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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK ★

Weekly SUDOKU Answer grid.

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Super Crossword

Answers

Grid of crossword puzzle answers.



AMBER WAVES by Dave T. Phipps



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FLASHBACK SUPER CROSSWORD: L-IMINATION

by Mick Harper

- 1. Members of this '70s duo were personally known as "Jim" and "Dash." Hint: They were once in a band known as The Champs with Glen Campbell.
2. Name the '60 doo-wop group that took the classic "Blue Moon" of 1934 and turned it into an international hit.
3. Who was the first singer to release "Feel Like Makin' Love"?

- ACROSS: 1 Start for legal or chute, 5 Dame Nellie of opera, 10 Demis' rival political gp., 13 B flat's equivalent, 19 Portent, 20 Diarist Nin, 21 "No --, and/or but/s", 22 Person ogling, 23 Escorted one's rival?, 26 Lemon-lime soft drink, 27 Wipe the slate clean, 28 Stand in an art studio, 29 Saint -- (Caribbean island), 31 Ending for dull or drunk, 32 Border, 33 Dress in Goa, 35 Weekend time spent with pals?, 38 Luau strings, for short, 40 Large, red apple variety, 43 "Be quiet!", 44 Actors in a film featuring church ministers?
DOWN: 46 Position, 49 Ticked (off), 50 "-- takers?", 51 Nasal partition, 53 Moray, say, 55 One-named flamenco entertainer, 58 Rowdydow, 60 Cry to comic, 61 Sales when he's losing his grip?, 65 With 66- Across, drudge's routine, 66 See 65- Across, 68 Army post, 69 More audacious, 70 "-- ask is that ...", 72 Laryngitic pigeon's comment?, 75 Positive, 76 Sir Walter Scott novel, 78 Muhammad and Laila of the ring, 79 -- cava, 81 Soldier of Seoul, 82 Situation when a fuel gauge is at 50%?, 84 Balking beast, 85 "Oro y --" (motto of Montana), 87 Prefix with cyclist, 88 Got old due to excess, 90 "-- always say ...", 91 Address for a lady, 94 1976-81 sketch show, 95 Watch over a 787?, 101 As a group, 104 One making an attempt, 106 Tech catler, 107 Walk with no lights on?, 110 Tax doc., 112 Plains tribe, 113 Mouthwash bottle abbr., 114 Did autumn yard work, 115 Peter & Gordon's -- "Pieces", 118 Loft, 120 Species-crossing, 122 Things that a drum-playing lush has?, 125 Like sweet-hearts, 126 Stogie name, 127 Like many shiny floors, 128 Impressionist, 129 Seesaw, 130 Quit delaying, 131 Veil wearer, 132 Contradict, 1 Turn on, as a PC, 2 Unfinished, Kafka novel, 3 Dubs differently, 4 Picnic pests, 5 -- lai, 6 -- coated tablet, 7 Tourist town on Maui, 8 Small pieces, 9 Tennis great, 10 JPEG alternative, 11 Long past, 12 False: Prefix, 13 Town in central Italy, 14 Capital of Minnesota, 15 Laugh sound, 16 Daughter of King Minos, 17 Outline again, 18 Chemically colored in advance, 24 Actor Studi, 25 Exile isle, 30 Sackie body growth, 34 Out of whack, 36 Parvenus, 37 Bottom-line red ink, 39 With 57- Down, map book for an astronomer, 41 Old filling station name, 42 Beatified Fr. woman, 45 -- about (roughly), 47 -- del Este, Uruguay, 48 Texter's "Holy cow!", 52 In a lake way, 53 2001 bankruptcy company, 54 Juan's "that", 55 Jenny --, 56 Turkish confection, 57 See 39- Down, Emeril Lagasse's "There's -- in 108 Skin: Prefix My Soup!", 59 Narc hierer, 61 Clarinet's kin, 62 "Star Trek" lieutenant, 63 Politico Ross, 64 California city on I-5, 67 Garlic mayo, 68 Topples, 71 Barbareic, 73 Bank safe, 74 Rite Aid rival, 77 -- Solo, 80 Lhasa --, 83 TV watchdog, 84 1998 Sarah McLachlan song, 86 Stead, 89 911 gp., 90 "--Ca-Dabra" (1974 song), 91 Blockbuster, 92 Pain reliever, 93 Genial, 94 Try to find "Holy cow!", 96 Big Apple cab words, 97 Testified under oath, old-style, 98 Uranium 235, for one, 99 Web habitué, 100 Food store, 102 Try hard, 103 Parasol, e.g., 105 Short parody "There's -- in 108 Skin: Prefix My Soup!", 109 -- committee, 111 Religious day of rest: Abbr., 116 41st U.S. pres., 117 Actor Epps, 119 Frog cousin, 121 Go to seed, 123 To this point, 124 34th U.S. pres.



ARIES (March 21 to April 19) You might feel that you have all the answers right now. But it might be wise to listen to other ideas before you decide to close the lid on other possibilities.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Bovines give and expect loyalty, so it might not be easy to reconcile with someone you feel let you down. Why not ask a neutral party to set up a clear-the-air meeting?

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Anticipating the holidays with family and friends fuels your must-do Gemini energies. But try to pace yourself so you'll be up for whatever comes along later.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) More background information might come through regarding a decision you expect to make. Be sure to check the source carefully before you move.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) The strong, nurturing nature of the Lion comes through this week as you reach out to family and friends in need of your warm and loving support.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A relationship that has almost totally unraveled could be close to being restored with more effort on your part to be more patient and less judgmental.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Your sense of fair play is strong this week, which can cause a problem with a long-time relationship. But in the end, you'll know what decision to make.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) You might not know all the facts behind an unwelcome development, so keep that Scorpio temper in check and resist lashing out at anyone.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) This is a good time to reinforce relationships -- family, friends, colleagues -- that might have been overlooked in recent years.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Family situations continue to thrive. Business associations also improve. Some holiday plans might have to be shifted a bit. Be flexible.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Avoid any influence of negative energy in this week's aspect by not allowing small problems to grow into large ones. Work them out immediately.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) A friend might need advice on how to deal with a challenge to his or her moral values. And who better than you to give the honest answer? Good luck.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a sense of adventure that inspires others to follow your lead.

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