

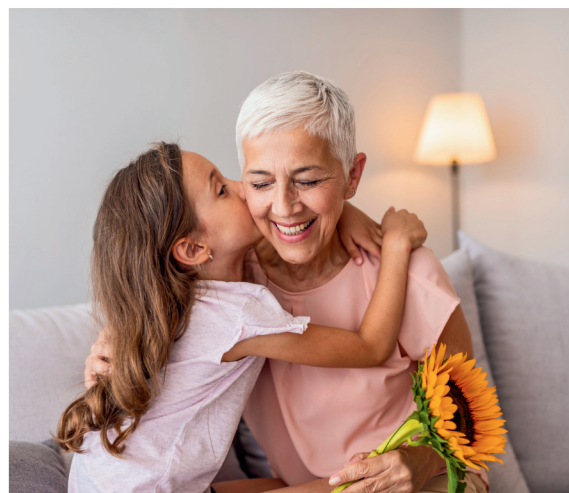
Daily Delight

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Kiss and Make-Up Day

Life is too short. It's time to make amends. Kiss and Make-Up Day is a great way to end a spat. Everyone has an argument, a fight, or a tiff once in a while. Family, friends, lovers—no one escapes without an occasional fight. Use this August 25 holiday to end the fight, be it a short spat or a long-standing feud. Kiss and make-up! Or at least shake hands.

Here's a hint: Kiss and Make-Up Day might be a good day to send flowers or candy. Or, both! According to Jacqueline V. Milgate, who created this day: "Life is too short to hold a grudge. If someone is important to you, kiss and make up!"



Today in History



In 1920, American backstroke swimmer Ethelda Bleibtrey became the first female Olympic champion in the Antwerp Olympics Women's 100-meter freestyle, where she won 3 gold medals in 3 events. In 1967, Bleibtrey was inducted into the International Swimming Hall of Fame.

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DID YOU KNOW?

Oh My, Your Glowing!

Bioluminescence is the strange biology that causes certain creatures to glow. It is usually found at the darkest depths of the ocean, but humans also have their own low-level bioluminescence tied to metabolism. This glow, detectable with sensitive cameras, is most visible on the cheeks, forehead, and neck during the early afternoon when metabolism is at its highest.

TRIVIA

What is the Roman number XXL?

A 250

B 150

C 30

D 60

TODAY'S FUNNY

Why didn't the sun go to college?

Because it already had a million degrees.

TODAY'S WISDOM

"It is difficult to obtain the friendship of a cat. It is a philosophical animal...one that does not place its affections thoughtlessly."

- Theophile Gautier

WORD SEARCH

Read a Book



Books

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Reading

Peruse

Stories

Nonfiction

Biographical

Memory

Historical

Stimulating

Novels

Concentration

SUDOKU

How To Play:

Each 9x9 box is comprised of 9 smaller 3x3 boxes. Each of these smaller boxes must be filled in with numbers from 1-9. Each row and column of the larger 9x9 box should not have any numbers repeated.

6		2				5	3	
		9	2			4		
	3		5		4	6		2
	8	4	1	2		3	5	7
5	2		9	3			4	
3			4					9
	9		6			7	2	3
		6	3			9	8	
4		3	8			1		

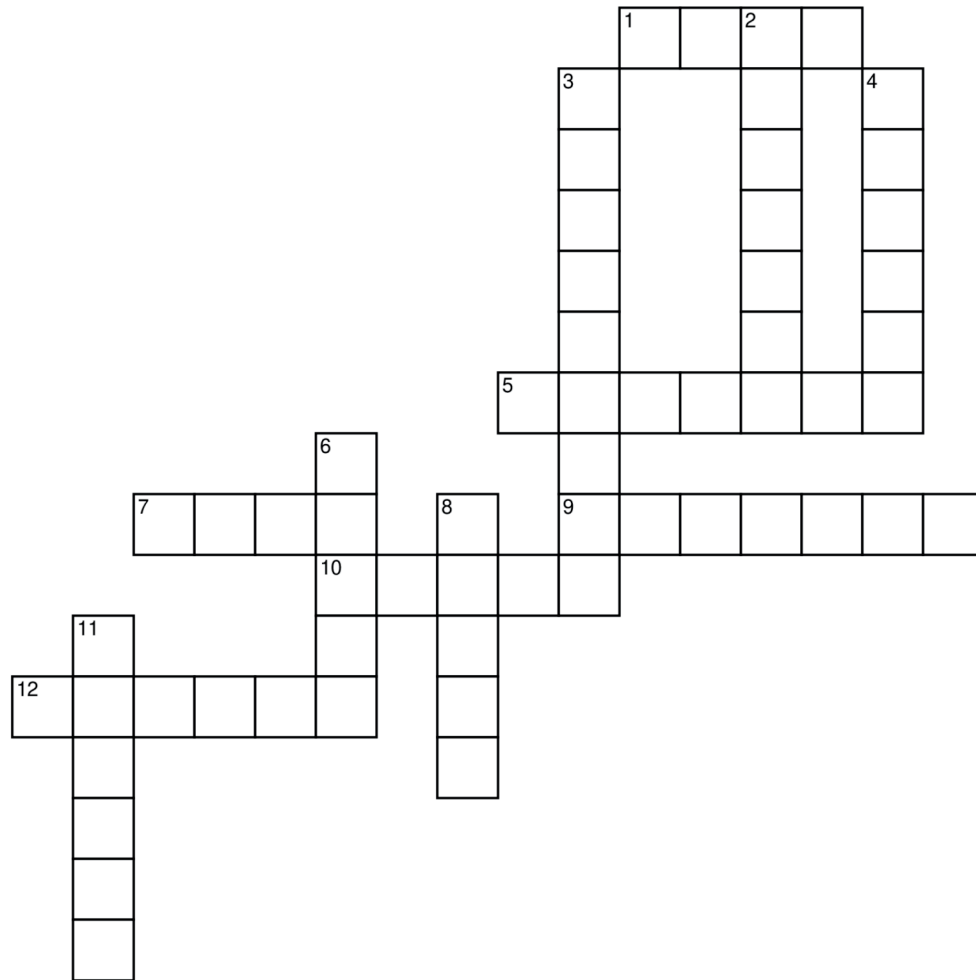
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	4	6	9	1			7	2
9	6				2	7	5	
	5	1		6			2	9
				5	9	3		

Helpful Tip:

If you get stuck, try asking yourself "Where can I place number X in this row or column?" Scan to see if the number is already in that row, column, or box.

MINI CROSSWORD

Things That Change Color



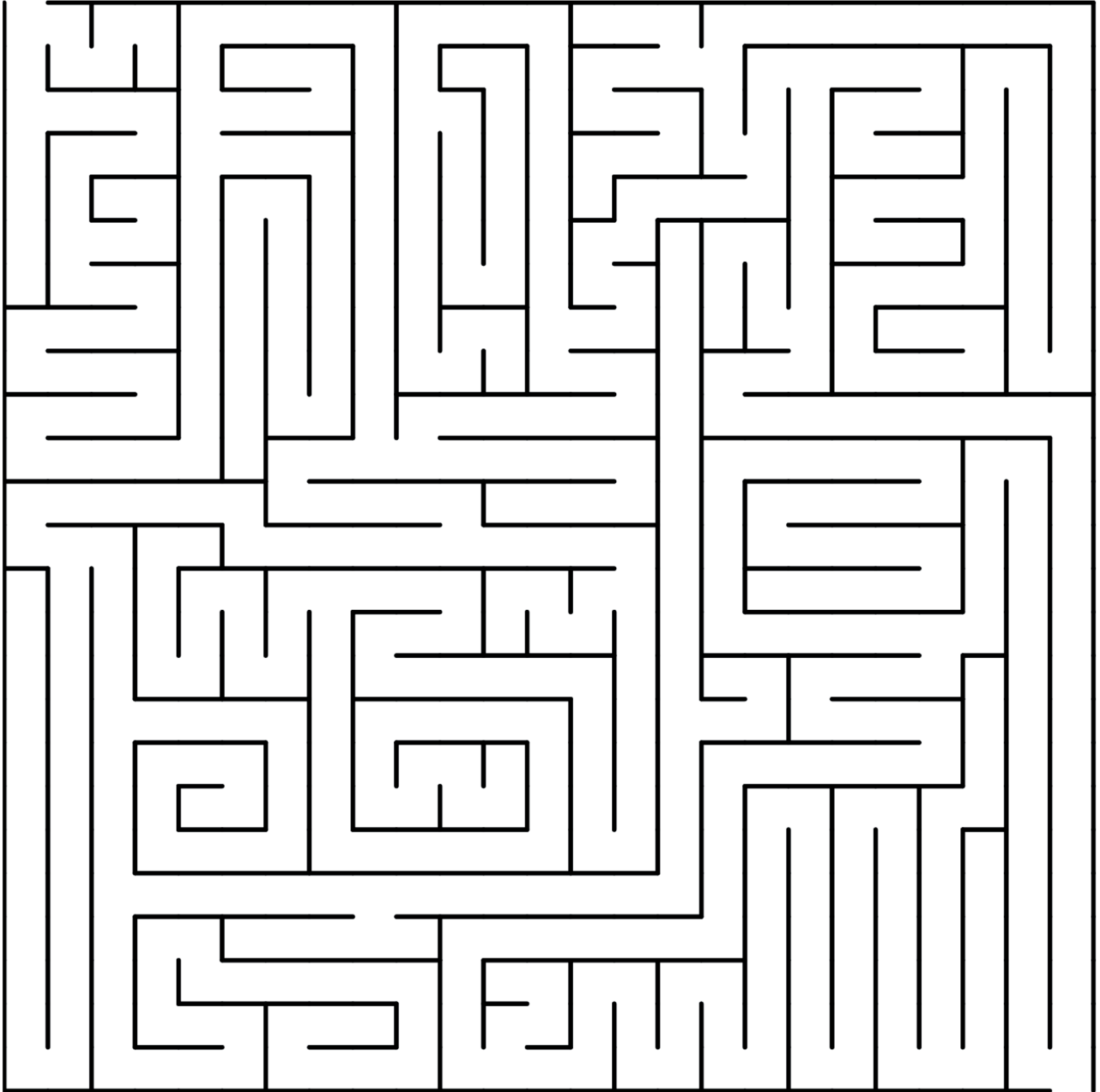
Across

- [1] Oxidize
- [5] Blooms
- [7] Curly, straight, coarse
- [9] Eight-armed creature
- [10] Poseidon's domain
- [12] Type of salad

Down

- [2] Dawn
- [3] Lizard
- [4] Seasons change these
- [6] Fly catchers
- [8] Jeans fabric
- [11] Leave a mark

MAZE





SOLUTIONS

Trivia Answer: C

X is equal to 10, and L is equal to 50.
 $X+X=20$. Since X is of lesser value
 than L and comes before the great
 number, the rule is to subtract.
 $50-20=30$. XXL=30.

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9	8	4	1	2	6	3	5	7
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2	8	7	4	5	9	3	6	1

B	F	K	N	G	B	A	T	K	M	S	V	M	K	T	M	E	O
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