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Across

- 1** “I was approaching my thirty-third year, the age Christ was crucified. A wholly new life lay before me, had I the courage to risk all. Actually there was nothing to risk: I was at the bottom rung of the ladder, a failure in every sense of the word” Henry Miller novel (subtitled *The Rosy Crucifixion*)
- 5** Title assumed by Iranian autocrat Mohammad Reza Pahlavi after removal of elected leader Mohammad Mosaddegh in CIA coup in 1953
- 9** Yuan Xiang (initials)
- 10** Robert Oppenheimer *or* Roy Orbison (initials)
- 11** *Lola ...* Sultry nightclub singer played by Marlene Dietrich in lurid sadomasochistic masterwork of Josef von Sternberg (also *Kinks* classic “She walked up to me and she asked me to dance. I asked her name and in a dark brown voice she said ...”)
- 12** WW2 ethnic slur as seem on *McHale’s Navy*
- 14** “O Freunde, nicht diese Töne!” Alternate name by which Beethoven’s ninth symphony is known
- 15** Archaic expression of grief or despair (often in conjunction with “alas”)
- 17** Initials shared by spectral Swedish actor best known in role of Death in *The Seventh Seal* and friend of Noddy in Enid Blyton stories in Toy Town (not Golly)
- 18** Possessing a deep-seated mistrust and squeamishness about foreigners
- 21** Sticky substance used to stick things together or the act of using it (to stick things together)
- 22** Initials shared by authors of disparate texts *The Scarlet Letter* and *Cum On Feel the Noize*

- 23** Cryptic dedication by T. E. Lawrence in *Seven Pillars of Wisdom*
- 25** Russian newspaper (Russian for truth)
- 27** An attractive young woman such as Barbara Windsor in *Carry on Camping*
- 29** Lose sentience and animation
- 30** Arcane theological term signifying first covenant with G-d
- 33** Sinister itemized “plan” devised by Haganah in 1948 to empty Arab villages and seize land beyond borders defined in UN Partition Plan in preparation for British withdrawal and end of Mandate (called the blueprint for ethnic cleansing of Palestine) (“D” in Hebrew)
- 34** Name shared by schizophrenic math genius (played by Russel Crowe in biopic) and laid back English American rock musician (*CSN*)

Down

- 1** Religious service in eastern church (for Holy Glorious Prophet, Baptist and Forerunner John or Holy Theotokos or Holy Archangels etc.)
- 2** The state of having been driven from one’s homeland
- 3** Mesopotamian home of Abraham and Lot before leaving to take up divine inheritance in someone else’s homeland
- 4** Political figure or pundit whose positions and statements infallibly support agendas of undisclosed backers (Marco Rubio “Banning all semi-auto weapons... is a position well outside the mainstream”) (also Nikki Haley “Obviously I believe that the capital should be Jerusalem etc.”) (4, 6)

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- 5** Cute Serbian nickname
- 6** Obscure alternate biblical name for Sinai
- 7** French for in the manner of (*Homard ... Americaine* etc.) (1, 2)
- 8** The complete body of Jewish law
- 13** Sudden, stabbing sensation of physical or mental pain
- 16** Lawrence, Gaddafi, Kurtz, Klink, Mustard (abbrev.)
- 19** Idumean Roman client king of Judaea known for enlarging the Temple and massacring the Innocents
- 20** Endangered variety of Madagascan lemurs with distinctive starey look
- 24** Large, hot, exotic continent with spicy food
- 26** “O sole god like whom there is no other!” Solar disc worshipped in Egypt as the one god in monotheistic cult of 14th century BCE (depicted with rays emanating from it with a little hand on each end)
- 28** Slimy fish enjoyed by English
- 29** David Duke *or* Donnie Darko *or* Diana Dors (initials)
- 31** Nelson Algren (initials)
- 32** US movie actor known for conservative politics and roles as Moses, Michelangelo, John the Baptist, General Charles “Chinese” Gordon, Ramon Miguel Vargas, George Taylor and Detective Frank Thorn (initials)