



## *2018 Christmas Crosstic*

### *How to Solve*

Answer the **CLUES (A through BB)** and transfer letters (e.g., K-153) to the corresponding square in the **GRID (153-K)**. Work in both directions, using the pieces you have solved to help you guess more of the puzzle.

**Bonus:** The first letter of the **CLUES**, reading downward, will reveal the source of the quote.

1Z	2P	3O		4Y	5J		6W	7V	8S		9V	10P		11H	12R	13G	14X	15F	16Q	17O	18U	
19B	20O	21AA		22S	23W	24C	25J	—	26O	27R	28Z	29U	30H	31M		32S	33T		34M	35U	36L	
37B	38M	39Y	40X		41D	42B	43H	44V		45L	46A	47BB	48W		49K	50A	51R	52C	53X	54V		55U
56E		57V	58E	59BB	60I	61U	62AA	63R		64L	65R	66D	67U		68S	69N	70X	71Z		72J	73AA	74G
	75I	76H	77G	78D		79P	80A	81T	82AA	83U		84Q	85O	86T	87O	88Y	89I	90J		91Z	92W	
		93A	94N	95V		96V	97M	98E	99I	100F		101B	102Y	103H	104V	105G	106Y	107F	108C	109J		
				110N	111D	112W	113G		114L	115X	116BB	117O	118F	119J	120G	121R	122M	123W				
124U	125Q	126G		127J		128BB	129A	130B	131S	132I	,	133P		134D	135E	136K	137AA	138G				
139R	140C	141N	142W		143F	144AA		145R	146L	147X	148H	149K	150Y	151V	152Q		153K	154T	155O			
		156I	157AA	158Y	159F		160L	161A	162U		163E	164AA	165V		166W	167Z	168N	169S				
170W	171S	172O	173T	174B	—	175G	176D	177V	178Q	179H		180D		181AA	182D	183S	184M					

A. Creator 80 129 93 46 50 161

B. \_\_\_\_ the Redeemer 101 37 174 42 130 19

C. Listen! 140 108 24 52

D. Fan of monarchs? 111 176 78 182 134 180 66 41

E. With this ring... (2 words) 135 163 58 98 56

F. Forgery? 118 107 15 100 143 159

G. Property statement? 126 113 105 13 120 175 74 77 138

H. With cheer and joy 148 11 103 30 76 43 179

I. Become harmonious 99 156 75 60 132 89

J. Job judged on looks? 109 72 5 25 127 90 119

K. Chasm 136 149 49 F 153

L. Tweak 160 114 64 146 36 45

M. More impulsive? 97 38 31 34 184 122

N. Bendy 168 69 110 94 141

O. Catch 85 172 26 155 17 20 3 117 87

P. Former House Speaker 2 10 79 133

Q. Fool 152 125 16 84 178

R. Change 145 65 139 27 63 121 51 12

S. With gusto 171 22 131 32 183 8 68 169

T. Noble gas 81 173 33 154 86

U. The 5<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> centuries 124 29 83 35 61 55 67 162 18

V. Folks in the Age of Reason 95 7 44 104 96 9 57 151 177 165 54

W. Edsel or Zamboni 112 170 6 92 48 142 166 23 123

X. Edit; revise 147 53 14 115 40 70

Y. Drone on 4 88 39 106 102 158 150

Z. Think out loud 1 28 91 167 71

AA. Villainous phrase 137 144 181 73 82 164 62 21 157

BB. Cat's \_\_\_\_ 128 47 59 116