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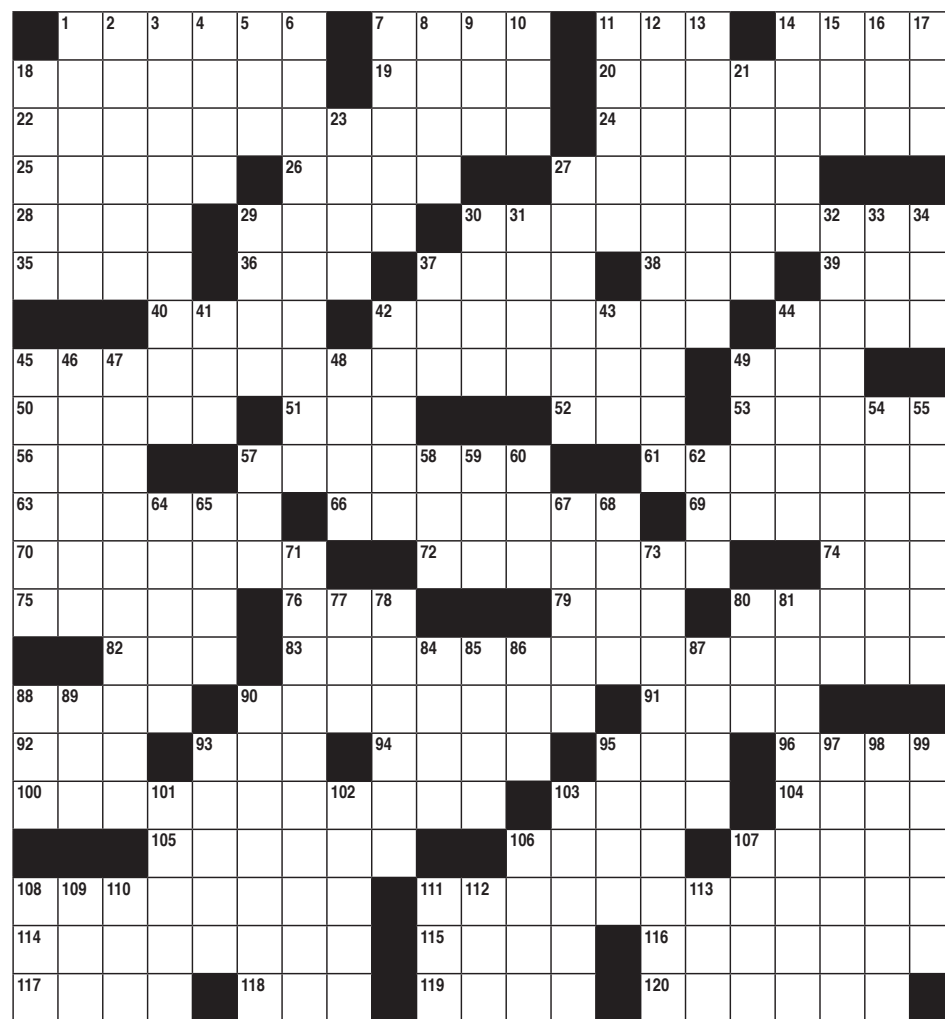
- 1 Poor-weather driving aid
7 Pale-faced
11 Texting format, for short
14 Indonesian island
18 Possible weapon in a bar fight
19 Resting place for a polar bear
20 "I totally crushed that!"
22 It's actually made of 55-Down
24 Companion of Jason
25 Wood that makes up the foundation of much of Venice
26 Clomped (on)
27 Basil who designed England's Coventry Cathedral
28 Level
29 "_____ All That" (1999 rom-com)
30 Who 93-Down was all along
35 Product of Boston or Chicago
36 Part of a KFC order
37 Enthusiastic assent in Madrid
38 Cambodia's Lon _____
39 What flows in une rivière
40 The "E" of Q.E.D.
42 Boat with a very fine net
44 "Phooey!"
45 It turns out to be 99-Down
49 Beefcake's pride
50 Fresh
51 House call?
52 Up to this point
53 Bad luck, old-style
56 Joke, slangily
57 Metal band around a pencil eraser
61 Peeping aid
63 Fashion
66 It really is an 8-Down
69 Has pegged, say
70 Disappointment for someone looking for a parking spot
72 Record-holder for the most times hosting the Academy Awards
74 Limit

- 75 Studio sign
76 Ga. neighbor
79 Indonesia's _____ Islands
80 Nothing, in Latin
82 Having a spare tire, maybe
83 What 11-Down does, shockingly
88 Computer-controlled players, in gaming lingo
90 Relating to the sun
91 Tolkien's trilogy, for short
92 Cut
93 U.S. broadcaster overseas
94 _____ row
95 The end: Fr.
96 "Dies _____"
100 To whom the title "45-Down" was referring the whole time
103 Big name in headphones
104 Hindu god of destruction
105 Trims
106 Kids' character who says, "A day without a friend is like a pot without a single drop of honey left inside"
107 Annual meal
108 Learned inside and out
111 Warning for solvers of this puzzle
114 Source of one's sense of balance
115 Many resting places
116 Plant that's the source of a caffeine-free tea
117 One way to sit by
118 Squeeze (out)
119 Figure in statistics
120 Altercation

DOWN

- 1 "Gangsta's Paradise" rapper
2 Tomboy
3 Subjects of some food-package warnings
4 Cake finisher
5 Extra in "The Sound of Music"
6 Make it clear how things are going to go

- 7 Natural dos
8 See 66-Across
9 Ground breaker
10 Itch
11 See 83-Across
12 Muddles
13 Accept, as a package
14 "The Devil and Daniel Webster" author
15 Nabokov novel
16 Lucy of "Charlie's Angels"
17 TV "Cousin"
18 Jrs. take them
21 Good person to ask for directions
23 Actor Kinnear
27 Not covering much
29 Picket, e.g.
30 Pre-euro money
31 Govt. cultural org. until 1999
32 Big cheese
33 Suffix with Jacob
34 Throw on the floor?
37 Sound in the stacks
41 "Star Wars: The Force Awakens" protagonist
42 Lead-in to foam
43 Oh follower
44 "Tiny Bubbles" singer
45 See 100-Across
46 Hill of R&B
47 Inquired about
48 Jamie of "M*A*S*H"
49 Falls for
54 Brightest star in Aquila
55 See 22-Across
57 Swamp
58 Kind of port
59 Regulus's constellation
60 Draw back
62 Slapstick prop
64 Puccini pieces
65 Stolen item in "Alice in Wonderland"



- 67 Moving aid
68 State quarters?
71 Rest
73 Penguin and others
77 Lead-in to Jon or Wayne
78 Exclusive groups
80 Nothing but _____
81 Player of Nelson Mandela in "Mandela: Long Walk to Freedom"
84 Interest for a limnologist
85 Some core classes: Abbr.

- 86 Treehouse builder, maybe
87 Unattended
88 Exclusion
89 Big name in kitchen utensils
90 Center of a roast
93 See 30-Across
95 Jester
97 Cause a wedgie
98 Opposed
99 See 45-Across
101 Bucko

- 102 Major John _____, Benedict Arnold's co-conspirator
103 Western capital
106 Koi's habitat
107 Baghdad's _____ City
108 Early millennium year
109 Not to mention
110 Show with a "cold open," for short
111 Excel command
112 For
113 Remote button

Art of Dying Conversation presents Holly Pruett on March 28

MANZANITA — Holly Pruett, life-cycle celebrant, home funeral guide and conversation leader, will speak about green burials from 3 to 5 p.m. Tuesday, March 28, at the Hoffman Center for the Arts. Admission to the event is \$5, along with a requested honorarium of \$5 for Pruett.

Pruett will discuss natural, green burials to explore how our deaths can reflect the environmental values.

This will be an early coastal celebration of Earth Day.

When asked why natural burial is becoming a topic for consideration, the River View Cemetery in Portland, where natural burial and funeral options are available, notes:

"There are several reasons: the desire to have a simpler, environmentally-friendly burial; and the desire to return to the earth

as quickly as possible, without unnatural barriers such as embalming, sealed metal caskets, or steel-reinforced concrete burial vaults."

Pruett, an interfaith minister, is a consultant and Life-Cycle Celebrant who brings people together to help prepare for, live with and talk about death. A facilitator with Oregon Humanities' Talking About Dying program, she led

the "Death: OK, Let's Talk About It" conference in Portland in 2015. Since early 2013 she has served as principal organizer of PDX Death Café. She founded the Death Talk Project to foster useful, honest conversation about how we die, how we mourn and how we care for and remember our dead.

With a master's degree from the Leadership Institute of Seattle, Pruett is certi-

fied in Thanatology: Death, Dying & Bereavement by the Association for Death Education and Counseling.

The Art of Aging/Dying Series is a program of the Hoffman Center for the Arts and will be held at the Hoffman Center (across from Manzanita Library at 594 Laneda Avenue.) For further information contact Claudia Johnson, claudiaejohnson@gmail.com.



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Holly Pruett.