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#### Across

- 1 Nervously ill crossword compiler
- 4 Bavarian city known for abortive Beer Hall Putsch of 1923, *Black September* Operation at 1972 Olympics (officially *Iqrit and Biram* after villages ethnically cleansed in Nakba) and 2026 International Security Conference notable for remarkable address by US SoS Marco Rubio to European leaders invoking Manifest Destiny of white race to rule world
- 10 2015 horror film subtitled *A New-England Folktale* with chilling denouement as Anya Taylor-Joy as innocent puritan girl joins coven and ecstatically embraces Satan (3, 5)
- 12 Xena episodes (initials)
- 13 Onomatopoeia for trumpet fanfare signifying triumphant revelation of achievement
- 14 Emanate, radiate, broadcast, give off
- 16 Yugoslavian dictator *or* Young Dolph *or* Yvette Dugay (initials)
- 18 Harvey Dent *or* Hitler diaries (initials)
- 19 "Vengeance is mine, and I will repay ... the Lord" Enigmatic epigram to *Anna Karenina*
- 20 Digital file format converting writeable word doc into fixed, downloadable page on website such as [iansbookofcrosswords.net](http://iansbookofcrosswords.net)
- 22 Larry King *or* Lee Krasner *or* Leila Khaled *or* Lil' Kim (initials)
- 24 Passover night *or* pathological narcissism *or* Patty Nelson (initials)
- 25 Powerful, dark operatic voice associated with Wagnerian heroes Siegfried, Parsifal and Tristan
- 29 Of the sea, in a swirling, frothing, tempestuous state (poetic)
- 30 70s movie heartthrob known for famous line "Love means never having to say you're sorry" (also "Oh, man! Oh, God! Oh, man! Oh, God! Oh, man! Oh, God! Oh, man! Oh, God! Oh, man! Oh, God! etc." in climactic scene reading letter on beach from 1987 cult favourite *Tough Guys Don't Dance* by Norman Mailer (from own novel) (vale)
- 31 Official record of events during voyage of ship or aircraft ("Captain's ... Stardate 5431.4. For fifteen hours and twenty minutes we have been following the ion trail of the spaceship that has Spock's brain. Time left to us: eight hours and forty minutes", *Lolita Express* flight ... etc.)
- 32 Inert residue after complete combustion of organic matter applied ritually to body by Sadhus and Christians
- 34 Sleight of hand (to deceive eye)
- 38 Behold (Latin) (homo etc.)
- 39 "Do not travel to ... due to dangerous security situation and threat of terrorism, kidnapping and violent crime" Landlocked, sub-Saharan country with dire travel warning (also internet meme for physically attractive, sexually successful, white American alpha male)

### 39.3 (contd.)

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- 40 Members of cloistered, eremitical religious order founded by Bruno of Cologne in 1084 known for silence

#### Down

- 1 Pertaining to sculptural representations of male deities such as Shiva or Bacchus in aroused state
- 2 Arnold Horschak *or* Adolf Hitler *or* Amber Heard *or* Alger Hiss *or* Arthur Harris *or* After Hegira *or* annus horribilis (initials)
- 3 Open-meshed fabric, twisted or knotted at regular intervals associated with Vedic deva Indra (symbolizing infinite interconnectedness of universe) and Ena Sharples
- 4 Sprawling, English novel subtitled *A Study of Provincial Life* recounting unhappy marriage of idealistic young woman to mean-spirited, clergyman ("Mr. Casaubon, as might be expected, spent a great deal of his time at the Grange in these weeks, and the hindrance which courtship occasioned to the progress of his great work - *The Key to all Mythologies* - naturally made him look forward the more eagerly to the happy termination of courtship. But he had deliberately incurred the hindrance, having made up his mind that it was now time for him to adorn his life with the graces of female companionship, to irradiate the gloom which fatigue was apt to hang over the intervals of studious labor with the play of female fancy, and to secure in this, his culminating age, the solace of female tendance for his declining years. Hence he determined to abandon himself to the stream of feeling, and perhaps was surprised to find what an exceedingly shallow rill it was. As in droughty regions baptism by immersion could only be performed symbolically, Mr. Casaubon found that sprinkling was the utmost approach to a plunge which his stream would afford him and he concluded that the poets had much exaggerated the force of masculine passion.") with touching final sentence about unhistoric acts of people who rest in unvisited tombs
- 5 Amusing theme song associated with British artists Gilbert and George (initials)
- 6 Neville Chamberlain *or* Nicholas Ceasescu *or* Noam Chomsky *or* Nick Cave (initials)
- 7 Lessen in monetary value, degrade in artistic or moral stature etc.
- 8 Way out
- 9 Northern European country known for canals, tulips, windmills, clogs, dykes, "coffeeshops", Rembrandt, Van Gogh and Anne Frank huis on Prinsengracht Canal, Amsterdam
- 11 Electronic device operated by foot pedal associated with Jimi Hendrix, Eric Clapton and Miles Davis transforming music in 70s
- 15 "By the shore of Gitche Gumee / By the shining Big-Sea-Water etc." Tragic love interest of Hiawatha in epic Longfellow poem
- 17 English author of ripping adventures (*Robinson Crusoe* etc.) (with first initial) (1, 5)
- 21 Colourful streamers attached to wooden handle waved with ecstatic abandon behind goal posts on scoring goal at football match
- 23 Ken Noland *or* Kitten Natividad *or* Knafeh Nabulseyeh (initials)
- 26 Doug Anthony *or* degenerate art (initials)
- 27 *Town of Host: Enhanced* (initials)
- 28 Olga Alexandrovna *or* Outsider Art (initials)
- 33 Mixed up god (esp. when arriving on machine at end of Greek tragedy) **WARNING** Cryptic
- 35 Electro-convulsive Therapy (initials)
- 36 1101 (Roman numerals)
- 37 See 1 across