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Level: Intermediate

SUDOKU Fun by the Numbers

Like puzzles? Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test! Here's How It Works: Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Absence of effort
- 5. Preserve a dead body 11. Gratitude
- 14. The act of coming together
- again
- 15. Simpler
- 18. Visionaries
- 19. Large, fish-eating bird
- 21. Indicates near
- 23. Former CIA agent and critic
- 24. Icelandic poems
- 28. Pop
- 29. "Hammer" is one
- 30. Senses of self-importance
- 32. Thyrotrophic hormone
- 33. Not around
- 35. Electronic data processing
- 36. Licenses and passports are
- two types
- 39. Snakelike fish
- 41. Air Force 42. Popular computers
- 44. Of a withered nature
- 46. Wings
- 47. Used in combination
- 49. Laid back
- 52. Jeweled headdress
- 56. In slow tempo
- 58. __ Falls
- 60. Assertions made again 62. Periods of history
- 63. Hyphen

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Body part
- 2. Mimics
- 3. Expel large quantities rapidly
- 4. Sea eagle
- 5. A type of subdivision 6. Variety of Chinese
- 7. Mr. T's name on "The
- A-Team'
- 8. Consumed
- 9. Chinese dynasty 10. NFL great Randy
- 12. Ireland
- 13. Palm trees with creeping

roots

- 16. Fungal disease
- 17. Impressionable persons
- 20. Affirmative! (slang)
- 22. Instinctive part of the mind
- 25. "The First State"

- 40. Junior's father
- 43. Ray-finned fishes
- 45. Morning
- 48. Line passing side to side through the center (abbr.)
- 50. Double curve
- 51. A small bundle of straw or hay
- 53. Got older
 - 54. Crater on Mars
 - 55. Humanities
 - 57. Relating to the ears
 - 58. "To the __ degree..."
 - 59. Residue of a burned product
 - 61. It cools a home
- **Riddle me this...**

- Puzzle answers on page 5 -

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- 12 13 14 16 18 19 28 32 29 33 39 36 37 38 40 42 45 46 48 49 50 56 60 63

 - 26. A way to develop
 - 27. Fraternities
 - 29. Woman (French)

 - 34. Beer

 - 37. Indigo bush

 - 31. Sunscreen rating
 - 36. Spiritual leader

 - 38. Burn with a hot liquid



Solve the code to discover words related to the holiday season. Each number corresponds to a letter. (Hint: 11= A)

12 11 16 1 22 19 Α.

Clue: Come together

- Β. 8 11 9 23 26 4 Clue: Related people
- C. 15 23 25 25 22 19 Clue: Evening meal
- 13 26 23 15 11 4 D. 1

Clue: Festive event

Answers: A. gather B. family C. dinner D. holiday

Riddle: It has keys, but no locks. It has space, but no room. You can enter, but can't go inside. What is it? Апѕиеч: А кеуроача.

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