



Across

- 1 Capital of modern Macedonia (6)
- 4 United States composer (1910-1981) (6)
- 9 French writer and film maker who worked in many artistic media (1889-1963) (7)
- 10 (Old Testament) the second patriarch; son of Abraham and Sarah who was offered by Abraham as a sacrifice to God; father of Jacob and Esau (5)
- 11 Immature free-living form of most invertebrates and amphibians and fish which at hatching from the egg is fundamentally unlike its parent and must metamorphose (5)
- 12 English essayist who with Richard Steele founded the Spectator in 1711 (7)
- 13 Birth-control campaigner who in 1921 opened the first birth control clinic in London (1880-1958) (5,6)
- 18 Hunter transformed into a stag by Artemis (7)
- 20 Resort city in Crimea in the southern Ukraine on the Black Sea; site of the Allied conference between Roosevelt, Stalin, and Churchill in February 1945 (5)
- 22 Muted (5)

Down

- 1 Largest island in the Mediterranean (6)
- 2 Annual award by the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences for achievements in motion picture production and performance (5)
- 3 Rhyming slang for a taxi (3,4)
- 5 Behind in Scotland (5)
- 6 Blue lake in Switzerland (7)
- 7 French advocate of Jansenism; tragedian who based his works on Greek and Roman themes (1639-1699) (6)
- 8 United States writer (1933-2004) (5,6)
- 14 Brightest star in Scorpius (7)
- 15 Greek epic poem (attributed to Homer) (7)
- 16 Judge of Israel who performed herculean feats of strength against the Philistines until he was betrayed to them by his mistress Delilah (6)
- 17 Town in Hampshire, southern England (6)
- 19 Severe and often fatal disease in humans and nonhuman primates (monkeys and chimpanzees) caused by a virus (5)
- 21 Italian film actress (born in 1934) (5)

- 23 Mountainous republic in central Europe
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- 24 Capital of the Bahamas (6)
- 25 Young swan (6)