



Across

- 1 Small East-Asian citrus tree (4)
- 3 Ancient Jewish tradition of mystical interpretation of the Bible (8)
- 9 Large marine fish of the perch family that resembles a salmon (7)
- 10 Contribute to a fund (3,2)
- 11 Followers of a Persian prophet (12)
- 13 Slight pushes or shakes (6)
- 15 Capital of Canada (6)
- 17 Sacred 'song of God' composed about 200 BC and incorporated into the Mahabharata (a Sanskrit epic); contains a discussion between Krishna and the Indian hero Arjuna on human nature and the purpose of life (12)
- 20 Native or inhabitant of Cambodia (5)
- 21 Lovingly (7)
- 22 Long, wandering, and eventful journeys (8)
- 23 Island in Indonesia to the south of Borneo; one of the world's most densely populated regions (4)

Down

- 1 Highest rank of sumo wrestler, above ozeki; a grand champion (8)
- 2 Jewish cabalistic book attributed by tradition to Rabbi Simon ben Yochi, who lived about the end of the 1st century, a. d. Modern critics believe it to be a compilation of the 13th century (5)
- 4 Those who discriminates against people on the basis of their years, esp. the elderly (6)
- 5 The fate reserved for one (9,3)
- 6 South African traditional healer or diviner especially one specialising in herbalism (7)
- 7 Ancient Gaelic formerly spoken on an offshore island of the United Kingdom; the language is sometimes used on ceremonial occasions (4)
- 8 Girls with attractive busta who wear tight pullovers (7-5)
- 12 Italian adventurer who wrote vivid accounts of his sexual encounters (1725-1798) (8)
- 14 Country on western coast of Africa; formerly under French control (7)
- 16 Building where birds are kept (6)

18 Image of a god (5)

19 Hut in Orkney or Shetland (4)