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Across

- 1 Plans to launch the *Triumph Acclaim* motor car in Germany were dropped when it was realised that it translated into which taboo Nazi salute (literally "hail to victory")? (4, 4)
- 6 *Salo*, the disgusting, banned last film of Pier Paolo Pasolini is based on the writing of which degenerate French author?
- 12 *The Nibelungenlied* or Ted Nugent (initials)
- 13 Racial vilification or Reg Varney (initials)
- 14 Downgraded to lower rank due to incompetence or wrongdoing
- 15 Popular 60s hairdo (especially in African American community)
- 18 First letter of Arabic alphabet
- 20 Lake in Scotland with monster
- 21 Assume prostrate position; disseminate misinformation, fib
- 22 Public disgrace, dishonour or shame
- 25 Extremely English or 88 (initials)
- 26 Unicameral parliament of Israel
- 28 Spanish exclamation
- 29 Odd computer acronym
- 30 The 13th or 15th day of the month in the Roman calendar (when Brutus killed Caesar)
- 31 Initials shared by US president who dropped atom bomb on Hiroshima and Japanese general hanged as war criminal in 1948
- 33 Veteran English director (*Carry On Dick*, *Carry On Camping*, *Carry On up the Khyber* etc., etc., etc.) (initials)
- 34 Automotive part from which amusing nickname of Weary Dunlop derives
- 37 Acclaimed Australian movie (not *Lantana*)
- 40 80s hair product for hold and sheen
- 42 The solar disc worshipped as the *one* God in 14th century BC Egypt during the reign of the pharaoh Akhenaten
- 43 Famous modernist (*Fountain* 1918) (1, 4)
- 44 William Burroughs novel about way cool early years
- 47 An inexorably climbing, creeping plant (not *lantana*)
- 49 Oswald assassination (initials)
- 50 American cold war spy executed for treason at Sing Sing 19th June 1953 (6, 9)
- 52 In (or into) parts (or pieces) (often through violent action)
- 53 Hugely xenophobic (initials)

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Across (contd.)

- 54 Mount Ararat or Mohammed Atta (initials)
- 55 Cambridge traitor (initials)
- 56 Glamorous designer of alluring *Tiger lily* bikini line (first name only please) (before exotic Buddhist-inspired spelling)
- 58 Fred Leuchter (initials)
- 60 Kuwait invasion (initials)
- 61 American Satan (initials)
- 62 A name for the Devil, literally "lord of flies" (in Hebrew)
- 67 Germanic exclamation of surprise or perturbation
- 69 Initials shared by celebrated authors of disparate texts *The Nutty Professor*, *The Boy with Green Hair* and *The Four Fundamental Concepts of Psychoanalysis*
- 70 Hip, groovy
- 71 Gay apparel (initials)
- 72 Vilified German actress (*Der Heilige Berg*, *Die Weisse Holle vom Pitz Palu*) and director (*Triumph des Willens*) (first name only)
- 73 The mediaeval study of devils, demons and satanic possession

Down

- 1 Relentlessly pursue someone you are obsessed with, find out where they live and wait outside etc., etc.
- 2 Poetic codename for 2001 US invasion of Afghanistan (proposed but dropped as blasphemous to Islam in favour of equally offensive *Enduring Freedom*) (8, 7)
- 3 Sticky, viscous substance, gunk
- 4 American cold war spy executed for treason at Sing Sing 19th June 1953 (initials)
- 5 Russian Tsar (4, 3, 8)
- 6 Make unclear or unfit for ceremonial use, pollute, desecrate
- 7 Elijah Mohammed or Edvard Munch or Eric Menendez or Ethel Mertz or Ern Malley or Eddie McGuire (initials)
- 8 Sinister Japanese media conglomerate
- 9 Consumed food, had dinner (or a snack)
- 10 Poetic codename for 1991 US military strike on Iraq (6, 5)
- 11 Famous American car
- 14 A large group of young people who think they know everything publicly airing views
- 16 Name shared by celebrated authors of controversial texts *Heroin*, *The Third Man* and *The Controversy of Zion*

- 17 Sensitive youth bullied at school for unmanly interests such as origami
- 19 1951 Luis Buñuel film (made in Mexico) with unforgettable dream sequence with woman holding large piece of meat (initials)
- 23 General Eisenhower (initials)
- 24 Nuremberg edicts (initials)
- 27 Loosely affiliated social group (as in jet, groovy or film festival)
- 32 Lovely tree (associated with Freddy Krueger)
- 33 Initials shared by disgraced glam rocker and sexual deviant, eccentric Canadian piano virtuoso obsessed with Petula Clark and veteran Australian children's TV entertainer known for blue club act (with Ron Blaskett)
- 35 Brought up, accumulated, caused to become erect (or animate)
- 36 Tasty middle European snack consisting of a piece of dough filled with potato or meat and baked or fried in fat
- 37 Greatly loved Welsh opera singer with deep voice, big smile and designer stubble
- 38 Iraq ultimatum (initials)
- 39 Stirring Sir Edwin Landseer image (4, 2, 3)
- 41 Adorable 60s singing sensation & dolly bird (*To Sir With Love* etc.)
- 45 Mysterious Japanese soldier bodyguard assassin and deadly enemy of Shintaro and Tonbei the Mist
- 46 Acclaim, glory, prestige
- 48 Trouble, perturb, worry ("... not his ghost: O, let him pass; he hates him, that would upon the rack of this tough world stretch him out longer" *King Lear*)
- 50 Cool code-name of Venezuelan terrorist Illich Ramirez Sanchez
- 51 Took place, came to pass, happened
- 57 Evil embargo (initials)
- 59 Luis Buñuel or Linda Blair or *Limp Bizkit* (initials)
- 63 Milanese semiotics professor and author
- 64 US movie actor (*Phantom of the Opera*) with movie actor son of same name (*The Wolfman*) (first name only please)
- 65 *Bahnhof* ... infamous Berlin railway station known for junkies and lowlife
- 66 Iconic Australian boot; warm, comfortable and stylish (named after caveman)
- 68 Horatio Nelson or Herr Nietzsche (initials)
- 69 James Dean or Jacques Derrida or Jason Donovan (initials)