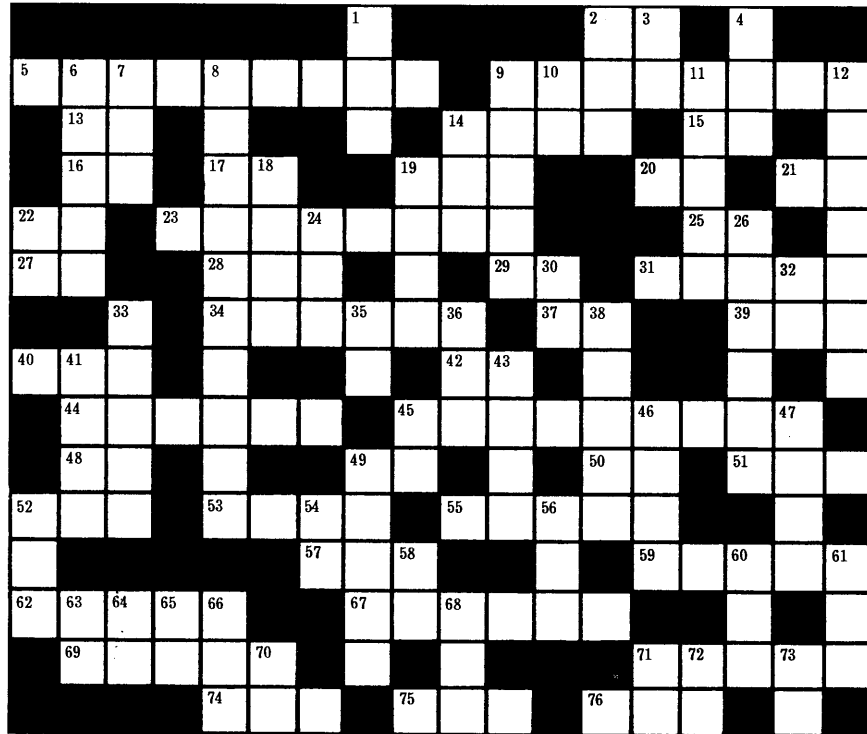


CHRISTMAS CROSSWORD PUZZLE

by Emily Croom



ACROSS

- 2 Nickname for Mother
- 5 Celebration of Jesus' birth
- 9 Animal pulling Santa's sled
- 13 Sound of delight or fright
- 14 What we give at Christmas
- 15 Abbreviation for route
- 16 Abbreviation for road
- 17 Abbreviation for state south of Virginia
- 19 Pleasure, enjoyment
- 20 Nickname for Father
- 21 Abbreviation for advertisement
- 22 Behold!
- 23 Hung in hopes of receiving gifts in it
- 25 Radio term, frequency modulation
- 27 Abbreviation for ANNO DOMINI, the year of our Lord
- 28 Girl's name
- 29 Abbreviation for saint
- 31 Word used for place where Jesus was born
- 34 Christmas songs
- 37 Exclamation of surprise
- 39 "I in my kerchief & Ma in her cap had just settled down for a long winter's _____"
- 40 What Scrooge always said about Christmas
- 42 Plural ending for some words
- 44 Round decoration hung on doors at Christmas
- 45 Town where Jesus was born
- 48 First two vowels in alphabet
- 49 First person plural pronoun

- 50 Sixth note in singing scale
- 51 Light shed by sun or star
- 52 Yes
- 53 It led the Wise Men
- 55 Sounds of a donkey
- 57 Crippled boy in Dickens' "Christmas Carol"
- 59 Platters for carrying food
- 62 Number of Santa's reindeer
- 67 Some of us do this at Christmas
- 69 We decorate these at Christmas
- 71 We send these at Christmas
- 74 At the present time
- 75 Feeling of happiness and gladness associated with Christmas
- 76 Santa's helper

DOWN

- 1 Jesus' first mattress
- 2 What some boys receive at Christmas (. . .t)
- 3 Indefinite article
- 4 To receive
- 6 King who reigned when Jesus was born
- 7 Color associated with Christmas
- 8 Deliverer of gifts to children
- 9 "my true love gave to me 5 gold _____"
- 10 Fifth and sixth letters of alphabet
- 11 Air current
- 12 The red-nosed reindeer
- 14 Weapon used by hunters
- 18 In music, closing part of piece
- 19 What Santa does to stockings

- 22 Abbreviation for state east of Texas
- 24 A favorite toy at Christmas
- 26 Jesus' bed
- 30 Preposition showing direction or intention
- 32 Abbreviation for state south of Arkansas
- 33 Number of Wise Men
- 35 Exclamation of surprise
- 36 To look, observe, watch
- 38 Decorative green plant used at Christmas
- 41 "_____ in a Manger"
- 43 "Not a creature was _____-ring, not even a mouse."
- 45 Verb which gives us I am, you are, he is
- 46 "There came Wise Men from the _____"
- 47 Mother of Jesus
- 49 We _____ "thank-you" notes after Christmas
- 52 Feeling of great wonder
- 54 Preposition showing location
- 56 Past tense, to eat
- 58 Abbreviation for mister
- 60 Substance we breathe
- 61 Relative to visit at Christmas
- 63 Neuter pronoun
- 64 Abbreviation for Greek
- 65 Masculine pronoun
- 66 "My true love gave to me _____ lords a-leaping."
- 68 In the past
- 70 Fifth note of scale (. . . l)
- 71 Roman numerals, 150
- 72 Abbreviation for Air Force
- 73 Roman numerals, 505

Turn page for answers.

ANSWERS:

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| ACROSS: | 51. Ray | 24. Car |
| 2. Ma | 52. Aye | 26. Manger |
| 5. Christmas | 53. Star | 30. To |
| 9. Reindeer | 55. Brays | 32. LA |
| 13. ee | 57. Tim | 33. Three |
| 14. Gift | 59. Trays | 35. Oh |
| 15. Rt. | 62. Eight | 36. See |
| 16. Rd. | 67. Travel | 38. Holly |
| 17. N.C. | 69. Trees | 41. Away |
| 19. Fun | 71. Cards | 43. Stir |
| 20. Pa | 74. Now | 45. Be |
| 21. Ad | 75. Joy | 46. East |
| 22. Lo | 76. Elf | 47. Mary |
| 23. Stocking | DOWN: | 49. Write |
| 25. FM | 1. Hay | 52. Awe |
| 27. AD | 2. Mit | 54. At |
| 28. Ada | 3. An | 56. Ate |
| 29. St. | 4. Get | 58. Mr. |
| 31. Stall | 6. Herod | 60. Air |
| 34. Carols | 7. Red | 61. Sis |
| 37. Oh | 8. Santa Claus | 63. It |
| 38. Nap | 9. Rings | 64. Gr. |
| 40. Bah | 10. E F | 65. He |
| 42. es | 11. Draft | 66. Ten |
| 44. Wreath | 12. Rudolph | 68. Ago |
| 45. Bethlehem | 14. Gun | 70. So |
| 48. A E | 18. Coda | 71. CL |
| 49. We | 19. Fill | 72. AF |
| 50. La | 22. LA | 73. DV |

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