7.5


Across
1 Best known role in Swedish cinema (played by Bengt Ekerot in 1957 arthouse classic) (in Swedish)
4 Gigantic larva (and imago) in Toho Studios monster films (Godzilla Vs. ... etc.) (often depicted as heroic protectress of world)
9 Who cometh in nightmarish Eugene O'Neil masterwork of 1946 .
11 Manic stooge (not Curly) (or Moe)
12 Deliberately setting fire to things for reasons of poor impulse control or insurance fraud
14 Inscrutable Bond villain with metal hands played by Joseph Wiseman in 1962 film
15 Pretty ... Lambs Bucolic 1852 Ford Maddo Brown scene lambasted by English public for brightness of light and ugliness of child 16 Popular cigarettes (in 60s)
18 Das große Osterwunder (initials)
20 Political slogan on red caps at neo-fascist rallies in US (acronym)
resulting in distinctic cathedral 23 Outspoken Somali-American congresswoman censured by DNC for suggestion that Israeli rather than American interests constitute the primary focus of the American Israel Public Affairs Committee and that obeisance to its agenda constitutes allegiance to a foreign power invoking historic, anti-Semitic canard of dual loyalty (initials)

25 English rock musician from 60s (The Legend of Xanadu etc.) (not Dave Dee, Beaky, Mick or Tich)
27 Controversial gay Medici pope known for marvelous portrait by Raphael in Uffizi, selling indulgences to pay for St. Peter's and excommunicating Martin Luther in 1521
28 Discrete stage in a gradual process such as assembling Ikea furniture or recovering from alcoholism
29 Who did Pauline Hanson hate before Muslims?
32 The eighth step (initials)
33 Touching slogan conveying vision of diversity, inclusivity and common humanity $(4,2,4)$

## Down

1 Very, very bad
2 Ugly, blobby typeface of early computer era designed to be recognizable to machines and humans (not to be confused with slightly revolting vegetable enjoyed by Greeks)
3 Controversial French author (Justine, Juliette, Dialogue entre un prêtre et un moribund etc.) gaoled in Bastille for sedition and perversion and Charenton asylum for insanity
4 Italian pioneer of torpid art film (L'avventura, La notte, Il deserto rosso, Zabriskie Point, The Passenger etc.) (with first initial) $(1,9)$
5 Brazilian architect of nightmarish modern capital (initials)

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6 Famous boy wizard (initials)
7 Biggs, Kray, Blaskett, Hubbard, Mueck, Gort
8 Eschatological revelation (particularly that of Saint John the Divine on Patmos) from Greek for "uncovering"
10 Mullah Omar or Marie Osmond (initials)
13 Supply with weapons
17 Large woodwind instrument assembled from sections resembling logs (hence the name) (in Italian) (literally small faggot)
19 Wizened sisters and guardians of Gorgons in Greek mythology named Dread, Horror and Alarm (regarded as old and grey from birth) Alarm (regarded as old and grey from birth) with one eye and one tooth which they shared (encountered by Perseus on mission to
their sister Medusa) (played by Natalia their sister Medusa) (played by Natalia
Vodianova in 2010 US-Australian 3-D CG Vodianova in
extravaganza)

Ilhan Omar (initials)
Delmore Schwartz or Dick Smith or Daryl Somers or Dr Seuss (initials)
26 Popular Israeli boy's name meaning wolf (from Biblical reference to tribe of Benjamin as "a wolf that raveneth") (Jabotinsky etc.)
27 Popular Norwegian name (meaning life) (Ullmann etc.)
30 Siegfried overture or significant other or South Ossetia (initials)
31 Sophie Scholl or Scary Spice (initials)

