

## Season's Greetings 2016

## How to Solve

Answer the CLUES (**A** through **S**) and transfer letters (e.g., M-68) to the corresponding square in the GRID (68-M). Work in both directions, using the pieces you have solved to help you guess more of the puzzle.

**Bonus prize**: The first letter of the CLUES, reading downward, will reveal the source book and author – this year with **initials** and **surname**.

1 B	2M	30		4M	5L	6Q	7 I	8K		9K	10B	11R	12A	
13L	14P	15H	16 I		17C	18L	19N	20L	21A		22E	23N	24D	25O
26J		27H	28C	29B		30H	31A	32L	33D	34S		35G	36H	37J
38S		39A	40H	41F	42R	43E	44 I		45K	46D	47 I	48H	49J	50Q
	51B	52L	53F		54C	55G	56N		57Q	58M	59K	60S	61R	62D
	63S	64H	65L	66J	67P	68M I	69G	70S		71P	72Q	73M	74H	75N
	76N	77J		78D	79E		80P	81H	82Q	83F	84J		85A	86O
87K		88D	89C	90L	91A	92C	93M		94R	95F	96P	97E	98N	
99N	100E	101B		102 I	103J	104A	105B	106E	107C	108L		109F	110Q	111J
112K	1130		114E	115G	116 I	117S		118F		119N	120R	121P	122L	123G
124N	125M	1260	127R		128G	129P	130F	131 I	132Q	133G	134D	135M		

<b>A.</b>	Biggest	21	31	104	91	12	39	85			
B.	Think, some think				51						
C.	Small bird, or disease	54	92	89	107	' 17	28				
D.	Found in a dam or jet	78	46	62	88	24	134	33			
E.	Skinny, scoop, dirt	43	<del>7</del> 9	22	97	106	114	100			
F.	Erased	130	109	41	118	83	95	53			
G.	Hoping, dreaming	35	133	123	55	<u></u>	69	128			
Н.	At a convenient time	81	30	74	40	15	27	64	48	36	
I.	Unresolved question	<del></del>	44	102	116	131	47	16			
J.	Encourages*	103	77		84			37	66		
K.	Latest				112			3,			
L.	An Antarctic island							100	10		<u></u>
M.	Greater						_I _			3	03
N.	Unbelieving							73			
0.	Restraint	99	124	23	56	76 —	98	75	19	119	
Р.	Type of school	25	3	126	113	86					
Q.	External	71	67	96	129	80	14	121			
R.	Beat repeatedly	6	82	132	57	110	72	50			
	Academic arguments	42	94	11	61	127	120				
S.	Academic arguments	60	117	38	34	70	63				

<sup>\*</sup>Very obsolete, my apologies.