



- 8 Decompose
- 9 Minnesota's \_\_\_\_ Range
- 10 Looks over quickly
- 11 Saint Lucian poet Walcott who won the 1992 Nobel Prize in Literature
- 12 Fishing spots
- 14 "Enough already!"
- 17 Hint
- 22 Author of *The Art of War*
- 24 State whose license plates say "America's Dairyland": Abbr.
- 25 Actor McGregor who played Obi-Wan Kenobi
- 26 Actress Jennifer who played Anastasia's mother in the *Fifty Shades* films
- 29 Member of a certain colony
- 30 "I'm not impressed"
- 31 High-spirited
- 32 Member of a certain colony
- 33 Successors of LPs
- 35 In favor of
- 36 Sound from a hot skillet
- 38 Plant used by chefs
- 39 *Like Water for Chocolate* director Alfonso
- 40 Actor Galifianakis of the *Hangover* movies
- 45 Volkswagen model in the children's game Punch Buggy
- 46 Funny piece
- 47 Made a lasting impression?
- 48 Word with monitor or position
- 49 Without help
- 50 UPS deliveries
- 51 8½-pound statuette
- 52 Letter carrier's assignment
- 53 Sections of town, informally
- 57 Nuisance
- 60 About-face, in slang
- 61 Good eggs?
- 62 Lilly of pharmaceuticals

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**Across**

- 1 The South China Sea's Gulf of \_\_\_\_
- 7 Shot spot
- 10 Natl. economic statistic
- 13 "Beats me!"
- 14 Orchestra reed
- 15 Hula hoop?
- 16 They're full of sand
- 18 "\_\_\_\_ we there yet?"
- 19 See red
- 20 Day-\_\_\_\_ (like some colors)

- 21 Actor Ed who played Santa in *Elf*
- 23 Gianni Antetokounmpo's basketball team
- 27 Mineral suffix
- 28 Complain
- 29 Prayer ends
- 33 Low-\_\_\_\_ (lite)
- 34 Cookbook amts.
- 37 Large wine bottles
- 41 Fall-ending sound
- 42 Hectic hosp. areas
- 43 Jaguars, e.g.

- 44 Fall-starting sign
- 46 Not sweet
- 48 Small trees with bell-shaped flowers
- 54 Cream of the crop
- 55 Behavioral quirk
- 56 Hotel freebie
- 58 Stubbed body part
- 59 Think about from a different perspective, to consultants (and what you need to do when entering 16-, 23-, 37-, and 48-Across)
- 63 Heart lead singer Wilson

- 64 Most August babies
- 65 Puts on cloud nine
- 66 Chair umpire's ruling
- 67 Storm center
- 68 Most desperate

**Down**

- 1 Minor quarrel
- 2 Intense dislike
- 3 Distance runner Paavo, nicknamed "The Flying Finn"
- 4 Prepare to propose
- 5 Having five sharps
- 6 Milky Way component
- 7 "Honest \_\_\_\_" (Lincoln's nickname)