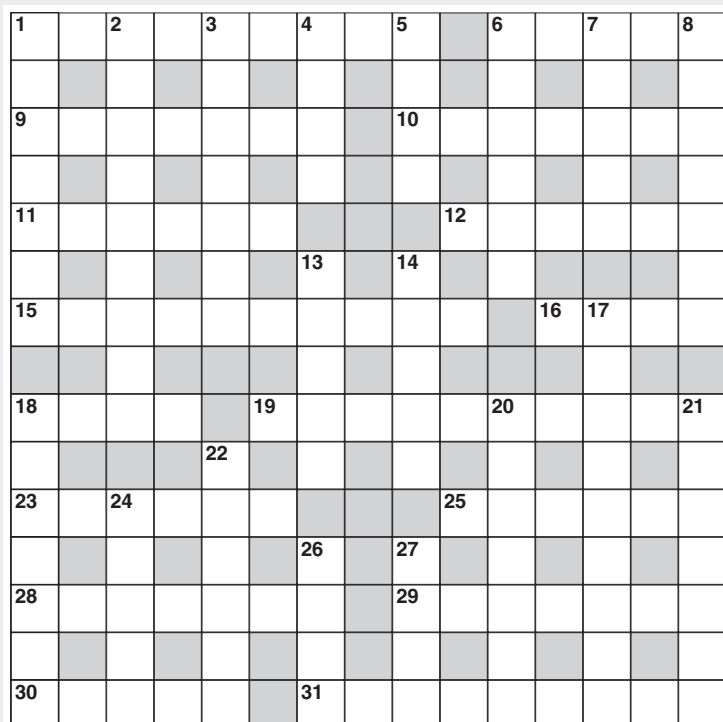


The Hindu Crossword 7749



Across

- 1 Made known that the letter is not an open one (9)
- 6 Hotel designed to impress (5)
- 9 Model of excellence whether it be pagan or

- believer (7)
- 10 Necessitates a silent order (7)
- 11 Sort of barney not far off (6)
- 12 Decree presented to fall back and decline (6)
- 15 Means of support can

- be sent to us someday (10)
- 16 Short for is not (4)
- 18 Dash to weaken the spirit (4)
- 19 Ground for contest of speed and betting (10)
- 23 Domestic storm centre (6)
- 25 Rescue to be free from anxiety (6)
- 28 Plan amended but looks overstrained (7)
- 29 Think I can dig silver from a mine (7)
- 30 He could be with the golfer heartlessly the whole day (5)
- 31 Have to take air journey at dawn and dusk (4,5)

- 14 Bring pressure to bear on (5)
- 17 Beginning to appear out in spring (9)
- 18 Caustic ones among broken down carts (7)
- 20 Super cover for some dirty work (7)
- 21 First principle in an electric heater (7)
- 22 Mental unsoundness attributed to changes of the moon (6)
- 24 Supplemented and summed up (5)
- 26 Pinched some part of a foot (4)
- 27 Something disagreeable that has to be endured quietly when ill (4)

Down

- 1 Sped off around the finish and is suspended (7)
- 2 Went beyond in excellence (9)
- 3 Easy to read letter from artful Lee (7)
- 4 Make note to sign off (4)
- 5 Unfathomable pit (4)
- 6 Tag her to somehow bring together everyone (6)
- 7 In a leg movement I am in the middle (5)
- 8 Set up disc to cut into pieces (7)
- 13 Conceited young woman (5)

Solution to puzzle 7748

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