

allabout... METCALF

Laura Elizabeth "Laurie" Metcalf was born on June 16, 1955, in Carbondale, Ill. The eldest of three siblings, she is the great-niece of playwright Zoe Akins. Initially a major in German at Illinois' State University, she switched to theatre, but had doubts that it would yield a steady career for her.

In college, Metcalf became acquainted with fellow theater students John Malkovich, Joan Allen, Terry Kinney, Glenne Headly and Metcalf's eventual first husband, Jeff Perry. She then became a charter member of Chicago's renowned Steppenwolf Theatre Company, which Perry and Kinney founded with Gary Sinise.

Metcalf began her New York stage career in an Off-Broadway Steppenwold production that earned her Obie and Theatre World awards, and other plays she appeared in there included revivals of Neil Simon's "Brighton Beach Memoirs" and "Broadway Bound." She won another Obie and a Lucille Lortel Award for "The Other Place," and when it moved from Off-Broadway to Broadway, she



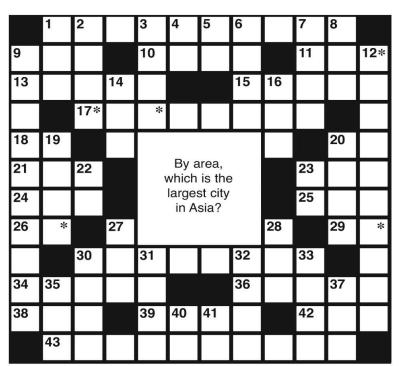
starred in it with daughter Zoe Perry ("Young Sheldon").

Tony Awards in consecutive years were given to Metcalf for years were given to Metcalt to her work in "A Doll's House, Part 2" and "Three Tall Wom-en." She also earned Tony nominations for "Misery" and "Hillary and Clinton."

Among Metcalf's many movies Among Metcalt's many movies have been "Desperately Seeking Susan," "Internal Affairs," "Uncle Buck," the four "Toy Story" films, "Runaway Bride," "Bulworth," the remake of "Fun With Dick and Jane," "Leaving Las Vegas," "Scream 2" and "Lady Bird" ... the letter garacting permisstings. the latter garnering nominations for her for various awards including an Oscar.

Though her television credits also include "Saturday Night Live" (for only one episode as a featured player), "The Norm Show," "Desperate Housewives" and "Getting On," Metcalf arguably is most famous for playing Jackie Harris, first on "Roseanne" - for which she received three consecutive Primetime Emmy Awards – and currently on the ABC spinoff "The Conners," which earned her another Emmy nomination.





The solution to the question is found within the answers in the puzzle. In order to discover this hidden solution, unscramble the letters noted with asterisks within the puzzle.

ACROSS

- 1. Laughing riotously (2)
- 9. File drawer, perhaps
- 10. Part of the scale (2)
- 11. Anti's vote
- 13. Market walkway
- 15. "__ and the Man"; Freddie Prinze TV series
- 17. Wackiest
- 18. Monopoly board corner
- 20. Alphabet's center
- 21. __ moment; eve-opening instant
- 23. Fail to keep up
- 24. Put the kibosh on
- 25. Walk-__; those without appointments
- 26. Word on a gift tag
- 29. Halo wearer: abbr.
- 30. Terrible headache
- 34. Without ___ ; fancy-free
- 36. Firm refusal
- 38. Woman with a habit
- 39. Within reach
- 42. Driver's license & Social Security card
- 43. Asters & peonies

DOWN

- 1. Greek letter
- 2. Danger
- 3. Egyptian queen, for short
- 4. Initials for actress Kirstie
- "Let ___ Be"; Beatles song

- 6. Friendly
- 7. College credit
- 8. __-Man; early video game
- 9. Enormous
- 12. Kids
- 14. Cabin wall piece
- 16. ... FDR, __, DDE, JFK
- 19. Columbus' place
- 20. "A home is his castle"
- 22. Sharp tool
- 23. Matthew Perry's age
- 27. Forest tree
- 28. Dollar bill
- 30. Horse's neck hair
- 31. Kelly or Barry
- 32. Letters on a crucifix
- 33. Wicked
- 35. Piece of china
- 37. O'Neill & Begley
- 40. Prefix for rapt or raged 41. Least-used article

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