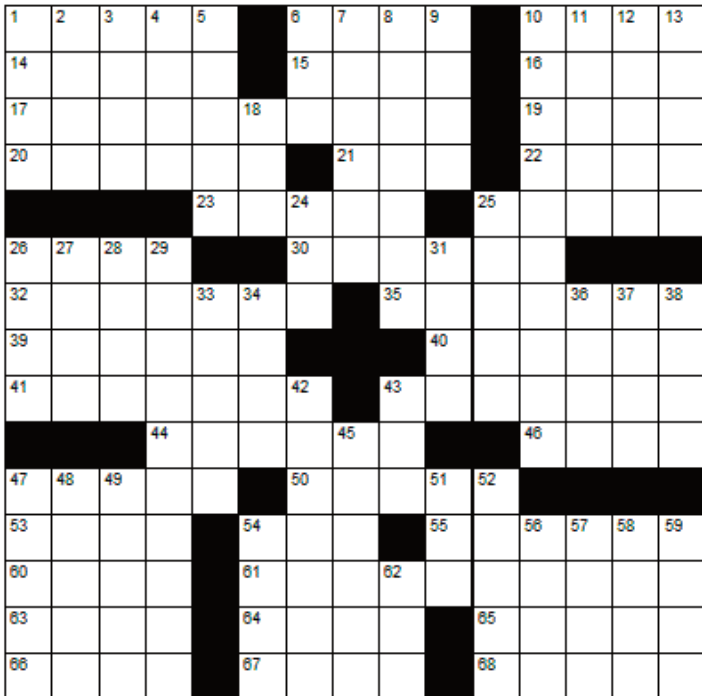


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ACROSS

- 1. Reef material
- 6. Precious stones
- 10. Rodents
- 14. Licoricelike flavor
- 15. Found in some lotions
- 16. Biblical kingdom
- 17. Purification
- 19. Departed
- 20. What's left behind
- 21. By means of
- 22. Cain's brother
- 23. Beginning
- 25. Seize
- 26. Bluefin
- 30. Made noises while sleeping
- 32. An ardent early supporter
- 35. A 19th century art movement
- 39. A dwarfed ornamental tree
- 40. Ring around the nipple
- 41. Smiled contemptuously
- 43. Quartz
- 44. A musical composition
- 46. Identical
- 47. Anxiety
- 50. Foot lever
- 53. Residence hall
- 54. Female pronoun
- 55. Highly seasoned fatty sausage

- 60. Double-reed woodwind
- 61. Bowels
- 63. Scheme
- 64. Untruths
- 65. Barbarous
- 66. Canvas dwelling
- 67. Container weight
- 68. Urgency

DOWN

- 1. Concern
- 2. 1 1 1 1
- 3. Break in friendly relations
- 4. Largest continent
- 5. Slowly, in music
- 6. A leg (slang)
- 7. 1 less than a dozen
- 8. Watch closely
- 9. Bristle
- 10. In spite of everything
- 11. Pueblo brick
- 12. Notes
- 13. Refine metal
- 18. Poetic dusk
- 24. South southeast
- 25. Tired
- 26. Checks
- 27. Atop
- 28. Not a single one
- 29. Appraisal
- 31. Back
- 33. Fortuneteller's card

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Poet's corner

Tony Bardon is a retired chartered accountant, originally from Co Laois but living in Rathfarnham for nearly 40 years.

Now that he has more time, he is following his passions in his life – songwriting, poetry and golf. He has been writing songs for many years and was runner-up in the National Song Contest as far back as 1971.

He also composed and sang parodies on Joe Duffy's Funny Friday Show for a number of years.

Over the years, Tony has been writing the occasional poem, but he is now taking it more seriously and he joined the Tallaght Group Platform One last year.

"I find it is a very stimulating environment to be in and I have benefited from their constructive criticism, which for me is the key to growth as a poet. I enjoy writing poetry, as it is another opportunity to craft words but without the restrictions of the song format".

Tony is also a member of the Marley Poetry Group. His songs can be found on www.tonybardon.com



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*I was found by you
 You were found by me
 From among seven billion others
 Our energies attracting
 And engaging one another*

*I am alive to you
 You are alive to me
 No longer distant strangers
 Our energies entwining
 As love dispels the dangers*

*I am lost in you
 You are lost in me
 Now we no longer exist
 Our energies transcending
 In a moment of cosmic bliss*

*I am dead to you
 You are dead to me
 So soon a resurrection
 Has returned us to our mortality
 Imperfects still seeking perfection*

*I am lost to you
 You are lost to me
 Once more we are on our own
 On our separate sacred journeys
 To our universal home*

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