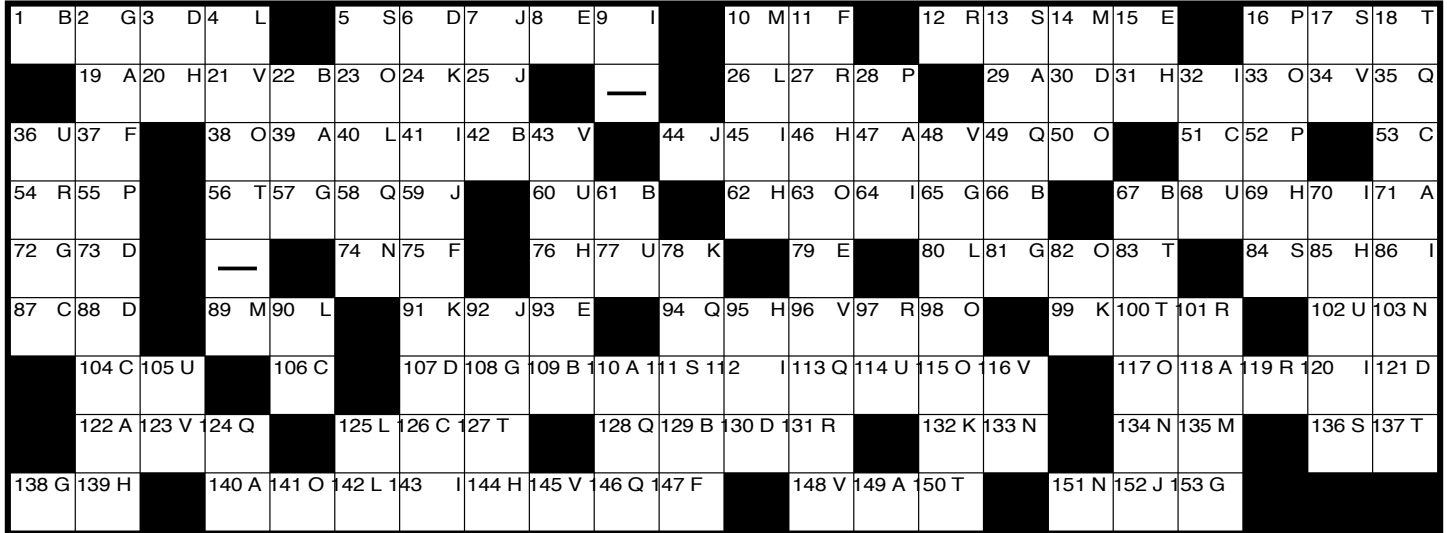


Vermont Crostic Puzzle by Rick Winston

Answer the clues; transfer the letters on the numbered dashes to the correspondingly numbered squares in the diagram. Work back and forth between the grid and the word list to complete the puzzle. The finished puzzle will spell out a quotation (from a Vermont author or on a Vermont theme) reading from left to right; black squares separate the words in the quotation. **The “crostic” part of the puzzle (“crostic” derived from the Greek, meaning “head”) is that the first letters of the clued answers, reading down, will spell out the name of the author and the source of the quotation.** These puzzles will appear on the second and fourth Sundays of each month; for tips on solving or other questions, e-mail crostic@lycos.com.



- A. Espresso or capuccino alternative (3 words)

 47 110 122 19 29 149 118 140 71 39
- B. Entertainment break at sporting events

 66 67 22 61 1 129 109 42
- C. Site of prison uprising 1970

 51 126 53 104 87 106
- D. Made good on an investment; fulfilled

 107 121 73 6 3 130 88 30
- E. One can do it to boots or punch

 15 79 8 93
- F. Don't put them all in one basket

 11 37 147 75
- G. Changed, as party affiliation or brand loyalty

 138 153 81 65 72 2 108 57
- H. Tunbridge-based film director, "Man With a Plan" (full name)

 31 95 144 20 139 76 46 85 69 62
- I. Water flowing through Middlebury (2 words)

 32 143 41 9 70 120 64 45 86 112
- J. Apportioned in large amounts

 92 59 7 44 152 25
- K. Gritty's partner

 24 132 78 91 99
- L. Discharge in full; please _____
 4 40 80 125 26 90 142
- M. Groton State Park scenic area: _____ Head _____
 89 10 14 135
- N. "Untouchables" villain Frank _____
 151 134 103 133 74
- O. Northeast Kingdom town in the news, 1984 (2 words)

 33 38 115 23 141 50 117 63 82 98
- P. Word heard at the DMV

 16 55 28 52
- Q. One feature of David Mamet plays and films

 128 94 49 113 124 35 146 58
- R. One hopes this describes our office holders

 131 101 54 27 12 119 97
- S. Materialize; come into view

 13 5 84 17 136 111
- T. How she smiled, in the old Rolling Stones song

 127 18 56 100 150 137 83
- U. Classy TV show of the 1950's, hosted by Alastair Cooke

 60 68 36 102 114 77 105
- V. Frost's narrator: "Good fences make good _____"

 34 116 145 21 48 148 123 96 43