early 1960s it was headquartered in KC, Mo. when it moved to NYC. Later, St. Louis became its largest hub.

22. Poor people never slaughtered an animal for their own eating except for a major family or religious feast (e.g., the Passover ____). If and when meat was served, the common animals used were lambs or goats, eaten roasted.
23. ____Kosh B’gosh; company esp. known for children’s clothing; founded in 1903.
25. Masterpiece Theater and Downton Abbey are two popular shows on this TV network.
27. Country internet code for Russia.
28. Popular nuts throughout the Bible are ____, pistachios and walnuts, all eaten roasted.
31. That’s a laugh!
33. One of the eight States bordering ____ Missouri (abbr.).
34. Among other fruits Mentioned in the Bible are dates, ____ and pomegranates.
35. “...Behold, the Lamb of God, who takes ____ the sin of the world,” (John 1:29).
36. When milk was consumed, it was from ewes and goats, not cows. Since milk spoils quickly, ____-making was very common.
41. ““The sniveling little whelp gave his (catering) order. He said it was a party for a religious society...the lying little ____,’ said Mrs. Kensall,” —*Sherlock Holmes and the Devil’s Grail*, Barrie Roberts.
44. Matters were held in ____ pending further in-



46. Abbr. for a narrow road/street lacking a median.
47. Land ____!
48. Fish was far more important than meat. Usually quickly salted, ____ and some carp were the most common fish in the Sea of Galilee, the biggest source of fish.

DOWN

1. The Official Missouri State Website is MO.____.
2. ____ Peanut Butter Cups candy was created in 1928 by a former dairy farmer and shipping foreman for Milton S. Hershey.
3. Bread was made from ____ and barley (less expensive). Ground into flour, then dough and baked daily, it was the essential, basic food.
4. During WW II, the U.S. government worked

around the clock to produce ____ only prayer books and Bibles for the troops but also small statues of Christ, Mary, and the saints; also crosses, crucifixes, and stars of David to all who wanted them.

5. Short for the country of Lebanon which has always been unique in the Middle East for having a large minority of Christians. In the religious and political turmoil of these later years, the current population estimates are: Muslim—61% (half Sunni, half Shia); Christians—33% (mostly Maronite Catholics).
6. “I often think that even were ____ no life to come, it would be happiness enough to love God in this life, to serve Him and to be able to do something for His glory,” —Jean Vianney, the

- Cure of Ars in *The Secret of the Cure of Ars*, Henri Gheon.
7. The ancient Jews liked their food strongly seasoned. Some common spices were _____, cumin, capers, mint, dill, rosemary, garlic and salt. Pepper was expensive and rare.
 8. Dorothy's Auntie _____.
 11. The most important and ubiquitous fruits throughout the Bible were grapes, olives, and figs, all of which figure prominently in the _____ of Jesus and the diet of his day.
 14. Letters for General Electric, a conglomerate esp. well known for kitchen and laundry appliances.
 15. The thief got away and was on the _____.
 18. Beverage made of flavored ice and a drink (e.g., a Slurpee or an Icee).
 19. "Just _____ the right thing," —Matthew Kelly.
 21. Letters for Works Progress Ad., a huge New Deal depression era government project.
 24. "When (the royal official) heard that Jesus had arrived...he asked Him to come down and _____ his son, who was near death," (John 4:47).
 26. T-shirt sizes: _____; MED.; LG.; XL.
 29. _____ hunch, I called his bluff (2 wds.).
 30. "When your past calls, don't answer. It has nothing _____ say," —Lionel Richie (2 wds.).
 31. The naming of a Bishop to be a Cardinal is often less a personal honor and more a recognition of the importance of the diocese _____ leads.
 32. The main sweetener for the Jewish people was _____ from domestic bee hives; so much was produced that some was exported.
 34. Old Testament prophet; contemporary of the prophet Isaiah; 40th book of the Bible.
 37. Early movie channel.
 38. In education, letters for Elementary Education.
 39. Abbr. for the Jewish Sabbath day.
 40. In finance, letters for Entire Net Income.
 41. Green or Black.
 42. Muhammad _____; considered the greatest and most colorful boxer of all time.
 43. Genetic material.
 45. Periodic Table letters for Chlorine.