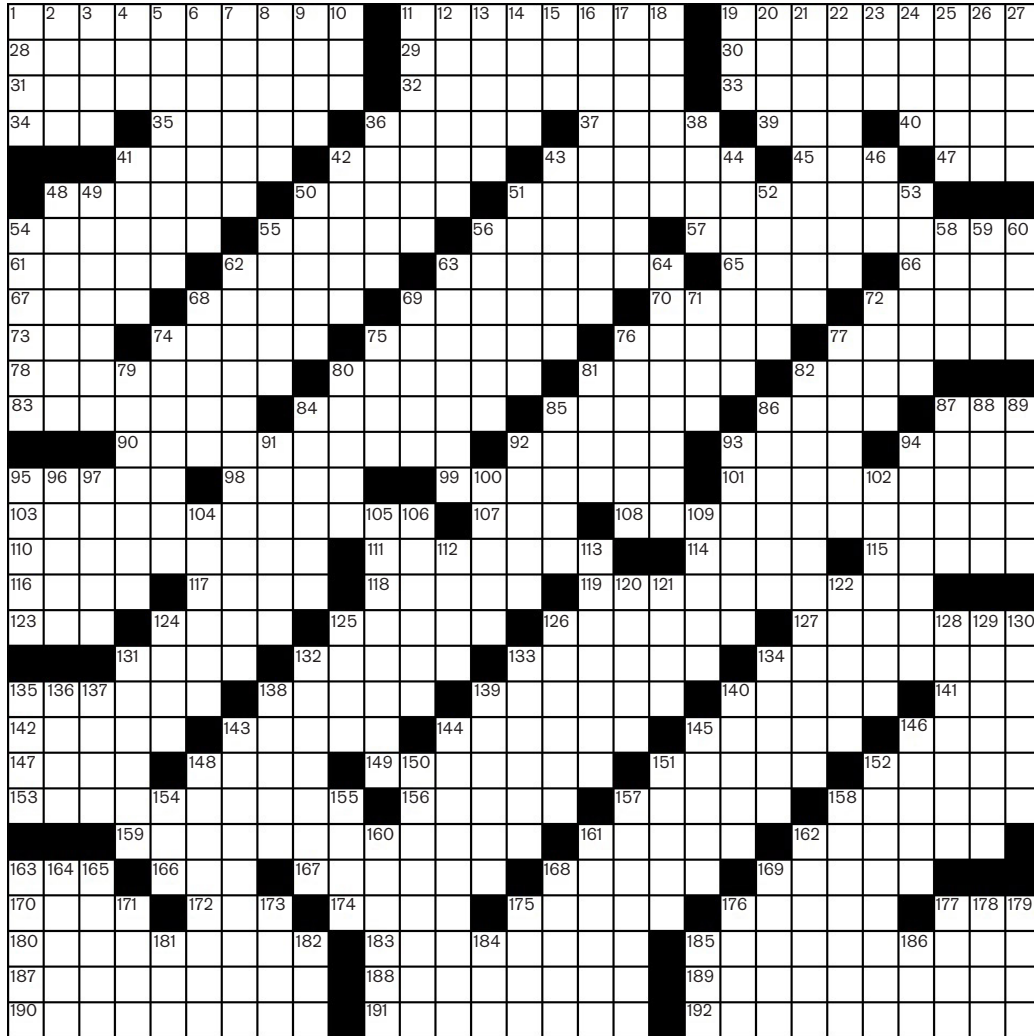


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- 80. Is gaga over
- 81. Partnered up
- 82. First major motion picture to be largely filmed on the ocean
- 83. Shred of moral fiber that Zionists lack
- 84. Strip mall lineup
- 85. Points in a network
- 86. One way to travel from Mecca to Medina
- 87. Signal, for one
- 90. Calls a bootlicking fascist, say
- 92. ___ Merrick Sklarek, architect who achieved many firsts for Black women in her field
- 93. 50 ___ ("In Da Club" rapper)
- 94. Vegan crossword cookie
- 95. "Can't someone else do it?"
- 98. Fill a glass with sharbat, say
- 99. Return for a new model
- 101. Unfulfilled sales ticket
- 103. Like the demands of many Indigenous groups
- 107. Country that has spent at least \$17.9 billion on military aid to "Israel" since last Oct. 7
- 108. Classic romantic theme park ride
- 110. Plenty of 5-Down
- 111. Outing where you discover your Tinder match is a Zionist, say
- 114. Ellipse
- 115. Going rates?
- 116. Souls, e.g.
- 117. Argentine auntsies
- 118. Metal found in the toe of some boots
- 119. Take to the next level
- 123. Add a Crass patch to a jacket
- 124. Kooky
- 125. Unit used for measuring soda, but not milk (in the States)
- 126. Like carbonara
- 127. ___ effect (false collective memory)
- 131. Is part of a certain crew
- 132. Yearned
- 133. Biblical flood
- 134. Brewskis
- 135. Linking verb
- 138. Vehicles you need a quarter to use when shopping at Aldi
- 139. Hiking routes
- 140. Makes pitch perfect
- 141. "___ Kapital"
- 142. Faisal Al-Husseini International Stadium, for one
- 143. Wife of the prophet Abraham
- 144. "___: The Power" (crime drama starring Karisma Kapoor and Shah Rukh Khan)
- 145. Annoy
- 146. Common subject of 164-Down's work
- 147. Fat that's neither halal nor kosher
- 148. Hamiltons
- 149. Each of the six Palestinians who tunneled out of Gilboa Prison in 2021
- 151. Hand-to-hand combat
- 152. Palestine sun___, national symbols of Palestine
- 153. Bewildering
- 156. More recent
- 157. Gaffe
- 158. Pico de gallo, among others

Across

- 1. A little fast and lively, on a score
- 11. Salvador Dali's "Self Portrait as ___"
- 19. Temporary shelters for mountain climbers
- 28. Literary critic's article
- 29. "It was obvious"
- 30. Spring in Sicily
- 31. Matchless
- 32. Cubs' manager?
- 33. 2024 MCU film that was called a "two-hour explosion in a boringness factory"
- 34. Basic shirt
- 35. He awarded Yasser the Order of Playa Girón (Bay of Pigs)
- 36. Rot
- 37. "At the end of my suffering / there was a ___": Louise Glück, "The Wild Iris"
- 39. "L'Enfant de sable" author Tahar ___ Jelloun
- 40. Code storage location for devs, briefly
- 41. In pursuit of
- 42. Sat for a portrait
- 43. Metrics that indicate the (un)popularity of posts
- 45. Quick snooze
- 47. Clock shift that begins on the second Saturday after Ramadan (in Palestine)
- 48. "Have at it!"

- 50. Drink made with ice cream
- 51. Duked it out
- 54. Give money to the Palestine Children's Relief Fund, say
- 55. Hummus and taboon, among others
- 56. "I sneezed on the beat and the beat go sicker / ___ all on his mouth like liquor": "Partition" lyric
- 57. Get chummy (with)
- 61. Early human settlements?
- 62. Eudora who won a Pulitzer for "The Optimist's Daughter"
- 63. Wavers
- 65. Showed a sign of life
- 66. Hammer or sickle
- 67. Novice pottery product
- 68. Superhero portrayer Evans, Pratt, or Hemsworth
- 69. It's you!
- 70. "Baby" of the zodiac
- 72. Dye at a mehndi party
- 73. "Carthago delenda ___!": Cato's cry meaning "Carthage must be destroyed!"
- 74. Sister city of East Jerusalem
- 75. "There was an attempt (by me)"
- 76. "It's impossible not to admire a person who devoted his life to his ___": Gideon Levy, on Arafat
- 77. Decline
- 78. Sitting in a circle at the bottom of a pool (did anyone else do this as a kid?)

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Across, continued

- 159. Author of the 1949 essay "An End to the Neglect of the Problems of the Negro Woman!"
- 161. Popular pad brand
- 162. PG Tips rival
- 163. How not to eat an olive
- 166. ___ Deer, the first woman to serve head of the Bureau of Indian Affairs
- 167. Investigated
- 168. ___ of the Gliders, a 1987 guerrilla attack in which Palestinians used hang gliders to cross into Israel and infiltrate an "Israeli" base
- 169. Gaza City and Alexandria, among others
- 170. Drinks hidden in the word "Palestine"
- 172. Animals once thought to be the same as red deer
- 174. Handouts at a pie-eating contest (I hope)
- 175. Basmati, jasmine, and arborio, for example
- 176. Chutzpah
- 177. Jam, more modernly
- 180. "Get the hell out of ___" - words said by White House press corps veteran Helen Thomas, ending her career after 10 presidencies
- 183. Fussy
- 185. Credit card company's extremely low offer designed to kick off a cycle of debt
- 187. Like the gains of colonizers, landlords, and billionaires
- 188. "meatdaddy69420", e.g.
- 189. "You have got to unite in the same ___ and in the same political party and strike and vote together, and the hour you do that, the world is yours.": Eugene Debs
- 190. Resisted
- 191. Soloed, in a way
- 192. Randomly meet

Down

- 1. Share a border with
- 2. Only
- 3. Parietal or frontal, for two
- 4. Scrape (by)
- 5. Frequent form of a FREE PALESTINE message
- 6. Bestow a new moniker upon
- 7. Skirted
- 8. Rome was founded on its eastern banks
- 9. Poker weakness
- 10. Be in debt to
- 11. Champagne cocktails
- 12. How many dares are done
- 13. Bedouin, e.g.
- 14. Slightly
- 15. Women's ___
- 16. Olympic performer who might get cold feet?
- 17. Mammal known to break open its prey with rocks
- 18. Deft
- 19. DJ's term for tempo
- 20. Many a contributor to "Mizna," a journal promoting SWANA literature, film, and art
- 21. By-the-ways
- 22. Gave the vibe of

- 23. Word with fan or dash
- 24. Swear
- 25. Spoke Persian?
- 26. Gets ready to cook
- 27. Wooden shoe (that isn't a clog)
- 36. "Oh boy!"
- 38. It's likely to get shingles
- 41. Conscious (of)
- 42. Schemes
- 43. Didn't own
- 44. Novak Djokovic or Nikola Jokić, for example
- 46. ___ favor
- 48. "You around?"
- 49. Like a Letterboxd review that reads "This Gal Gadot movie is a piece of shit!"
- 50. Leaf of a book
- 51. Hunters known to wear sheepskin?
- 52. Tall ones are not to be believed
- 53. Uses the 37-Across (half of the time)
- 54. Wintertime bed coverings
- 55. The Staten Island one is free!
- 56. Bush and Cheney, before they were war criminals
- 58. Fe+ and Fe++, for example
- 59. Area
- 60. That special sparkle
- 62. Microaggresses against a person of color
- 63. Protagonist of the 1994 Best Picture winner
- 64. Meme photo that prompted the subject to say, "Do I wish that I didn't get my picture taken while I was eating a sandwich on the streets of New York? Yeah."
- 68. Singer Thomas called the Queen of Memphis Soul
- 69. Baby bird?
- 71. "Mudbound" director Dee
- 72. Miyazaki wizard with a moving castle
- 74. Most popular car model in the US in the 1960s
- 75. Term of art for a highly curated K-pop star
- 76. Capitulating way to start a sentence
- 77. "Hold on, I changed my mind!"
- 79. Seals the cracks in a window
- 80. Classic console maker set to open several video-game-themed hotels
- 81. Hightailed it
- 82. "Make Me Feel" singer who cosigned the Artists4Ceasefire letter
- 84. Acts of Evel?
- 85. Give the okay
- 86. Undo, as Congress did to the Sedition Act in 1920
- 87. Zeal
- 88. Common post on r/mildlyinfuriating
- 89. Sweaters on your face?
- 91. "Chee hoo!"
- 92. Adjective linguists use to describe consonants like /n/ and /m/
- 93. Get across
- 94. Genderfluid Virginia Woolf protagonist
- 95. Puts on an N95
- 96. Prepare a shoe to be tossed clean across the room
- 97. Material the first little pig made his house from
- 100. More uncouth
- 102. Insults
- 104. Capital of Canada
- 105. Liquor similar to arak
- 106. Mediums for foam arts
- 109. Who can take away your human rights
- 112. Action

- 113. "Liberté, __, Fraternité" (France's motto, which was largely ignored when banning pro-Palestine protests in 2023)
- 120. Peepers, in a textbook
- 121. Getup
- 122. Certain manservant
- 124. "J'Accuse...!" author Émile
- 125. Former Italian capital
- 126. Muppet once cloned by Dr. Bunsen Honeydew
- 128. Sign off on
- 129. Dhu al-Hijjah extension in the Hijri calendar
- 130. Evaluate
- 131. Group behind the first Gold-certified hip hop album
- 132. Carrot relative
- 133. Things you might draw at home
- 134. More adorns
- 135. Kid's cousin
- 136. Like many traditions and much of history
- 137. Nation that's home to the Nazca Lines
- 138. Rüppell's fox or golden jackal
- 139. Defrosted
- 140. Old messaging technology still used in the Global Maritime Distress and Safety System
- 143. "Don't want your bullshit / Just want your ___": Kate Bush
- 144. Fashion community participant
- 145. "Our Lady of the Flowers" author Jean
- 146. Hollywood features?
- 148. Mario Kart racer with a pink mushroom cap
- 150. Hoity-toity
- 151. Cedar-detesting insects
- 152. "Your turn!"
- 154. Writing org. with a style guide
- 155. Duds
- 157. Got one over par
- 158. Employees whose US federal minimum wage is \$2.13/hr
- 160. "Get in, loser" (but nicely!)
- 161. Sign of bullying?
- 162. Trunks
- 163. At a breakneck speed
- 164. Naji __, legendary Palestinian cartoonist, creator of Handala
- 165. "One had better die fighting against injustice than die like a dog or a rat in a trap.": Ida B. __
- 168. Battery type named after its two main elements
- 169. Soul singer Bryson who sang "Beauty and the Beast" with Celine
- 171. Utah's state flower
- 173. Place for a cap
- 175. Thick part of a Jaffa orange
- 176. Close to
- 177. Worms or flies, for example
- 178. "tho..."
- 179. Hardcore crossworders' supply
- 181. Bawl
- 182. "The war will ___ . . . but I saw who paid the price": Mahmoud Darwish poem (abridged)
- 184. ___ fix that means "before"
- 185. "Creep" group
- 186. Single string of code?