



Across

- 2 Great coolness and composure under strain (6)
- 4 Again, but in a new or different way (4)
- 5 Very bad indeed (7)
- 7 Characterized by friendship and good will (8)
- 9 A condensed but memorable saying embodying some important fact of experience that is taken as true by many people (5)
- 11 Use to one's advantage (5)

- 13 A desirable state (4)
- 15 The love of money (7)
- 16 Mixed with impurities (10)
- 17 Unrestrained by convention or propriety - overly confident (7)

Down

- 1 To praise, almost to the point or worshipping (9)
- 2 Inform (somebody) of something (7)
- 3 A loud harsh or strident noise (5)
- 4 Alleviate (pain) (7)

- 6 Out of harmony with the time (13)
- 8 Settle a dispute, invoke calm (7)
- 10 Mix together, to create something new (10)
- 12 Stern in manner, appearance, or disposition (7)
- 13 Unrestrained by convention or propriety - overly confident (6)
- 14 Dry (4)