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Across

- 1 Famous Marlene Dietrich role (not plucky saloon singer Frenchy, cross dresser Amy, cold-blooded killer Christine Vole or madam of Mexican bordello Tanya) (4-4)
- 8 Frequently (archaic)
- 11 Run away to get married without involving family
- 12 Famous FBI agent (not J. Edgar Hoover, James Comey or Lemmy Caution)
- 14 Famous altarpiece of Duccio in Sienna
- 16 People regarded as possessing the lowest level of spiritual development and capable consequentially of menial labour only in pitiless Hindu caste system explaining behavioral issues of many telemarketers
- 17 Legendary Hollywood studio boss best known for witticisms about well-attended funeral such as Red Skelton: "It proves what ... always said, "Give the public what they want and they'll come out for it" (initials)
- 18 *The Xavierian* (initials)
- 19 North Vietnam (initials)
- 20 Yellow fever (initials)
- 22 Vitriolic detractor in comments sections or *Facebook* ("Bye bye Jeremy you useless c***" etc.)
- 25 Big dramatic kind of cloud
- 28 Cast iron stove and powerful signifier in English class system
- 29 Great Fred MacMurray role (not inventor Professor Brainard, executive love rat

- J. D. Sheldrake or affable, single parent Steve Douglas) in 1948 noir classic (initials)
- 30 Atmosphere; vibe; expose to public view; piece of folk music often for lute
- 31 Sorrowfully regret
- 32 Victor Noir (initials)
- 33 Alan Seale interview (initials)
- 35 Indelible illustration on body such as spiderweb on elbow or tear drops under eye
- 37 Dramatic way of saying stand up in sword and sandals movie on *Epic Theatre*
- 40 Tony Curtis or Ted Crilly (initials)
- 41 Historic 1958, all-glass, International Style skyscraper at 1 Nicholson St., East Melbourne
- 42 Deadly disease evocative of moral decline indicated in the paintings of William Hogarth by sinister black spots on faces of afflicted
- 43 Inexpensive, local beverage of Indonesia known to cause blindness, coma and death
- 45 Distinctive bulbous Mexican dwelling
- 47 Incapacitated by extreme mirth (1, 1, 1, 1)
- 48 "... .. Why should a dog, a horse, a rat have life, And thou no breath at all? Oh, thou'lt come no more, Never, never, never, never, never" Moving speech in *King Lear* (2, 2, 2, 4)

Down

- 1 Famous Eddie Constantine role (*Cet homme est dangereux, Lemmy pour les dames, Alphaville* etc.) (5, 7)

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- 2 Famous sculptor from Gipps Street, East Melbourne (*The Fairies Tree*) (first name)
- 3 Demented Chicago child killer gaoled for life plus 99 years played by Bradman Dillman in fictionalized 1959 courtroom drama (with Dean Stockwell as spineless accomplice and Orson Welles as loquacious attorney)
- 4 *American Psycho* script (initials)
- 5 Enormously popular buddy film series with Mel Gibson as troubled, Nam vet cop with mullet (6, 6)
- 6 Leigh Majors or *Le Mepris* (initials)
- 7 Mozart, Freud, Arnold Schwarzenegger, Hitler etc.
- 8 Strange, peculiar, uncanny, irregular
- 9 Lovely girl's name (in hippie era)
- 10 Famous Robert De Niro role (not Vito Corleone or Dirty Grandpa) (6, 6)
- 13 Famous Kirsten Dunst role (not Mary Jane Watson, Marie Antoinette or Justine)
- 15 Lauded pundit of Victorian era known for case against papal infallibility and famous aphorism that absolute power corrupts absolutely
- 21 Term from *The Naked and the Dead* invented by Norman Mailer to appease censor while retaining flavour of salty speech of military
- 22 Harvard University or *Hole* unplugged (initials)
- 23 *Endless Night* (initials)
- 24 Famous Julie Harris role (not troubled tomboy "Frankie" Addams, haunted Eleanor Lance or disturbed army wife Alison Langdon) (in 1955 Elia Kazan classic with James Dean)
- 26 Famous Ray Walston role (in delightful 60s TV comedy with Bill Bixby)
- 27 "Your mission should you choose to accept it" Movie franchise with Tom Cruise based on 60s TV show best known for Lalo Schiffrin theme and exploding tape ("This tape will self-destruct in five seconds") (initials)
- 32 1968 Russ Meyer masterwork about libidinous free spirit (without exclamation mark)
- 34 Long stick associated with Alan Hale and Charlton Heston in ripping movie adventures of 1938 and 1956 (respectively)
- 36 Albert Camus or Alex Chilton (initials)
- 38 Famous movie cop (not Harry Callahan, John MacLane, Martin Riggs or Fatty Lohmann)
- 39 Name shared by country musician Scruggs and sedevacantist pope Pulvermacher (elected Pius XIII in Montana in 1988)
- 44 Title held by Clovis I, Pepin the Short and Ubu