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### Across

- 1 Surreal goal of search by crew of ten (all with names starting with B) in nonsense poem by Lewis Carrol (subtitled *An Agony in 8 Fits*)
- 5 Illegitimate son of Creusa (by Apollo) in Euripides play known for radical questioning of right of gods to interfere in human affairs and dramatic *deus ex machina* resolving issue at end
- 6 Legendary 2003 black comedy romcom with Ben Affleck and Jennifer Lopez as lovable mobsters notable for riveting train wreck quality and critical comment such as “rarely has a movie that doesn’t star Madonna achieved such a skin-crawling mixture of deluded preening and bungled humour” etc.
- 8 Inestimably long period of time such as Hindu yuga or *Shoah*
- 9 Most famous painting from Norway (Norwegian title please)

### Down

- 1 Bridge in Venice named by Lord Byron after audible grief of prisoners passing over it (from ducal palace to dungeon) with replica in Oxford referenced (with dreaming spires) in *Itchycoo Park* by *The Small Faces*
- 2 Controversial US organization associated with Wallace Fard, Elijah Muhammad, Malcolm X, Muhammad Ali, Louis X (later Farrakhan), Thomas Hagan AKA Talmadge X Hayer, Norman 3X Butler and William 25X Bradley etc., etc. (initials)
- 3 Trailblazing, nonagenarian experimental filmmaker known for homoerotic art films (*Scorpio Rising*, *Inauguration of the Pleasure Dome* etc.) and arresting *Lucifer* tattoo on chest
- 4 Famous commandant (not Höß, Kramer, Stangl or Koch)
- 7 Land of Israel (initials)