

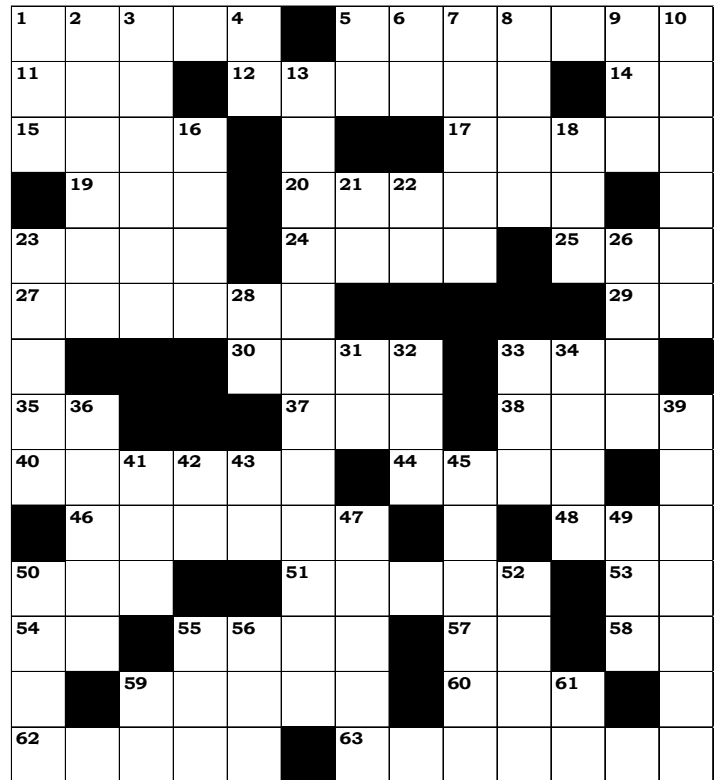
Puzzle #780

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ACROSS

1. This puzzle features accomplished women through the years who ____ Mo. as their home by birth or by adopting Mo. as their home.
5. Special sets of drums.
11. Letters for St. Louis Univ.; Jesuit univ.; oldest univ. west of the Mississippi, founded in 1818.
12. Josephine Baker was an African-Am. ____ and actress; often considered the first black superstar; famous in NYC, then Paris, France; worked in French Resistance during WW II; fought for civil rights in U.S. in 1950s-60s. Born in St. Louis, Mo. in 1906, d. in 1975.
14. Prefix for move or tire.
15. "The woman answered, 'The serpent tricked me into it, and so ____ it,'" —Genesis 3:13 (2 wds.).
17. Eagle's nest.
19. In text, short for mm-hmmm which usually indicates mild agreement or interest.
20. "Every astronaut can fix a busted ____ — we have to do it all the time in space," —*An Astronaut's Guide to Life on Earth*, Col. Chris Hadfield.
23. Town in Cole Co. named for a famous town in New Mexico where some of its citizens had fought in the Mexican-American War.

24. Summers in France.
25. A very long time.
27. "Behold, this child is destined for the fall and rise of many in ____." (Luke 2:34).
29. The Mo. Dept. of ____ serves the largest "industry" in our State.
30. Zoe Akins was a popular & successful playwright; educated in St. Louis (Sara Teasdale was a classmate); her first major dramatic ____ was in 1914 followed by several others & in the 1930s she was active in the new film industry. In 1935, her Pulitzer Prize for drama was adapted for a film starring Bette Davis. Born in Humansville, Mo. in Polk Co. in 1886, d. in 1958.
33. A sculptor or painter hopes to produce a work of ____.
35. "____! The book exactly worded, wherein all hath been recorded; thence shall judgement be awarded," —from the old Latin funeral dirge *Dies Irae* (i.e., Day of Wrath).
37. "There ____ group of people that curses its father, and blesses not its mother," —Proverbs 30:11 (2 wds.).
38. Abbr. for miscellaneous.
40. "General Meade thought that the North should prosecute the war like the afflicted parent who is compelled to chastise his ____ child," —*The Military Leadership of North and South*, T. Harry Williams.
44. "It is nice to ____ a while, put down the needles, write a while, and then take up the sock again," —Dorothy Day.
46. Ginger Rogers was an Am. actress and ____ in the Golden Age of Hollywood; starred in musical films in the 1930s with Fred Astaire. Won



- an Oscar for the drama "Kitty Foyle" in 1941; she was highest paid and most sought actress in those days; her career on stage, radio, and TV continued through much of the 20th cen. Born in Independence, Mo. in 1911; d. 1995.
48. ____ *Baba & the 40 Thieves*.
50. Bee follower? Or, only an average grade.
51. "We live simply. We want for nothing that's needful, and hanker after nothing beyond our ____," —Sr. Ursula in *The Confession of Brother Haluin*, Ellis Peters.
53. Alien.
54. Home State of the Clinton Presidential Library (abbr.).
55. "Inner silence is for our ____ a difficult achievement. There is a chattering part of the mind which continues to chatter on even in the holiest of places," —*Perelandra*, C.S. Lewis.
57. "Satan has one virtue that enables him to exist ____ all; it is the virtue of taking Christ seriously," —*The Cure D'Arts Today*, George W. Rutler.
58. 7th note.
59. Betty Grable; Am. actress, ____, famous pin-up girl in WW II; 42 (!) films in the 1930s to early 60s grossing over \$100 million. Reigning top box office star for over 10 years. Born St. Louis, Mo. in 1916; d. in 1973.
60. Sun bather's goal.
62. As he slid across home ____, the ump. cried SAFE!
63. Built in 1887, Simmons ____ in Mexico, Mo. has the oldest known building in the U.S. that was continuously devoted to boarding and training champion Am. Saddlebred horses.

DOWN

1. "____"; forensic TV series.
2. Pack animals of the Andes.
3. Laura Ingalls Wilder; she wrote for the *Missouri Ruralist* but is most fa-

- mous as the ____ of the *Little House on The Prairie* books describing her early frontier life. Written in Mansfield, Mo., her books have impacted thousands of readers, even spawning the well known TV series. Her home & museum on Rocky Ridge Farm is just outside of Mansfield. Born in 1867; died in 1957 in Mansfield, Mo.
4. Possible letters before a woman's name.
 5. Davy Crockett was a legislator in this State before heading for Texas and the Alamo (abbr.).
 6. King of Bashon (Psalms 136:20).
 7. McDonald's Happy ____ have spoiled our kids. Now they want a toy every time we eat!
 8. "I think that I will never see, a poem as lovely as a ____..." —poem by Joyce Kilmer, 1913.
 9. Medical scan.
 10. ____ is believing, they say.
 13. Part of CIA.
 16. Letters for European Maritime Safety Agency; it oversees maritime safety around the European Union including ocean pollution; it also sometimes coordinates European support for the U.S. Navy in places like Libya & Somalia.
 18. Get your kicks on ____ 66 (abbr.).
 21. Letters for overtime.
 22. Latin abbr. meaning in other words.
 23. The ____ of the book should be on the cover or maybe the spine.
 26. He "sowed his wild ____" when young and irresponsible.
 28. Abbr. for epistle.
 31. "Since ancient times, interpreters have calculated Daniel's prophecy (Daniel 9:24-27) ____ placing the coming of the Messiah sometime during the first century A.D." —*The Case for Jesus*, Brant Pitre.
 32. Talk, talk, talk.
 33. French friend.
 34. "Lovely ____, meter maid," —1967 Beatles song.
 36. Law and ____.
 39. Sara Teasdale was a lyric poet. Her first poem was published in a local St. Louis newspaper in 1907, followed by a collection of poems in the same year followed by another collection in 1911, all well received by _____. A third in 1915 became a best seller. In NYC in 1918, she won a Pulitzer Prize for Poetry. Born in St. Louis in 1884; buried in St. Louis in 1933.
 41. A short form for the name Rachel, which means "little lamb" in Hebrew.
 42. "Sanity consists ____ seeing the big things big and the small things small," —*Daily News*, 1908, G.K. Chesterton.
 43. The Wright Brothers National Memorial is in this State. Motto on its license plate: First in Flight (abbr.).
 45. We have __ __ on that person in our files, chief. It's like they never existed (2 wds.).
 47. Rods and ____; fishing equipment.
 49. "We are called to ____ some parts of our life die, so that other parts may live. Dying to self means living for God." —*Jesus, A Pilgrimage*, James Martin, S.J.
 50. This fish is said by many to be not only a delicious and healthy fish to eat but can also put up a fight equal to that of any similar sized game fish, according to the Mo. Dept. of Conservation.
 52. I don't know the answer but I'll take a ____ at it.
 55. "Don't watch that stuff all day, sweetie. It'll ____ your brain," —Bruce Willis to his TV watching cross-eyed cat, from the 1997 movie, "The Fifth Element."
 56. Gator or lemon suffix.
 59. Cape Cod is part of this State (abbr.).
 61. Letters for Netherlands.