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Across

- 1 Mysterious magic word of obscure Middle Eastern origin
- 11 Extreme or obsessive devotion to an ideology or cause
- 12 Arab fundamentalist or American flag or Alan Funt (initials)
- 13 Exotic capital of Morocco
- 14 A jealous god (initials)
- 15 Amusing English writer (*Lucky Jim*, *The Old Devils* etc.)
- 16 Reclusive spiritual leader of fundamentalist Sunni Muslim rulers of 10 down (6, 4) (put first word here and second word at 29 across)
- 19 German for a as in "Ich bin ... Berliner" ("I am a donut")
- 20 Old Testament patriarch whom Jehovah renamed Israel and gave Palestine (neglecting to inform Allah)
- 21 Lost souls (initials)
- 22 Israeli prime minister, war criminal and terrorist responsible in large part for present disorder (initials)
- 23 Scottish form of John, Johann, Jean, Giovanni, Ivan etc.
- 24 American movie actress (*Beneath the Valley of the Ultravixens*) (first name only please)
- 28 Racist term derived from Spanish for "little mule" used to denote a person of mixed Negroid and Caucasian blood
- 29 Reclusive spiritual leader of fundamentalist Sunni Muslim rulers of 10 down (6, 4) (put first word at 16 across and second word here)

- 31 Palestinian Talmud or psychic trauma or Pink tour (or triangle) (initials)
- 32 The land of the two Holy Places (5, 6)
- 35 When you don't have to go to work (or shave)
- 36 Sandra Sully or Sirhan Sirhan (initials)
- 37 Forbid, restrict, prohibit, proscribe, censor (like *Texas Chainsaw Massacre 2*, flammable pajamas for children, Nazi memorabilia on internet or pork)

Down

- 1 The angel in Jewish and Islamic angelology which separates the soul from the body at point of death
- 2 Nonsense word invented by Lewis Carroll in *Jabberwocky* (not vorple or fumious) (or frabjous)
- 3 Israeli prime minister (and Nobel Peace Prize winner) assassinated by Jewish extremist in 1995
- 4 A cry of grief, pity or horror from the Mediaeval French for "Oh! Wretched!"
- 5 Little bed for babies
- 6 American tragedy (or terror) (initials)
- 7 Dreadful revenge or death row or Don Rickles (initials)
- 8 Angus Young or Ahmed Yassin (initials)
- 9 An Indian ruler (from Sanskrit for king)
- 10 Arid, mountainous republic in central Asia, much attacked and invaded during turbulent history, presently ruled by eccentric clique of

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Down (contd.)

- fundamentalist Sunni imams (greatly demonized in West for strict observance of Islamic law as revealed to the Prophet Mohammed (May Peace Be Upon Him)
- 14 Term derived from Portuguese for "white" used to denote person with congenital absence of pigmentation in the skin, eyes and hair
- 16 Primitive mud-brick superstructures built above tombs in ancient Egypt from which the pyramid evolved
- 17 Unreal city (initials)
- 18 Long opera (initials)
- 20 Where is Son of Sam? (also Sirhan Sirhan and the UNA Bomber)
- 24 Largely nomadic Turkic peoples found in Turkey, Iran and (until recently) Iraq
- 25 The Troubles (initials)
- 26 Active volcano in Sicily
- 27 Lethal "pit" at *Limp Bizkit* concert
- 28 Wicked giant in John Bunyan's *Pilgrim's Progress* (not Giant Despair, Grim or Slay-Good)
- 30 "All political power grows out the barrel of a gun" Chinese statesman known as the Great Helmsman
- 31 American movie actress greatly vilified for her art (*Santa Claus Conquers the Martians*, *Butterfly* etc.) (first name only please)
- 33 Racist scapegoating or rogue states or Rabbi Schneerson (initials)
- 34 Bronwyn Bishop or Blix Bargeld or *Big Black* (initials)