



## ACROSS the Diocese

### Puzzle #687

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#### ACROSS

- Agriculture is Missouri's top industry, providing more than 400,000 \_\_\_\_.
- Sound from the sheep-fold.
- "...sed libera \_\_\_\_ a malo" (e.g., "...but deliver us from evil").
- Boeing is the world's largest \_\_\_\_ company. Its plant in St. Louis has 14,500 employees.
- Every ambulance should be staffed with at least one.
- A sailor's yes.
- The \_\_\_\_ Valley area in Iron County in southeast Mo. is noted for its charming small towns, historic sites and proximity to wilderness areas.
- \_\_\_\_ the Sailor is a fictional mariner and hero of seven voyages in Middle Eastern folk tales.
- A very long time.
- Davy Crockett served as a Representative of this State in the U.S. Congress for three terms (abbr.).
- Mao \_\_\_\_ Tung.
- I know what you saw and \_\_\_\_ what you think (2 wds.).
- Ark man.
- Genetic material.
- He's a menace in the comics.
- Second largest flightless bird in the world. Oil from these birds is reputed to have benefits

for arthritis, burns and skin conditions. Such oil from a flock of these birds is produced in Missouri, at Back Country Natural Products near Sparta, Mo.

- Winnebago, for ex.
- Fast flier.
- Annoyed; irked.
- Lingus, Irish airline.
- One should recoat their flat roof with \_\_\_\_ every five years.
- \_\_\_\_ and grain sorghum, used for livestock feed, are important Mo. crops.
- Miracle-\_\_\_\_ plant food.
- Killer whale.
- Egyptian canal.
- "All you birds of the \_\_\_\_, bless the Lord," (Daniel 3:80).
- "Christ learned the \_\_\_\_ of warfare when He overcame the world," —St. Hilary of Poitiers, 315-368 A.D.
- Anger.
- Female goat.
- Other Mo. field crops include hay, \_\_\_\_ and wheat.

#### DOWN

- "We give glory to You Lord who raised up Your cross to span the \_\_\_\_ of death like a bridge," — St. Ephrem, Syrian deacon and hymn composer, died in 373 A.D.
- Letters for Old English, the earliest historic form of the English language, spoken in the early Middle Ages.
- \_\_\_\_ and the Tri-Lakes area is within a day's drive of 50% of the U.S. population.
- Mo.'s most important crop is \_\_\_\_, from which oil is made.
- The \_\_\_\_ oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico in 2010 is by far the largest oil spill in history.
- Battery size.
- Mo. agriculture covers 28.3 \_\_\_\_ of farmland on nearly 100,000 farms.
- Homer's neighbor.
- Leave out.
- From 1870 to 1911, the \_\_\_\_ Oil Company controlled almost all oil production, marketing & transportation in the U.S. Strong antitrust policies finally broke it up into 34 companies, including what would become Exxon, Amoco, Mobil and Chevron.
- The \_\_\_\_ of Galilee is the lowest freshwater lake in the world.
- Mo. agriculture provides our State with an incredible \_\_\_\_ contribution of \$88 billion.
- This word hovered over with a tilde means year in Madrid.
- \_\_\_\_ occurred to me that he might be lying (2 wds.).
- Lady \_\_\_\_, Princess of Wales.
- Six points in football (abbr.).
- "It is a paradox of \_\_\_\_ that each generation is converted by the saint who contradicts it the
- most," —G.K. Chesterton.
- St. George famously slayed such a beast. His story symbolizes the successful struggle by God's holy ones over the ancient serpent, the devil, and satan (Revelations 20:2).
- "Like a \_\_\_\_ shining among the clouds, like the full moon at the holyday season," (Sirach 50:6).
- Dorothy's Auntie.
- Alien vessels.
- Mo.'s most valuable \_\_\_\_ crops are apples, peaches, grapes and watermelons.
- January in Lima.
- Color of some horses.
- Brand name of many early radios and TVs.
- Shape of a rainbow.
- A method of meditation, esp. in Buddhism.
- Prefix for come or sane.
- Hummingbirds are native only \_\_\_\_ North and South America.

