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Across

- 1** “I walk along a thin line darling (darling) Dark shadows follow me (follow me) etc.” Baroque Elvis classic (4, 2, 7)
- 12** *The ... Wilderness* 1947 collection of short stories by Nelson Algren exploring seedy underbelly of Chicago
- 13** French military cap with flat, circular top as worn by Charles De Gaulle and Jean Gabin
- 14** French for street (*de Rivoli, Morgue, Bobby Sands* etc.)
- 15** 11th century pope associated principally with Great Schism of 1054 (3, 1, 1)
- 16** Troubled US artist known for seminal work *Number 1, 1950* renamed *Lavender Mist* by Clement Greenberg (arguably capturing East Hamptons at dusk)
- 18** Stephen Dedalus *or* Saint Denis (initials)
- 19** Virulently anti-communist, Catholic political party associated with B. A. Santamaria
- 20** Popular Lebanese Canadian songwriter from 50s (*Lonely Boy, Diana, She's a Lady* etc.)
- 21** Popular children's TV show performer from 60s known for blue night club act with partner Ron Blaskett (last name)
- 23** Pervasive vibe of era (German loanword)
- 25** Hardline Egyptian president (first name) (not Gamel, Anwar, Mohamed or Abdel Fattah)
- 26** “Oi, oi, oi, oi, oi, oi, oi, oi, oi, oi, oi etc.” ACDC classic (with catchy singalong part)
- 27** Movie genre associated with Kirk Douglas, Victor Mature, Steve Reeves, Pietro Torrisi and Russell Crowe
- 31** Violent Basque separatist group known for striking hood with beret look (disbanded)
- 32** Niall includes another L (initials)
- 33** Feared weapon of Blitz known as buzz bomb, doodlebug and *Vergeltungswaffe* (1-1)
- 34** Small quantity of alcohol imbibed furtively (or racial slur as seen on *McHale's Navy*)
- 36** Elderly customer: “Ice cream sundae, please” Young man: “Crushed ... Grandad?” Customer: “No, lad, it's rheumatism!”
- 38** ... *Genesis Evangelion* Dystopian anime set in fortified, post-apocalyptic city of Tokyo-3 about troubled teen Shinji Ikari recruited by cold-hearted father in shadowy organization *Nerv* to pilot bio-machine *Evangelion* in war to save world from malevolent entities called “Angels” (as seen on SBS in 90s)

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- 40** Dejected and apathetic in motorized bicycles **WARNING** Cryptic
- 41** Term of respect used by native inhabitants of India addressing colonial overlord during Raj
- 42** Eric Wright interview (initials)
- 43** Veteran Hollywood producer (*All About Eve, The Razor's Edge, Gentlemen's Agreement, David and Bathsheba, The Man in the Gray Flannel Suit, The Snake Pit* etc.)
- 46** Depleted uranium *or* *Der Untergang* (initials)
- 47** Maker of delicious frozen apple pies
- 49** “... Jamaica, ooh, I wanna take ya / Bermuda, Bahama, come on pretty mama etc.” *Beach Boys*
- 51** Mysterious, dual entities from Old Testament (regarded as either giants or regions) invoked by George W. Bush in lead-up to invasion of Iraq having been instructed by prophecy to smite eternal enemy of Israel “at work in the Middle East” (3, 3, 5)
- 11** City of central Russia and site of execution of Nicholas II and family (formerly Sverdlovsk after Bolshevik leader who carried out order) with present-day *Church on Blood* built over site commemorating Romanov sainthood and status in Orthodox Church of passion bearers (due to Christ-like deaths)
- 17** Location in Papua New Guinea of 1943 defeat of IJA (thwarting imminent invasion of Australia) also departure on July 2, 1937 of Amelia Earhart on final leg of journey home (in touching footage on *YouTube*)
- 19** Dave Evans *or* *Das Experiment* (initials)
- 22** Immeasurably long expanse of time such as *Stalker* by Tarkovsky (or *Shoah*)
- 23** Famous Melbourne duo known for distinctive hats (3, 3, 3)
- 24** Primordial mother goddess personifying earth in Greek mythology
- 28** Roman god of underworld (also city in *Divine Comedy* of Dante in Lower Hell)
- 29** Endless catastrophe engulfing Arab population of Palestine since declaration of state of Israel in 1948 (and immediate, fulsome recognition by West) (Arabic) (2-5)

Down

- 1** Spiritual state attained by Keanu Reeves in marvelous sequence in 1993 Bertolucci film
- 2** Dave ..., Dozy, Beaky, Mick & Tich (*The Legend of Xanadu* etc.)
- 3** Parading in grandiloquent style associated with fascism
- 4** Popular Welsh name (Blyton, Coleslaw etc.)
- 5** Franz Kafka *or* Freddy Kruger (initials)
- 6** “Is Deckard a ...?” Pressing issue of modern film studies
- 7** Person initiated into Eleusinian Mysteries of ancient Greece (having undergone drug-fueled *epopteia*)
- 8** Trouble or afflict in mind or body
- 9** “It is a truth universally acknowledged that a single man in possession of a good fortune, must be in want of a wife” Amusing person known for habitual tone of detached, wry wit or in philosophy of Richard Rorty someone who has radical and continuing doubts about the final vocabulary they use (being impressed by other vocabularies taken as final by others), realizes that argument phrased in their present vocabulary can neither underwrite nor dissolve these doubts and does not think their vocabulary is closer to reality than others (or in touch with a power not themselves)
- 10** Folds or pushes the edges or ends of something such as a garment or bedclothes so as to hide, secure or neatens (when making bed or putting shirt into trousers etc.)
- 30** Shape of office where Bill Clinton created defining legacy of presidency
- 35** Birthplace of Starfleet Captain James T. Kirk at 60 Greene St., Riverside on March 22, 2228
- 37** Birthplace of troubled vet in stirring Bruce Springsteen anthem from 80s
- 39** Elizabeth Holmes *or* Edith Head (initials)
- 41** “Life in this society being, at best, an utter bore and no aspect of society being at all relevant to women, there remains to civic-minded, responsible, thrill-seeking females only to overthrow the government, eliminate the money system, institute complete automation and destroy the male sex” Controversial 1967 manifesto of troubled radical feminist Valerie Solanus (prior to shooting Andy Warhol)
- 44** Nice album name (initials)
- 45** Ninth studio album of Norwegian black/folk metal supergroup *Borknagar* feat. Øystein G. Brun (ex-*Molested*), Infernus (ex-*Gorgoroth*), Grim (ex-*Immortal*) and Ivar Bjørnson (ex-*Enslaved*) (named after Norn)
- 48** Did first Bond movie villain have hands?
- 50** Celebrated UK sculptor known for colossal work in Gateshead, Tyne and Wear, Northern England believed to be the largest sculpture of an angel in the world (initials)

