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Across

- 1 "Thunder, thunder, thunder, thunder, thunder, thunder, thunder, thunder, thunder etc." Insistent *ACDC* song 29
- 12 Powerful Russell Crowe role (not Maximus Decimus Meridius, Bud White or Noah)
- 13 "Loneliness, is the ... you wear" *The Sun Ain't Gonna Shine Anymore*
- **14** Unit of energy (from Greek for work)
- 15 The Troubles *or TikTok* (initials)
- 17 Under the influence (initials)
- **18** Martin Luther *or* Mike Love (initials)
- 19 Edwin Maher, David 'Stretch' Brown, Rob Gell, Sam Mac, Bill Ayers etc.
- 21 Anita Loos *or* Albert Langer (initials)
- 22 New name given to Jacob ('heal grabber') by mysterious angel meaning 'one who struggled with the Divine' (in baffling Bible story)
- 23 Middle Eastern Media Research Institute (initials)
- 25 British Iraqi architect known for marvelous new MAXXI contemporary art museum in Rome (initials)
- 26 Pioneering Austrian cinematographer (*The Golem, Metropolis, The Mummy, Key Largo, I Love Lucy* etc.) (initials)

- 27 Memorable Jodie Foster role (not Annabel Andrews or Iris Steensma) (first name)
- 29 Pejorative for person with religious beliefs different to one's own (not pagan, infidel, goy or foreign devil)
- **30** Famous dwarf (not Sebastián de Morra or Tyrion Lannister) (or Sneezy)
- 31 Picturesque European river associated with barges, castles and maidens
- 33 Caused to reverse, cancel or dismantle the results of a previous initiative, act or entity
- 34 Name shared by ancient tribe of Israel and inspirational Victorian leader
- 35 Holliday, Pomus, Neeson, Martens, Brown
- 37 80s Farnham album (initials)
- 39 Village in Scottish lowlands known for arresting pagan megalith providing unique photo opportunity for visitors
- **41** *Forge of Empires* (initials)
 - End-blown, Persian flute of ancient origin or hot-headed, French commander of *Grande Armée* executed by firing squad after defeat at Waterloo (for which he is regarded largely responsible due to failure to spike cannon) in 1815

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Across (contd.)

- 44 Black Ops *or* Bill O'Reilly (initials)
- 45 North Korea *or* Nicole Kidman (initials)
- 46 Castrated bovid sacrificed in large numbers at ancient hecatomb
- 47 Marvelous supermarket at 614 Sydney Road, Brunswick on site of sadly missed, futuristic Padua Movie Theatre (currently closed for deep cleaning)
- 48 Strangely named angel known for directing Joseph Smith to golden plates inscribed with Book of Mormon on drumlin of Cumorah in upstate New York
- 50 Arresting debut release of *Throbbing Gristle* from 1978 (B-side) (6, 1, 6)

Down

- 1 Famous movie which was all a dream (not The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari, Mulholland Drive or Eyes Wide Shut) (3, 6, 2, 2)
- 2 Popular Indian name (meaning Lord Shiva)
- 3 Marvelous Tony Randall role (not Dr. Lao)
- 4 Marvelous Gloria Swanson role (not Sadie Thompson or Kitty Kelly) (initials)
- 5 "Scaramouche, Scaramouche, can you" Saffling *Oueen* lyric (2, 3, 8)
- 6 Greatly loved Ron Howard role (not Opie) (initials)
- 7 Squalid, barely habitable dwelling
- 8 Racy bestseller of Sigmund Freud from 1913 (5, 3, 5)
- 9 German name shared by artists of harrowing works *Die gekreuzigte Bär* and *Die bitteren Tränen der Petra von Kant*
- 10 FC... English fashion label with edgy name (called "tasteless and obnoxious" by High Court judge in damning decision of 1999)

- Town in Scottish highlands associated with pyrrhic victory of Jacobite forces in gory, eponymous battle of 27th July 1689
- 16 Artificial mound of stratified debris created by accumulated refuse of human activity over many years (Arabic for hill)
- 18 Patron saint of Venice depicted in marvelous painting cycle of Tintoretto inc. *Miracle of the Slave* and *The Finding of the Remains*
- 20 Greatly loved, Japanese American actor and activist known for role as helmsman of USS Enterprise
- 24 A concentration of waste formed over many years of human habitation (inc. shells, bone, and debris from lithic reduction)
- 27 "When children have nightmares, they dream of Freddy. When Freddy has nightmares, he dreams of ..." Popular movie franchise about doll possessed by psychopathic killer (known for amusing taglines such as ... Gets Lucky)
- 28 French, Teale, Bernstein, Nimoy, Lenford (diminutive)
- 29 As a consequence; for this reason; after a certain point in time
- 32 Hannah Arendt *or* Hell's Angels (initials)
 - 36 Dalai (English translation of Tibetan)
- **38** Controversial *Throbbing Gristle* member with amusing name (middle name)
- 40 Schwarzkopf, Mailer, Rockwell, Finkelstein, Bates (diminutive)
- 42 Kind of moron
- 7 Infinite love (initials)
- 48 US social media entrepreneur and mogul known for pioneering Hot or Not website while undergraduate at Harvard (initials)
- 49 Old Brunswick (initials)

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