

Growing Pains by Christina Iverson

Universal Crossword edited by David Steinberg

Grid for Growing Pains crossword puzzle with numbers 1-73.

- ACROSS: 1 Only Indonesian province with a Hindu majority... 44 Song for one
DOWN: 1 European bathroom fixture... 37 One might say "World's Best Boss"

HOROSCOPES BY HOLIDAY MATHIS WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 2022 Mercury Turns Up Sensitivity



To be grateful for circumstances you do not prefer may seem as nonsensical as tipping well for bad service, yet there is an advantage to finding something to appreciate.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). You'll see the end of a struggle. This could pertain to something you do for money versus something you do for love.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Time bends. When you're waiting, the minutes stretch through eternity. When you're in the flow, time blurs.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). You may pretend you don't know something because it helps the other person save face, or focus your attention on what others need even though it's silly.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Today there's a whimsical world playing inside your head, while the outside world is rather routine.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). You know money doesn't buy happiness, but that doesn't make you satisfied with less money.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Your critical thinking skills are on point. You'll make keen observations and articulate them well.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You know what it's like to say the wrong thing at the wrong moment, so you react with compassion when someone else makes this mistake.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Fear is energy; it is therefore directable. Fear can give you the fuel to run, think fast or fight.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). The tools used to create will be a focus. But don't be fooled; the tools do not make the creation.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You're confident in your abilities, but a loved one is even more so, talking you up behind your back.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). A conversation has stretched on and on and will continue to do so until someone walks away.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). There's a decision to make about a relationship. It's not something you'll make together.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (March 9). Your specialty this year is delighting people. You'll build on past work to create what no one is expecting.

Spoilers Within by John-Clark Levin

Universal Crossword edited by David Steinberg

Grid for Spoilers Within crossword puzzle with numbers 1-67.

- ACROSS: 1 Very mean... 64 "Como \_\_\_?"
DOWN: 1 Bother constantly... 61 Wooden pin

HOROSCOPES BY HOLIDAY MATHIS THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 2022 Entertainment Under Impressionable Mercury



Our ancestors had limited options for entertainment, whereas our options are endless, so each choice we make is more significant.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). You have a big heart. Move past the wrong someone did you. Wipe the slate clean.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Rejection is no fun, but you'll risk it for a chance at a dream. You'll get your pitch together, suit up, go where there might be opportunity.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Mentally, you'll be sharp in the morning and then again late at night.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Your identity is an ever-developing idea. You have your eye on a group you'd like to fit into.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). You may feel nostalgia for the past while simultaneously realizing that the time to be alive is now.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Even when you're not looking for love, you don't rule out adding more of it to your life.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Every choice has a price. It is obvious that money, time and energy will be exchanged, but that is not all.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). Send a message of appreciation, admiration or forgiveness to your own mirror. If there's something keeping you from doing this, identify the issue.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Everyone needs a little attention. Today is one of those days when you need more than usual.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You may worry whether your work is good enough, and you can take that as a sign that you'll excel.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). Searching for shortcuts is a waste of time. You'll make the most progress by hoofing the known road.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). The frivolous things, the jokes, the celebrations, the details that no one seems to care about but you...

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (March 10). You'll teach the inexperienced, protect the innocent and adventure with the worldly. An exciting run of events will be set off by a simple goal.

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