

ACROSS

- 1) Knight wear
- 6) Place of pilgrimage
- 11) Scoutmaster, often
- 14) Puppeteer Lewis
- 15) Asian nurses
- 16) Samurai's sash
- 17) Formal greetings
- 19) Day break?
- 20) When the train may stop?
- 21) Before, to bards
- 22) Kitchen meas.
- 23) Hindu retreats
- 27) Type of operation
- 29) "So that's your game, huh?"
- 30) "Follow me!"
- 32) Stupefy
- 33) Not T-shirt weather
- 34) Mortise filler
- 36) Packs away
- 39) "What I have here"
- 41) Drying out program
- 43) Crushing blow
- 44) State in India
- 46) Bubbly drinks
- 48) Take off
- 49) Camera diaphragm
- 51) Like some loads
- 52) Eggs in a lab
- 53) Parts of the human population
- 56) Revived
- 58) "___ be an honor"
- 59) Utmost (Abbr.)
- 60) Government procurement org.
- 61) Farm sound
- 62) Enjoying Broadway, perhaps
- 68) Quaint place to stay
- 69) Say "nothin'," e.g.
- 70) ___-cotta
- 71) Start of a giggle
- 72) Church assembly
- 73) County by the Thames

DOWN

- 1) Certain residue
- 2) Fraternity letter
- 3) Big mouth
- 4) Command
- 5) It may be read before a punishment
- 6) Long-time Chinese Chairman
- 7) Ostrich cousin
- 8) Citadel student
- 9) Line for a Broadway show?
- 10) States as true
- 11) Why people can't do some things
- 12) Ridicule
- 13) Likably silly
- 18) Talk incessantly
- 23) Major blood artery
- 24) Persian potentates
- 25) Question for a magician
- 26) Loudness units
- 28) Bolt partners
- 31) "Absolutely not!"
- 35) Lowest point
- 37) Voluntarily forgo
- 38) Ending for "farm" or "home"
- 40) Wrapped garment
- 42) No-goodnik
- 45) Subtraction signs
- 47) Having feeling
- 50) To the exclusion of all else
- 53) End, as of one's patience
- 54) Make reparations
- 55) Large beer mug
- 57) Goes effortlessly
- 63) Promising words
- 64) Nancy Drew's boyfriend
- 65) Brief time units
- 66) Bonanza find
- 67) Candle makeup

A SIMPLE QUESTION

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