Acrostic Puzzles for Adults

60 Quote Puzzles: Solve the Clues, Fill the Grid and Reveal a Classic Quote, Answers Included

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How to Play

Each puzzle hides a classic quote. Solve the clues and write each answer in the boxes beside it, one letter per box.

Every box has a number under it. Copy each letter into the grid square with the same number. The letter in the corner of each grid square tells you which clue it comes from.

Black squares are the spaces between words. As the quote appears you can work backwards: a word in the grid that is almost done gives you letters for the clues.

Every letter of the quote is used exactly once, checked by computer. Answers are at the back.

Puzzle 1

A quote by Will Rogers

1	M	2	H	3	G			4	J	5	B	6	E	7	M	8	A	9	K			10	J	11	C	12	L		
13	L	14	L	15	I			16	D	17	J	18	K	19	C			20	B	21	F	22	H	23	H	24	M	25	J
26	D	27	C			28	L	29	J	30	G	31	K	32	L			33	M	34	K	35	M			36	K	37	J
38	E			39	H	40	K			41	F	42	B	43	H			44	G	45	A	46	I	47	F	48	J		
49	J	50	F	51	I			52	E	53	A	54	D	55	G	56	E	57	D	58	I			59	B	60	C	61	A
62	L	63	I	64	K	65	E	66	H																				

A. Free of impurities

53	61	45	8	

B. Floating marker in the water

20	42	5	59	

C. Pink and cheerful, as cheeks

11	60	27	19	

D. A musical composition

16	54	57	26	

E. Relating to the fleet

38	52	6	56	65	

F. Person, place or thing

47	41	21	50	

G. Run away

44	55	30	3	

H. Scraps or brawls

66	23	39	2	43	22	

I. Gave medicine to

58	46	63	15	51	

J. Something detested

10	17	37	48	29	25	4	49	

K. Picnic ice chests

36	40	34	18	64	31	9	

L. Castrated male sheep

28	12	13	14	32	62	

M. Being as one

35	24	7	1	33	

Puzzle 2

A quote by Georg W. F. Hegel

1 A	2 D	3 D	4 E	5 H	6 I	7 A		8 A	9 H	10 C	11 B	12 G		13 F
14 C		15 K	16 J	17 J		18 E	19 H	20 E	21 F	22 F		23 K	24 G	25 E
	26 H	27 C	28 I	29 H		30 F	31 E	32 B	33 H		34 J	35 D	36 G	37 I
38 I	39 I	40 D	41 C	42 J	43 I	44 I	45 J		46 K	47 A	48 H	49 B	50 A	51 F
52 G		53 B	54 H	55 E	56 B	57 K	58 E	59 A						

A. Head, informally

1	50	7	8	47	59

B. Stage in a process

53	49	11	56	32

C. Climbing grape plant

27	41	14	10

D. Lump of blood

35	40	2	3

E. Brief spring rains

55	4	58	18	31	20	25

F. Construct

30	51	13	21	22

G. Skill at saying the right thing

12	24	36	52

H. Front

54	33	48	26	9	5	19	29

I. Basic speech sound

39	43	37	6	44	38	28

J. Side of a coin with a face

16	17	34	45	42

K. Tiny bit

46	23	57	15

Puzzle 3

A quote by John Dryden

1 **E**	2 **J**	3 **A**	4 **H**	5 **H**	6 **E**		7 **H**	8 **F**		9 **G**		10 **H**	11 **F**	12 **I**
13 **G**	14 **C**	15 **K**		16 **K**	17 **B**	18 **J**		19 **J**	20 **G**	21 **K**		22 **E**	23 **C**	24 **K**
	25 **F**	26 **B**	27 **A**	28 **J**	29 **J**		30 **I**	31 **I**		32 **D**	33 **F**	34 **A**	35 **F**	36 **I**
37 **A**		38 **J**	39 **D**	40 **I**	41 **A**	42 **B**	43 **I**		44 **H**	45 **G**		46 **D**	47 **H**	48 **C**
49 **C**		50 **E**	51 **B**	52 **D**	53 **H**	54 **I**								

A. Predict, or foretell

3	41	37	27	34

B. Company symbol

51	17	42	26

C. Good fortune

48	23	14	49

D. Has as property

52	46	39	32

E. Fiber in whole grain cereal

22	1	50	6

F. Tale to tell

8	33	35	11	25

G. Ancient Roman robe

13	45	20	9

H. Things people do

47	10	44	7	5	53	4

I. Shockingly evil

43	54	30	36	40	12	31

J. Warm up again, as leftovers

18	38	29	2	19	28

K. Weight or heaviness

15	21	16	24

Puzzle 4

A quote by Charles Dickens

1 **B**	2 **I**	3 **K**		4 **G**	5 **H**	6 **A**	7 **C**	8 **K**		9 **C**	10 **B**	11 **H**	12 **G**	
13 **I**	14 **A**		15 **F**	16 **C**	17 **B**	18 **H**	19 **J**	20 **H**	21 **D**	22 **G**		23 **A**	24 **A**	
25 **E**	26 **D**		27 **B**	28 **I**	29 **D**	30 **G**	31 **F**		32 **H**	33 **J**	34 **G**		35 **A**	36 **E**
37 **F**		38 **J**	39 **K**	40 **G**	41 **C**		42 **J**	43 **E**	44 **F**	45 **C**	46 **G**		47 **E**	48 **D**
	49 **K**	50 **I**	51 **H**											

A. Short guitar phrases

6 23 14 35 24

B. Force out

27 10 17 1

C. Grumpy and rude

7 16 9 45 41

D. Word to chase away a cat

21 29 48 26

E. Extinct flightless bird

25 36 47 43

F. Prickly seed case

15 44 37 31

G. Protection against attack

46 40 4 30 34 22 12

H. Social surroundings

32 18 11 5 20 51

I. Owl's call

2 13 50 28

J. Small salamander

19 33 42 38

K. Those people

8 39 3 49

Puzzle 5

A quote by Emma Goldman

1 **B**	2 **I**	3 **A**		4 **G**	5 **A**	6 **F**	7 **G**		8 **C**	9 **F**	10 **A**	11 **F**	12 **F**	13 **C**
14 **F**	15 **B**	16 **B**	17 **D**	18 **H**	19 **H**		20 **F**	21 **B**	22 **D**		23 **E**	24 **B**		25 **B**
26 **A**	27 **E**	28 **D**	29 **E**	30 **G**	31 **G**		32 **F**	33 **A**		34 **G**	35 **C**	36 **E**	37 **H**	38 **A**
39 **H**	40 **B**	41 **H**	42 **I**	43 **D**	44 **I**	45 **C**		46 **D**	47 **I**		48 **F**	49 **G**	50 **G**	51 **C**
52 **D**	53 **H**	54 **I**												

A. Be against

5	10	38	26	33	3

B. Bitter compounds in red wine

1	16	24	15	21	40	25

C. Excessive

8	35	13	51	45

D. Removing fish skeleton, as a chef

17	46	43	28	22	52

E. Cubes rolled in games

36	23	27	29

F. Fire starter, criminally

11	12	20	14	9	32	6	48

G. Hay grass

30	34	4	50	7	49	31

H. Fitted with a shoe's back part

53	19	37	18	39	41

I. Go get and bring back

47	42	54	44	2

Puzzle 6

A quote by Thomas Fuller

1 J	2 I	3 B	4 E	5 J		6 D	7 G		8 B	9 M	10 B	11 M	12 H	13 M
14 B		15 K	16 C	17 B	18 G		19 L	20 J		21 I	22 E	23 K	24 F	
25 H	26 J	27 H	28 E	29 A	30 D	31 J	32 M	33 H		34 J	35 J		36 K	37 A
38 K		39 G	40 L	41 L	42 C	43 H	44 F		45 H	46 C		47 I	48 K	49 K
50 E		51 C	52 K		53 D	54 L	55 H	56 L	57 A		58 G	59 A		60 K
61 F	62 A	63 G	64 D		65 C	66 L	67 I	68 J	69 F					

A. Support for an injured arm

57	37	29	59	62

B. Spy or representative

17	14	3	8	10

C. Peak temperatures of the day

65	51	42	16	46

D. Uncertain or doubtful

6	53	30	64

E. Smallest of the litter

4	22	50	28

F. At that time

69	24	44	61

G. Small fruit pastries

18	58	63	39	7

H. Large tropical lizards

12	25	43	27	55	45	33

I. Sound of a hard hit

47	2	67	21

J. Front

34	35	1	5	68	31	20	26

K. Fit and sporty

60	52	48	38	49	15	36	23

L. Legally positioned in football or soccer

40	41	19	54	56	66

M. Sharpen, as a knife

11	9	13	32