

# mini Crostic Puzzle 2177

Being optimists, we would change the last word to "midnight."

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

- A. Dutch Golden Age painter of *Girl with a Pearl Earring* and *The Milkmaid*     105 18 36 48 29 26 126 97 40 8 73 87 118 63 93
- B. Parcel of food, money, or luxury items sent to a loved one who is away     69 12 101 64 102 58 94 125 66 27 41
- C. "O Romeo, Romeo, \_\_\_\_ art thou Romeo?"     76 91 122 23 98 81 44 62 110
- D. *Canterbury Tales* character, The \_\_\_\_ of Bath     74 124 99 104
- E. Worry or relief     75 55 119 35 25 72 45
- F. Gradually become smaller, weaker, or less before stopping or ending     16 88 9 39 57 114 106 90
- G. West Indies islands known for tourism and as an offshore financial center     50 96 7 13 17 37 33 84 109 123 1 59 89 53
- H. Longtime BBC program from which "Torchwood" was spun-off     34 22 61 38 115 103 47 51 77
- I. Killed; murdered     86 31 2 92 68
- J. The real McCoy     121 14 67 78 82 24 60
- K. Hard physical work, especially vigorous polishing or cleaning     20 79 111 70 3 117 42 52 95 85 56
- L. Willie Nelson classic     54 71 11 28 112 49 100 113 21 43 19 32 127 65
- M. #1 Hot 100 hit for Men at Work in 1980     30 10 5 83 15 116 107 46 120

Actress Falco who won an  
N. Emmy playing Nurse Jackie      6 80 108 4

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