

Crossword: May 21st

Across

- 1** Obtuse
5 Decorated, as a cake
9 Kind of kingdom
14 Fencing sword
15 Sheltered spot
16 Cliffside dwelling
17 Mall convenience
19 Cooktop
20 Jelly ingredient
21 Middle-Eastern bread
23 Resistance unit
24 Western Samoan money
25 Sidestep
27 Pianist Gilels
30 Smear word
34 Nile reptiles
37 Game piece
39 After fuel or pressure
40 Go a-courting
41 Soapbox
44 ___ Lunas, New Mexico
45 Find something funny
47 Surly sort
48 Down ___ (Maine)
49 Atomized
52 Wildebeests
54 Vegas attraction
56 Sign of healing

- 59** "Prince Valiant" cartoonist Foster
62 Can't stand
63 Time of the year
65 Eye-opener?
67 Come to pass
69 Island west of Maui
70 Numerical prefix
71 Tinker with, in a way
72 Swiss capital
73 Wooley of film and song
74 Parts of a min.

Down

- 1** Hard to fathom
2 Election news
3 Hajji's destination
4 Liverpool group
5 Tennis great Lendl
6 Mouse catcher
7 Split to unite
8 Glean
9 Perfect example
10 Rural sight
11 Florence's river
12 Approaching
13 Abound
18 Neeson of "Nell"
22 Pub fixture
26 Greek vowel
28 Oft-broken promise
29 French flower
31 Waikiki wiggle
32 Prima donna problems
33 Dry run
34 Cobblers' tools
35 It's sold in bars
36 Decant
38 List ender
41 Like a heart beat
42 Rya, for one
43 Mantel piece
46 Roadside sign
48 Flies the coop
50 Diamond stat
51 Agreement words
53 Employs
55 Bony food fish
57 In reserve
58 Kind of acid
59 Fair share, maybe
60 Wing-shaped
61 Superboy's girlfriend
63 Kind of appeal
64 They're found on tennis courts
66 Wasn't colorfast
68 Did lunch

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