

- 25 e.g. spade, shovel, trowel (4)
- 27 Formal dance (4)
- 28 Person from the Middle East (6)
- 31 Complete the line of a well-known carol: 'When the snow lay round about, deep and crisp and - ---' (4)
- 32 Perish with 21 spots? (3)
- 33 Anthology about a passenger vehicle? (7)
- 36 Quickly (1,1,1,1)
- 38 Inserting text or other object into a document (7)
- 40 Old calculator (6)
- 43 Landmark of central Australia (5)
- 45 Famous north to south Australian train service (4)
- 46 Fish (3)
- 47 Used after a mistake in a game of bridge (6)
- 49 Popular picture on Christmas cards (5)
- 50 Type of cheese (4)
- 51 Starting point of a Monopoly board (2)
- 52 The centres of storms (4)
- 53 Low (3)
- 55 Deception (4)
- 59 Famous Australian attraction (7,6)
- 61 Gardening basket (4)
- 64 Requires (5)
- 65 Famous Australian location (6,3)
- 66 Walk through mud (7)
- 67 Pain (4)
- 68 Greek letter (3)
- 69 The rind of these are used in Christmas cakes (6)
- 74 Well-founded (7)
- 77 Dangerous type of tide (3)
- 79 --- populis; the voice of the people (3)
- 80 1988 song by Yaz: 'The only way is --' (2)
- 82 Continent where over half of the world's population live (4)
- 84 Famous Australian attraction (5,5)
- 87 Australian state capital (9)
- 89 What Adam lost to gain Eve (3)
- 90 Feeling great delight like a Christmas present we hear (4)
- 91 Uncle Sam (1,1,1)
- 92 Head bones (6)
- 95 Bodyguard for Cortes, maybe (6, anag.)
- 98 Last in an indefinitely large series (3)
- 99 Mushroom (3)
- 100 Mistake made in terror (3)
- 101 Slang term for someone from Down Under (6)
- 103 Exclamation of realisation (3)
- 105 Long period of time (3)
- 106 Job (4)
- 108 Working here would be out of this world! (1,1,1,1)
- 111 Craze (3)
- 113 Scientist found in Australian state capital (6)
- 115 Letter of the Hebrew alphabet (3)
- 116 Relating to the teeth (6)
- 118 Found on many Christmas cakes (5)
- 120 --- Lanka; island in the Indian Ocean (3)
- 122 Australian state capital (8)
- 125 Santa's greeting for young Simpson in Australian state capital (6)
- 127 Asian people hidden by Attila or others (3)
- 128 Jumper (6)
- 131 Degree (1,1,1)
- 132 American soldier (1,1)
- 133 American organisation (1,1,1)
- 134 Powdery starch (4)
- 135 Golfers aim towards this (3)
- 136 Therefore (4)
- 137 Famous Australian song (8,7)

Down

- 1 She's capital in Australia (8)
- 2 Crease (4)
- 3 Gift from the Wise Men (7)
- 4 Finish (3)
- 5 Envisions (4)
- 6 He is very busy at Christmas time (7)
- 7 Small island with a lease (5)
- 8 Zest (5)
- 9 Scene for Jesus' birth (6)
- 10 Chester's river (3)
- 11 Young animals without a mother (7)
- 12 The koala's favourite tree (10)
- 17 Approve (4)
- 24 Golfer who plays in major tournaments (3)
- 26 Musical composition (4)
- 27 Ship used by 113 *Across* on his voyages (6)
- 29 Suffuse with colour (5)
- 30 A small sharp bite (3)
- 34 Heating element in an electric fire (3)
- 35 Sturdy drink (5)
- 37 Genus of dogs (5)
- 39 Essence found in the river Danube (3)
- 40 Nautical greeting (4)
- 41 Famous baseball player (4,4)
- 42 Spanish title or Norse one perhaps (5)
- 44 Impelled (5)
- 45 Famous Australian attraction (5,7,4)
- 47 May follow a dead heat (5)
- 48 Popular Australian pastime (8)
- 53 Wed without a ring, like this donkey rider? (4)
- 54 Get baton I threw up in air (6, anag.)
- 56 Asian language (4)
- 57 Killed by Jael (6)
- 58 Town famous for its fully-booked hotels (9)
- 60 Took the exam again (5)
- 62 Mythical bird of prey hidden by crocodile (3)
- 63 Celt in Ireland or Scotland or the Isle of Man (4)
- 70 Describes King Herod's plan to kill baby Jesus (4)
- 71 Land where Elimelech and Naomi went to avoid the famine (4)
- 72 Animal (2)
- 73 Prefix meaning above (5)
- 75 First prime minister of the Republic of India (5)
- 76 Found on a Christmas tree (6)
- 78 Spoilt like we would like to be at Christmas (8)
- 81 You are probably looking at the answer to this! (3)
- 83 Solidifies (4)
- 84 Overthrows (5)
- 85 What people look forward to at Christmas (4)
- 86 Coal in peculiar container for fuel (6, anag.)
- 88 Belonging to us (4)
- 93 Colour used especially for military uniforms (5)
- 94 Bookies know this (1,1)
- 96 Australian capital (8)
- 97 Where French students do long-distance courses (1,1)
- 98 Very close (4)
- 102 Native word for European country (6)
- 104 Australian animals (9)
- 107 Wash the ship's decks (4)

- 109** Black tropical cuckoo found in Hawaiian Islands (3)
- 110** Any star around which a planetary system revolves (3)
- 112** A rounded thickly curled hairdo (4)
- 113** Sweetheart of Australian banker? (7)
- 114** Number of ladies dancing in the 12 Days of Christmas (4)
- 117** Disease (1,1)
- 119** Stopped (6)
- 120** Shakespeare are play: The taming of the ----- (5)
- 121** International company (1,1,1)
- 123** One in couch from the Bulgarian capital (5)
- 124** Important in murder mystery stories (5)
- 126** Encourage a wager (4)
- 129** Soldier (4)
- 130** Cake ingredient (3)
- 132** Trap used in card game (3)
- 135** Letter of the Greek alphabet (2)