

ACROSS

- 1) Certain term of respect
- 5) Caliph's faith
- 10) Dishonestly acquired booty
- 14) "The Princess Diaries" star Hathaway
- 15) Diving gear
- 16) Succulent plant
- 17) Picnic item, sometimes
- 20) Wound from a boxer?
- 21) Elbow conspiratorially
- 22) Short, straight punch
- 23) Homer's "Heck!"
- 24) "Caught in the act!"
- 26) Ophthalmologist's concern
- 28) Schooner's cargo, often
- 29) Shopping outlet
- 31) Little laugh
- 32) "Dog Barking at the Moon" painter Joan
- 34) "Christ the Redeemer" city
- 35) That lass
- 36) Picnic items, sometimes
- 41) Sound of pleasure
- 42) Big Band or Victorian
- 43) "Listen!" old-style
- 45) Hollywood's Eastwood
- 48) Lancelot and others
- 50) Wing-tip tip
- 51) Stumbling blocks
- 54) Busy pro in Apr.
- 55) Give a pink slip to
- 56) Possessive pronoun
- 57) Satisfy, as a debt
- 59) Enjoy a mystery
- 61) Picnic items, sometimes
- 65) Look ___ (explore)
- 66) Syllables sung while skipping
- 67) City near Lake Tahoe
- 68) Too inquisitive
- 69) Sprinkle all about
- 70) Former Soviet inits.

DOWN

- 1) "Gaping" gullet
- 2) Like some steroids
- 3) Unlikely protagonist
- 4) High school sports event
- 5) Suffix for "Marx" or "capital"
- 6) Screenwriter's creation
- 7) Humdinger
- 8) Home
- 9) Rundown and filthy
- 10) Close friend
- 11) Wood of Hollywood
- 12) Vicinity
- 13) Debilitated
- 18) Photocopier tray filler, perhaps
- 19) Be hot under the collar
- 23) Hoover construction
- 25) Draconian
- 27) Tree with edible nuts
- 30) Firms up, as muscles
- 33) Ape of Borneo
- 35) Mentally acute
- 37) Word with "second" or "laws of"
- 38) First wheels, for many
- 39) Scones
- 40) Widens
- 44) Baseball's Griffey
- 45) Pay one's share
- 46) Spanglish speaker, often
- 47) Map parts
- 49) Kolkata dress
- 52) Creatures with six or more legs, typically
- 53) Baseball or tennis
- 58) At some distance
- 60) Stocking shade
- 62) Flirtatious
- 63) Bit of hesitation?
- 64) Word in the Postal Service creed

PICNIC BASKET

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