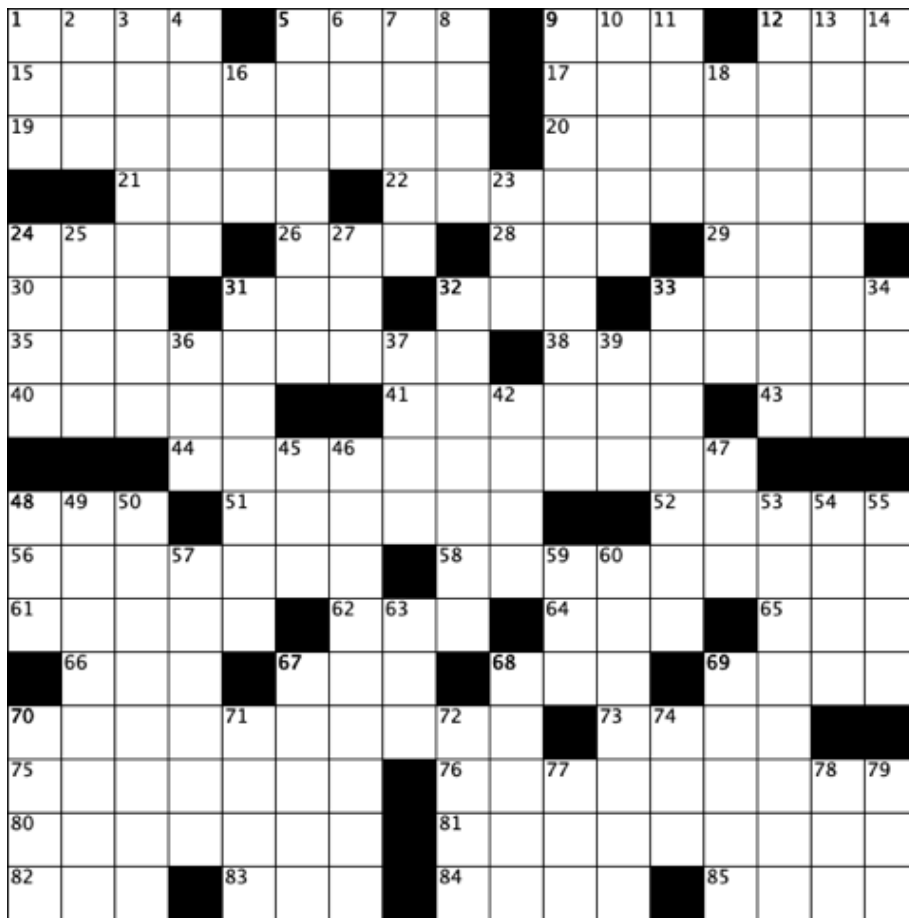


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A classic song hit #1 on January 15, 1972 and has stayed lodged in our hearts and imaginations ever since. Full of imagery and mystery, it illuminates a bittersweet passage in our shared history as few songs ever have...



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ACROSS

1 Testing phase
5 Total failure
9 Producer's hope
12 Peaks: abbr.
15 Refreshing coffeehouse option
17 Professional tennis since 1968
19 *He wrote 44-Across and debuted it at Temple University*
20 South American marmoset
21 Mythical queen of Carthage
22 *New York town where 19-Across began writing 44-Across*
24 Lose sleep (over)
26 Negative vote
28 Greek goddess of dawn
29 "Lord, is ___?"
30 Belonging to us
31 Harmless skin growth
32 Removable locks?
33 Brutus: "There is ___ in the affairs of men..."
35 *With 58-Across, an iconic phrase from 44-Across*
38 Fruit that grows in bunches
40 Gavel banger's cry
41 Brusque
43 Econ. barometer
44 *Single released in December 1971 that reached #1 on the Billboard Charts on January 15, 1972*
48 Mojito base
51 WWII prison camp
52 How pastrami is often served
56 Agitated
58 *See 35-Across*
61 Start of the Nuevo Testamento
62 Desperate transmission
64 Do a theater job, informally
65 Walk softly

66 "Hoo-boy!"
67 Bot. or biol.
68 Meadowland
69 Far from Ruddy
70 *To whom the album, also titled 44-Across, was dedicated*
73 Painter of melting watches
75 Series of private performances?
76 *The loss of this is 44-Across's theme*
80 Change the direction of, as traffic
81 Shoe insert
82 RB's gains
83 Hi-___ monitor
84 Granny
85 It may slide or revolve

DOWN

1 Bit of eBay input
2 Earth-friendly prefix
3 Offered in payment
4 Confess
5 "Hogwash!"
6 Salt Lake City athlete
7 Keach who portrayed Mike Hammer
8 "... a ___'clock scholar"
9 Ballpark treat's doughy holder
10 "Not for me, thanks"
11 Office fill-in
12 Worthy of
13 Tobago's island neighbor
14 Caroled, perhaps
16 TV screen type
18 Tokyo airport
23 Flower garland
24 Snapshot, in ad-speak
25 German coal valley
27 Raid target
31 Becomes more fond of
32 Monitor toppers
33 Ohio college named for the ancient capital of Syria
34 Clairvoyant's claim
36 "Narcos" org.
37 Pelting precipitation
39 Twitch or Yelp

42 Hearty pasta sauce brand
45 Summer on the Seine
46 Crude test results in a classroom
47 Word after bitter or split
48 Canyon's edge
49 Not laughing at the joke
50 Ones accepting charges?
53 Scolds severely
54 "All right!"
55 Small whirlpool
57 Phrase on a mailing label
59 Take to court
60 "Mother of Modern Dance" ___ Duncan
63 Frying medium
67 "On the Beach" novelist Nevil
68 "Wonder Woman" star Carter
69 Went over like ___ balloon
70 Completely repress
71 Part of BYOB
72 Savanna stalker
74 Tennis feat
77 Denial in Dijon
78 Corp. VIP
79 Goof up

