

Monotonous  
--- by William Gee

**Across**

- 1. Lady of Spain
- 5. Chilean range
- 10. Bother
- 14. Lying, maybe
- 15. Value
- 16. The "a" in "a.m."
- 17. So blah, e.g.
- 19. Garner
- 20. Allow access
- 21. Biology lab supply
- 22. Big show
- 23. Small streams
- 25. Fine & dandy
- 27. In on
- 30. Middle East tongue
- 31. Olfactory offense
- 32. Pianist Peter
- 35. Web site?
- 38. Golfer Trevino
- 39. Oh so boring

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- 42. Party handout
- 44. Mercury & Mars
- 45. Author unknown, briefly
- 46. Eat at
- 48. How villains often smile
- 50. Lemon-lime drink
- 52. Funny money?
- 54. Compensates
- 55. Useful African lily
- 57. Bring up
- 61. Taro source
- 62. Ho-hum, e.g.
- 64. Start for many juice names
- 65. Carry away, in a way

- 66. Mideast capital
- 67. Low-lying islands
- 68. Care for
- 69. Easy dupes

**Down**

- 1. Author Roald
- 2. Plaintive woodwind
- 3. Ex-Speaker Gingrich
- 4. Devotee
- 5. Barley bristle
- 6. Knobby
- 7. Boring sorts
- 8. Anagram of "neat"
- 9. Mountaineering guide
- 10. Marco Polo's destination

- 11. So so-so
- 12. Kind of infection
- 13. Former Indian soldier
- 18. Military group
- 24. Solitary
- 26. Times to remember
- 27. Real howler
- 28. Noodle concoction, e.g.
- 29. Without originality
- 30. Daily requirement
- 33. Advantage
- 34. Grande opening?
- 36. Teen fave
- 37. Rabbit fur
- 39. Easy gait
- 40. WWII power

- 43. Prayers
- 45. Kin of nannies
- 47. Numb
- 49. Nuclear missile acronym
- 50. Smidgen
- 51. Man with a mission?
- 52. Kind of battery
- 53. Boston hoopsters
- 56. Corker
- 58. Hip bones
- 59. Rebuff
- 60. Sushi fish
- 63. Comprehend