

## Across (contd.

28 The ... Way Pilgrim path through Old City of Jerusalem commencing at al-Omariyya School, continuing to Monastery of the Flagellation and Imposition of the Cross, under Ecco Homo arch, past Our Lady of the Spasm turning left into Al Wad St., past Chapel of Simon of Cyrene, over Suq Khan Ez-Zeit St., along El-Khanqa St. and ending in Church of the Holy Sepulchre

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Across
1 Stirring Scottish themed work by Victorian court favourite Sir Edwin Landseer (not The Monarch of the Glen or The Illicit Highland Whisky Still) $(4,2,3)$
9 Inducing a state of vexation due to a perceived slight, indignity or feeling of wounded pride (Old French, a prick or irritation)
10 Kingdom (in present day Jordan) descended from Lot by incestuous union with eldest daughter also non-nuclear ordnance officially GBU-43/B Massive Ordnance Air Blast (or popularly "Mother of all bombs") deployed by US in Afghanistan where locals reported "...it felt like the heavens were falling"
12 Member of ruthless Asiatic crime syndicate known for cutting off Dr. No's hands
13 Interventionist god (initials)
14 "Lower than a snake's belly in a wagon ..." Colourful expression meaning very low
16 Invasion Day or Izzy Dy (initials)
17 Plastic unit with compartments for storing things in orderly fashion
20 Loosely affiliated political movement with recent successes in conservative electorates as palatable alternative to repellent Liberal party candidates, Labor, Greens etc. being regarded as intolerably radical
21 Zero tolerance (initials)
22 What were Sky Masterton and Nathan Detroit in sleazy musical from 50s
24 Person from former Yugoslavia (not Bosniak Slovene, Macedonian, Montenegrin or Serb)
27 Fruit of Islam (initials)

## Down

1 The French disease
2 Alt-Pop artist (initials)
3 Controversial British territory on southern tip of Iberian Peninsula retained as vital naval "choke point" at entrance of Mediterranean Sea in event of war with Europe
4 Al Quds (initials)
5 Cosey Fanni ... Controversial performance artist musician from Yorkshire (20 Jazz Funk Greats, Zyklon B Baby etc.)
6 Hazard, waste, genesis, terrorism, pic
7 Plucky American orphan known for optimistic outlook and curly red hair
8 Vast ash tree of Norse mythology with branches supporting universe and roots extending to Niflheim (and gnawed on by dragon Níðhöggr)
11 Fleshing eating monster of European folklore
15 "Gott mit ..." Motto of German military ("God is with us") inspiring witty rejoinder of English soldiers "We got mittens too!"
18 Mad scientist banished to Phantom Zone by Jor-El for attempting to destroy Krypton with earthquake machine
19 The substance or material of which something is made; possessions, equipment; cram tightly; absence of concern (as in don't give a)
23 "That's the wonder, the wonder of ..." Baroque Elvis classic
25 "Now I am become Death, the destroyer of worlds" US scientist known for haunting quote from Bhagavad-Gita on first detonation of a nuclear weapon on July 16, 1945 (initials)
26 The Osmonds (initials)

