

WONDERWORD®

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HOW TO PLAY: All the words listed below appear in the puzzle — horizontally, vertically, diagonally and even backward. Find them, circle each letter of the word and strike it off the list. The leftover letters spell the WONDERWORD.

HAPPINESS IS A MINDSET **Solution: 6 letters**

W	O	R	K	Y	O	J	G	N	I	N	R	A	E	L
A	C	W	O	R	G	G	N	I	K	N	I	H	T	I
L	U	F	E	T	A	R	G	H	P	O	M	E	A	V
K	G	F	L	S	M	A	E	R	D	O	C	V	E	E
S	N	O	I	T	C	A	A	N	D	A	Y	O	R	S
S	I	C	S	G	N	I	L	E	E	F	E	L	C	N
I	H	U	T	I	S	E	E	P	M	I	N	D	A	O
L	G	S	E	E	C	R	M	O	O	D	R	M	F	I
B	U	L	N	E	F	S	S	T	E	P	U	L	L	T
A	A	A	R	O	T	C	A	F	N	H	O	O	E	C
L	L	O	S	N	O	I	T	O	M	E	J	R	S	E
A	Ⓞ	G	E	S	T	H	G	U	O	H	T	T	R	N
N	Ⓛ	V	S	M	I	L	E	R	U	T	A	N	U	N
C	ⓔ	F	A	S	E	V	L	E	S	R	U	O	O	O
E	ⓔ	E	S	N	E	S	R	E	E	R	A	C	Y	C

SUDOKU

Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9 inclusively.

WEDNESDAY'S SOLUTION:

7	9	8	6	3	4	5	2	1
6	2	1	8	5	7	9	3	4
5	3	4	9	2	1	7	6	8
9	1	5	3	4	8	2	7	6
3	8	7	5	6	2	4	1	9
2	4	6	1	7	9	8	5	3
1	5	2	4	8	6	3	9	7
4	7	9	2	1	3	6	8	5
8	6	3	7	9	5	1	4	2

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			3		2			
	2			5				
	7			5			3	
9	4			6			8	5
	3			8			4	
					4		1	
				7		8		
		7		1	8	2		

DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★★★★

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Actions, Balance, Bliss, Careers, Connections, Contentment, Control, Create, Dreams, Emotions, Energy, Events, Factor, Feeling, Focus, Freedom, Glee, Goals, Grateful, Grow, Human, Journey, Joy, Laughing, Learning, Listen, Lives, Love, Mind, Mood, Nature, Ourselves, Peace, Pets, Praise, Safe, Sense, Smile, Thinking, Thoughts, Walk, Work, Yourself

Wednesday's Answer: Dimensions

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OTHER COAST

OUR ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSIONS ARE NOT JUST CONFINED TO PLANET EARTH...

SNIPPETS OF OUR CIVILIZATION ARE BEING BEAMED PAST OUR SOLAR SYSTEM...

INTO THE VASTNESS OF THE UNIVERSE, WHERE ONE DAY THEY WILL BE PICKED UP...

BY INTELLIGENT BEINGS.

CAT VIDEOS?

FLO AND FRIENDS

DO YOU THINK I COULD HIRE TREGGIE TO TURN MY GARDEN OVER FOR ME THIS SPRING?

SURE!

YOU HAVE A HUGE GARDEN, WINNIE. YOU SHOULD THINK ABOUT HIRING HER, TOO!

I COULD! BUT I HAVE ANOTHER PLAN...

WHEN IT'S TIME, I'LL SEND THE COPS AN ANONYMOUS TIP THAT I BURIED MY LAST HUSBAND IN THE GARDEN.

PEANUTS

Dear Ben Pal, How come you're not answering my letters?

A correspondence is not a one-way street, you know.

It's not a curb or an intersection, either! Or a crosswalk or a driveway.

I THINK YOU'VE KILLED THE ANALOGY!

B.C.

...SO THEN YOU TURN LEFT AND GO UP THE HILL FOR A MILE.

I'VE GOT NO SENSE OF DIRECTION.

GO THE OPPOSITE WAY OF THE WATER.

PICKLES

HOW ARE YOU TODAY, EARL?

WELL, I WOKE UP THIS MORNING WITH EVERY INTENTION OF BEING OPTIMISTIC AND CHEERFUL.

BUT THEN ONE OF MY EYE-GLASS LENSES POPPED OUT AND FELL IN MY OATMEAL, SO THAT PLAN HAS GONE TO HECK.

BOUND & GAGGED

IF I SEE THIS ON YOUTUBE, YOU'RE TOAST!

MOTHER GOOSE & GRIMM

I'M AFRAID I NEED TO SEE MORE I.D. THAN JUST YOUR BUTT

THE WIZARD OF ID

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VEEEAAAAH

CAN YOU COVER YOUR FEET AT NIGHT ?!

YOU'LL TURN UP THE THERMOSTAT THEN?

BREAKING CAT NEWS

Shelves need cat-safety regulations!

Shelves aren't intended for cats! They're like wall-stairs or something!

Wall-stairs?

Yeah, I just use them to get places faster—

Oh, so you DO use shelves?

Oh my cat—

I just run across them sometimes! I certainly don't NAP on them. That's going a bit too far!

What exactly are you saying?

Maybe just shelve in moderation!

TUNDRA

BAD CHICKEN! BAD, BAD CHICKEN! NOW I'M GONNA HAVE TO RUB YOUR BEAK IN IT!

HE'S ALLERGIC TO DOGS.

RUBES

"Very forward-thinking. But is there a market for it?"

CLOSE TO HOME

Putting the virtual reality golf simulator in their living room was bad enough, but when Ed added the beverage cart, Vera lost it.

PEARLS BEFORE SWINE

A SUMMARY OF HOW PRETTY MUCH EVERY TWEET ON TWITTER WORKS...

Be outraged about this thing I want you to be outraged about.

NOTHING HAPPENS.

AND YET WE KEEP TWEETING.

DEFINITION OF INSANITY.

MALLARD FILLMORE

WE INTERRUPT YOUR REGULAR CONIC STRIP FOR THIS AL GORE UPDATE...

THE PLANET STILL HASN'T BEEN DESTROYED...

I'M SO DEPRESSED.

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