

Themeless Midi (October 2023)

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Across

- 1. Printing ornament
- 6. Dog den
- 11. Santa _____
- 12. Attempted
- 13. Bona fide
- 14. Actress Menzel of “Frozen”
- 15. Disputing fake news, perhaps?
- 17. Actress Russo, who is definitely not a man, but spells her name that way anyway
- 18. Surprised cry (that I don’t really think anyone actually cries but I needed it to make the puzzle work)
- 19. Description of someone with plenty to worry about
- 24. Modern identity prefix
- 25. Move, in the jargon
- 26. Put plastic on the bar?
- 29. Worn out
- 30. Spam distributor

- 31. Pieces of a pound
 - 32. Where Tom the toothpaste maker is from
 - 33. Paid to see more
 - 34. “Survivor” sets
- ## Down
- 1. White of the eye
 - 2. Highest number on IMDb’s rating scale for “This Is Spinal Tap”
 - 3. “_____ Bull”
 - 4. A property of nacre
 - 5. It’s inevitable

- 6. Trendy and fashionable
- 7. Podcasts of the 1930’s?
- 8. Server’s advantage, in a long tennis game
- 9. Knife part that extends inside the handle
- 10. “When are you coming home?”
- 16. Like Freya or Frigg
- 20. Darkened, as a car window
- 21. A good thing to pay attention to
- 22. Julia’s character on “Seinfeld”

- 23. Dukes and earls, e.g.
- 26. Lacking protection, in a way
- 27. Bottled (up)
- 28. Singer Lovato (or actress Moore, for my Gen X contemporaries)
- 29. Locale for a massage

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