

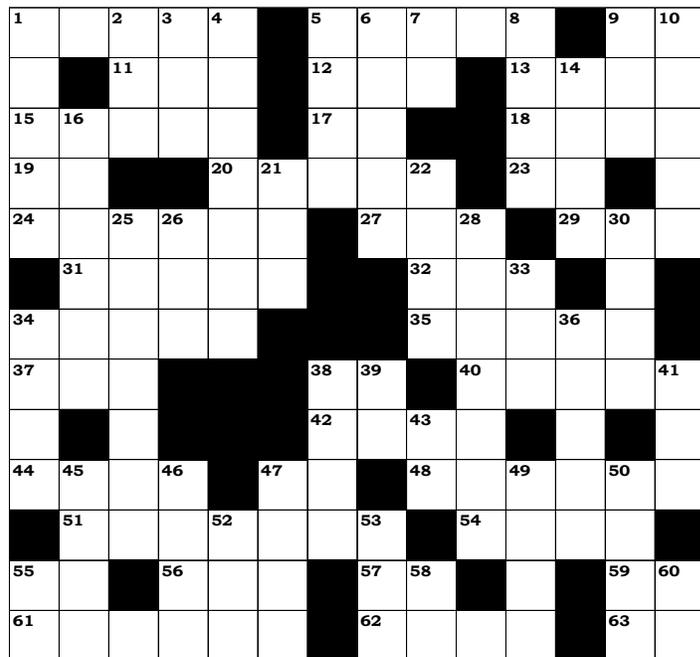


Puzzle #701

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ACROSS

1. Many Mo. towns can claim some claim to fame. For example, Princeton, Mo. can claim Calamity Jane (i.e., Martha Jane Canary), a frontiers-woman and professional _____ acquainted with Wild Bill Hickok and a member of Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show.
5. Home County of Truman State Univ.
9. "_____ only" is a phrase that usually conjures up regrets.
11. King of Judea and Godly reformer (2 Chronicles 15:8).
12. The old gray mare, perhaps.
13. "Whoever denies the Father and the Son, this is the _____ christ," (1 John 2:22).
15. Despite the growth of cities like Columbia, our diocese as a whole is still considered _____.
17. Letters for Northern Ireland.
18. I was dismayed to see a police car in my _____ view mirror signaling me to pull over!
19. Short for anode, esp. in electronics schematics.
20. "(there are) teachable moments to grow our faith in the dark. To live and _____," —*Sacred Wandering* by Dana Arcuri
23. _____. White, Am. author of *Charlotte's Web* and *Stuart Little*.
24. Memphis, Mo. was the birthplace of Tom Horn who was notable for being nearly 7 ft. in height. But he was much more famous as a Wild West gunslinger "credited" with killing 17 men. He was _____ in 1903.
27. \$100 US dollars will get you 10,812 _____ in Japan.
29. Month in which we celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary (abbr.).
31. *Beauty and the _____*; fairy tale written by French novelist Gabrielle Barbot de Villeneuve in 1740.
32. Part of WWW, the world wide _____.
34. _____ from the past (e.g., a top 10 golden oldie).
35. Marshfield, Mo. can boast of Edwin Hubble, the famous astronomer. The groundbreaking Hubble telescope in _____ is named for him. A replica of the satellite is on the courthouse grounds.
37. Suffix for auction or musket.
38. Home State for the Pirates and the Phillies (abbr.).
40. Chevy SUV. Also a lake in Nevada.
42. A Hawaiian island.
44. Part of RIP.
47. Abbr. for spelling, esp. in editing and correcting texts.
48. Word _____, a Catholic media org. founded by Bishop Robert Barron. It produced the popular series "Catholicism" and also, "The Pillars of the Church," both used by small groups in some of our parishes (2 wds.).
51. In Bloomfield, Mo., The National Stars and _____ Museum and Library tells how U.S. Grant, fighting Confederates in nearby Belmont, Mo., commanded the *Bloomfield*



6. Near Mansfield, Mo is the Rocky Ridge _____ and poultry farm of the Almanzo & Laura Ingalls Wilder family. After writing for years for the *Mo. Ruralist Magazine*, Laura began her *Little House on the Prairie* memoirs. On the site is a museum as well as the Wilder 10-room farmhouse, a National Historic Landmark site.
 7. The Mo. Dept. of _____ regulates the biggest industry in Mo.
 8. Near Mansfield, Mo. is the Baker Creek Heirloom Seed Co. selling, since 1881, vegetable, flower, herb, pumpkin, etc. seeds worldwide including _____ tomato varieties from Belize and Thailand, planted in gardens from Monticello to Disneyworld.
 9. Don't give up. Give _____ chance! (2 wds.)
 10. Marshfield, Mo. is home to the National _____ Families Library & Museum. To inaugurate it they hosted in 2006 the largest gathering of presidential relatives in the nation's history, representing 26 presidential families.
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1. Wife of Abraham (Genesis 18:6, 9).
 2. Paddle.
 3. This country is the world's top exporter of corn products.
 4. La Grange, Mo. is the birthplace of Ella Ewing (1872-1913). At 8' 4", she toured with Barnum & Bailey as the Missouri Giantess, the _____ woman in the world.
 5. Prophetess who spoke about the child Jesus (Luke 2:36-38).

14. Mt. ____; where Moses died (Deuteronomy 31:1, 5).
16. Try as he might, he was ____ to complete his task.
21. New York summertime time.
22. "...and the poor have the good ____ proclaimed to them," (Matthew 11:5).
25. In times of trouble, hold your ____ and dearest close to you.
26. Near Cuba, Mo. is Bob's Gasoline Alley on the old Rt. 66. It's called a gem with 200 vintage gasoline signs, Burma Shave signs, ____ pumps, and 3 buildings of Rt. 66 memorabilia.
28. 8th planet from the sun. This bluish planet is named for the Roman god of the sea.
30. Cleopatra to her friends, perhaps.
33. Sound from the sheep pen.
34. Microbrewery product.
36. Near Fanning, Mo. sits what is advertised as the biggest rocking ____ in the world. It beats that of Iowa (11 ft.) and Texas (25 ft.). But alas, Mo.'s (42 ft.) has been surpassed by one in Illinois (55.6 ft.). After all, 2nd in the world is not so bad.
38. St. ____ John Paul II gave us the first major addition to the Rosary since its beginnings: the luminous mysteries.
39. Group for those grappling with alcohol addiction.
41. First lady.
43. A type of RR gauge, or 1/3 of Santa's laugh.
45. Acronym for equivalent single axle load, used to assess the road damage affected by axles carrying different loads.
46. I'll always choose the option that is tried and ____.
47. That glass of ice tea sure hit the ____!
49. The Mo. Walk of ____ was founded in 2006 in Marshfield, Mo. Each year at that city's April Cherry Blossom Festival a star for each of the six recipients chosen is placed in a sidewalk downtown.
50. Q-V.
52. She knows all the ____ and outs of the process.
53. Moses Austin is buried in Potosi, Mo. In 1821, he brought with permission 300 families from Potosi to ____ Antonio, TX. Shortly after, he died of pneumonia in Mo. But his son Stephan fulfilled his dream by becoming the founding father of Texas, even branding its capital with the Austin name.
55. "...that we may merit to be ____ heirs to eternal life..." —from the 2nd Euch. Prayer.
58. Home State of Boston College, founded by the Jesuits in 1863 (abbr.).
60. "Life ____ life. Fight for it!" —St. Teresa of Kolkata.