ACROSS

1) No longer original
6) Good-will agreements
11) Sun, moon or sphere
14) Bird with a curved neck
15) Cancel, as a rocket launch
16) Positive sign?
17) It starts after 40 hours, for many
19) Mendes of Hollywood
20) Get what you bask for
21) Coke's alcoholic partner
22) Bleed in the wash
23) Crossword constructor's activity
27) States of friendliness
29) Did 22-Across
30) Catchy tune
32) One billion years (var.)
33) Make sense (with "up")
34) Snobbish expression
36) Original sin city
39) Slope slider
41) Rubbernecked
43) Correct the pitch of
44) Calligrapher's stroke
46) More friendly
48) Order's counterpart
49) Difficult expedition
51) Spreadsheet contents
52) Gerard of "Buck Rogers"
53) Tries anew
56) Some children at kid-friendly zoos
58) Pub order, often
59) One little piggy
60) ___ Lanka
61) Eggy Christmas libation
62) They have grave responsibilities
68) Brains of a PC
69) "The Canterbury Tales" character
70) Virtual certainty
71) Barnyard figure
72) Committed a faux pas
73) Student's composition

DOWN

1) However, in short
2) Gun, as an engine
3) More than vexation
4) Bakery sweet
5) Involves
6) Mindy portrayer of TV
7) Bart's animated granddad
8) Dried coconut meat
9) Emergency room concern
10) Hinders the progress of
11) Not stop when one should
12) Musical show
13) They may be refried
18) Unit of six outs
23) Boorish
24) Big dipper
25) Feeling great pressure
26) Gather little by little
28) Harbor sound
31) Not too hot
35) Closing news segment
37) How the euphoric walk
38) Cries weakly
40) Desperate, as circumstances
42) Can't stand
45) Highlight
47) Stressful corporate routine
50) Danish coins
53) Dressing option
54) Run away to wed
55) Exodus commemoration
57) Hawaiian lights
63) First mate
64) One side in checkers
65) Printer's widths
66) Zenith competitor of old
67) Averse to first moves

NO MIDDLE GROUND

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