

2003 Holiday Anacrostic

Directions: Read the clues and fill in the blanks at right. After you have a few words, transfer the letters to the matching numbered squares in the grid (see example). You only need a few words to get started. Work back and forth between the grid and the clues until you solve the puzzle. **Hint:** the first letters of the clues (*reading down*) spell out the author and source.
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A. "I _____ as I wander..."

— 3 186 59 153 14 104 —

B. Impulse, stimulus, force

— 84 172 106 78 157 80 113 —

C. "The cattle are _____"

— 193 142 213 182 94 65 —

D. Rise by magic, as reindeer do

— 139 112 10 40 61 75 111 70 —

E. _____ facto

— 19 148 126 191 —

F. _____, dust to dust (3 words)

— 9 88 38 26 20 — 49 136
— 58 181 69 2 77 —

G. Blue, harvest, full and half

— 143 4 79 119 82 —

H. Separate the wheat from this

— 123 18 22 100 36 —

I. Giggle or guffaw

— 6 160 103 170 25 —

J. For some, it's Heaven

— 156 203 87 162 39 151 76 133 66 —

K. Santa's parking spot

— 85 132 73 45 —

L. Kin's standard companion

— 140 50 68 166 —

M. Snag, hitch, or glitch

— 178 105 129 37 155 —

N. An adventure, e.g., a picnic

— 102 115 42 99 64 52 —

O. Corroded, as a nail

— 90 198 185 164 34 —

P. Precise, terse

— 134 150 17 146 101 —

Q. One of the Poles (careful!)

— 205 114 144 165 171 —

R. Chances, likelihood

— 149 209 131 12 —

S. Light as a _____	<u>211</u> <u>130</u> <u>47</u> <u>24</u> <u>206</u> <u>175</u> <u>122</u>
T. Bride's fortune; widow's share	<u>200</u> <u>89</u> <u>1</u> <u>159</u> <u>137</u>
U. Incoming information	<u>127</u> <u>208</u> <u>107</u> <u>169</u> <u>183</u>
V. Christmas tree holder	S <u>189</u> <u>33</u> <u>210</u> <u>125</u> <u>195</u>
W. Roast these on an open fire	<u>145</u> <u>62</u> <u>212</u> <u>141</u> <u>29</u> <u>120</u> <u>5</u> <u>16</u> <u>48</u>
X. "Do not _____ before X-mas"	<u>216</u> <u>190</u> <u>194</u> <u>176</u>
Y. Watch; see; behold	<u>92</u> <u>110</u> <u>46</u> <u>56</u>
Z. Just before the Book of Job	<u>152</u> <u>218</u> <u>72</u> <u>8</u> <u>93</u> <u>174</u>
AA.Over and over and over and...	<u>167</u> <u>179</u> <u>13</u> <u>108</u> <u>217</u> <u>86</u> <u>109</u> <u>63</u> <u>31</u> <u>91</u>
BB.In days of _____; yesteryear	<u>184</u> <u>135</u> <u>96</u> <u>11</u>
CC.A fashionable Christian	<u>55</u> <u>204</u> <u>35</u> <u>74</u>
DD.Not outside	<u>118</u> <u>27</u> <u>180</u> <u>43</u> <u>7</u> <u>201</u>
EE.Verdi opera title	<u>28</u> <u>163</u> <u>21</u> <u>97</u>
FF.Worth a king's _____	<u>81</u> <u>207</u> <u>199</u> <u>41</u> <u>168</u> <u>187</u>
GG.The wild, blue _____	<u>23</u> <u>124</u> <u>51</u> <u>202</u> <u>138</u> <u>214</u>
HH.Rams' fans?	<u>121</u> <u>158</u> <u>188</u> <u>128</u>
II.Rhinologist's area	<u>15</u> <u>197</u> <u>147</u> <u>173</u>
JJ.This puzzle is a family _____	<u>98</u> <u>71</u> <u>54</u> <u>117</u> <u>30</u> <u>161</u> <u>32</u> <u>215</u> <u>44</u>
KK.Not left	<u>116</u> <u>67</u> <u>95</u> <u>53</u> <u>154</u>
LL.Yahoo! Zowie! Hot-diggity-dog!	<u>60</u> <u>192</u> <u>83</u> <u>196</u> <u>177</u> <u>57</u>

