

# mini Crostic Puzzle 1516

It is what it is.

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|------|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| 1J   | 2G  | 3C   | 4K   | 5B   | 6F   |      | 7D   | 8B   | 9J   |      | 10K  | 11H  |      | 12I  | 13H  | 14A  | 15D  |      |
| 16B  | 17D | 18G  |      |      | 19H  | 20D  | 21I  | 22E  | 23B  | 24G  | 25J  |      | 26N  | 27B  | 28E  |      | 29K  | 30E  |
| 31M  | 32H |      | 33I  | 34J  | 35K  |      | 36B  | 37A  | 38C  | 39J  | 40H  | 41D  | 42K  | 43F  |      | 44H  | 45G  |      |
| 46H  | 47J | 48C  | 49L  | 50B  |      |      | 51H  | 52A  |      | 53D  | 54F  | 55G  | 56M  |      | 57K  | 58H  |      | 59D  |
| 60F  | 61H | 62C  | 63A  | 64J  | 65K  | 66G  | 67E  | 68B  | 69L  |      | 70B  | 71D  | 72E  | 73I  | 74G  | 75J  | 76L  |      |
| 77F  | 78E | 79K  | 80C  | 81H  |      | 82L  | 83C  | 84B  |      | 85G  | 86K  | 87M  | 88D  | 89C  |      | 90E  | 91F  | 92B  |
| 93G  | 94D |      |      | 95C  | 96D  | 97H  |      | 98C  | 99H  | 100K | 101M | 102E | 103D | 104F |      | 105F | 106G | 107H |
| 108N |     | 109C | 110B | 111A |      | 112B | 113J | 114M | 115N | 116D |      | 117H | 118C | 119M | 120J | 121L | 122G | 123E |
| 124B |     | 125C | 126L | 127K | 128M | 129J | 130F | 131A | 132E | 133B | 134N | 135G | 136D | 137I | 138H |      |      | -    |
| -    |     | 139C | 140M | 141B | 142J |      | 143E | 144C | 145D | 146H | 147I | 148L |      | 149M | 150B | 151K | 152A | 153H |

A. Of pasta, firm to the bite

63 131 111 14 37 152 52

Island nation located

B. where the Atlantic and Caribbean meet

133 68 50 23 5 36 150 141 110 84 112 16 8 70 27 124 92

C. Something used as a leverage in negotiations

98 109 118 89 139 144 83 38 95 48 125 80 3 62

'50s artist who topped the charts with "Come On-a My House" and "This Ole House"

D.

41 136 94 71 53 7 17 116 59 145 96 20 88 103 15

Sometimes sarcastic slang name for a person with extraordinary footwork

E.

72 143 78 30 22 132 102 28 67 123 90

F. Pfaltzgraff offering

6 91 60 104 43 105 54 77 130

G. "Bearing gifts we traverse afar"

85 106 45 2 93 74 18 55 135 24 122 66

H. Exceptionally sluggish; snaillike

138 107 32 51 40 97 81 13 117 46 61 58 19 44 153 11 99 146

I. Go \_\_\_\_, proceed enthusiastically or vigorously

12 147 33 21 73 137

J. Long-reigning Russian ruler who tripled the territory of the state

47 39 113 142 129 34 9 25 64 75 120 1

K. Unwilling to compromise or moderate a position

65 4 151 86 10 127 42 29 79 35 57 100

L. River that empties into the Atlantic at Limerick

69 49 82 148 121 126 76

- 2016 HBO series starring  
Evan Rachel Wood,  
M. Thandie Newton, Anthony Hopkins, et al 149 56 128 31 101 87 119 140 114
- N. Take a heavy \_\_\_\_,  
damage or degrade 134 26 108 115

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