

Across
1 "Are we having fun yet?" Lovable US cartoon character created by Bill Griffith known for surreal aphorisms $(5,3,7)$
13 Appeared, manifested, came about
14 Hearty Australian stock cube
15 Beautiful princess in Greek myth ravished by Zeus in form of big cloud
16 Dashing singing Mountie partner of Jeanette Macdonald (initials)
17 Spirited in a slightly indecent way
18 To love and lavish attention to an excessive or foolish degree
19 Funny shoes worn by Dutch
21 Famous American medicine woman (initials)
22 An authorized, formulaic statement of belief from the Latin for "I believe", commonly the beginning of such formulations
24 A member of the sinister Unification Church founded in Korea in 1954 with the aim of uniting the world into one sinless family
25 Iconic Australian meal served with three veg
26 Greek letter (written as $P$ ) comprising with Chi (written as $X$ ) the seminal symbol of the early Christian church

27 Hated and feared enemy of Vietnam war (from ... san Vietnamese for communist)
28 North American Indian people from modernday New Mexico
30 Alluring undergarment for ladies
32 Arab Revolt (initials)
33 Favorable, propitious
38 What was Ron Blaskett (also Michael Redgrave in Dead of Night)?
40 Inhabitant of mountainous island in Eastern Mediterranean known for Minoan ruins, palace of Knossos and racy bull cult
41 Village in County Meath and historic seat of ancient Irish kings
42 Norman Swain (initials)
44 Irish intellectual (initials)
46 Don Lane or Def Leppard or Dickie Loeb (initials)
47 Gloomy description by poet Alexander Pope of troubled life in Epistle to Dr Arbuthnot $(4,4,7)$
53 Radio Islam (initial)
54 Imperial measure of weight equal to 1,016.046909 kilograms

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55 Former name in colonial times of modernday Zaïre
56 Anguish, torment, suffering (especially of amorphous existential kind)
57 Celebrated Italian director (La Notte, Red Desert, The Passenger etc., etc.)
60 Palestinian Talmud or pink triangle (initials)
61 Citizen of East African republic created in 1964 union of Tanganyika and Zanzibar
63 To whom is one derisively likened in the coarse and somewhat surreal Australian witticism when one appears "all dressed up" as for a wedding, job interview or court appearance? $(3,7,5)$

## Down

11974 English sci-fi fantasy film (set in the year 2293 AD ) with Sean Connery in bizarre red nappy (and snood) with spooky Citizen Kane/Planet of the Apes/Waterworld style twist at end
2 Middle Eastern state largely co-extensive with ancient Mesopotamia recently incorporated into free world
3 Piece of cod (which passeth all understanding) (initials)
4 Freud, Jung, Adler, Reich, Rank, Laing,
Jones etc., etc., etc
5 Elizabethan English for you ("... serpents, generation of vipers, How can ... escape the generation of vipers, How can ... esca
6 English battleship sunk by German Kriegsmarine Bismarck in 1941 Battle of Denmark Strait
7 Gaining money or favors by threat of harm
8 Tragic, alcoholic US author (The Raven etc.)
9 Sultry German singer and junkie (deceased) (I'll be your Mirror)
10 Abhorrent, pseudo-intellectual activity engaged in by Neo-Nazi \& white supremacist groups on internet hate sites $(9,6)$
11 Disease of heart
12 To dismantle a system of enforced racial separation as in an apartheid state

18 Sacred tableaux (and thirteenth station of the cross) depicted memorably by Michelangelo Pontormo and Rembrandt
20 Famous Japanese performance artist
23 Racist organization (initials)
23 Res Gen (intis)
$219^{\text {th }}$ century German mathematician and topologist known for invention of intriguing, eponymous, one-sided "strip"
25 Charles Napier or Cynthia Nolan (initials)
29 Iconic Australian vehicle used to transport dog and slab
31 French for king
34 Scottish singer ("This means nothing to me, ooooooooh Vienna")
Term designating hamburger served without additional garnish such as fried egg or pineapple ring
36 Captain Queeg (initials)
37 First Nazi prisoner of war camp $(6,3)$
38 Famous Austrian singing group (3-5)
39 English PM vilified in history for policy of "appeasement" condoning 1938 Nazi seizur of Czechoslovakian Sudetenland (invoked shamelessly by pro-Israel lobby to illustrate dangers of "land for peace" deals with rogue states and terrorists) (initials)
43 The ancient, indigenous religion of Japan incorporating the worship of numerous deities from the chief of which the Emperor is believed to be descended
45 Scary US rapper born Calvin Broadus (Beautiful etc.) (initials)
48 Popular game with million-dollar prize (not Popular game with milli
Powerball or Super 66)
associated with Hunter S. Thompson
50 Images of Christ, Mary or the saints painted on wooden panels venerated in Eastern Church
51 Pertaining to sound
52 Male child
57 Hyperactive insect
58 Taylor and Ridge (initials)
59 Type, kind, sort
62 Apostles Creed (initials)

