

# The Human Voice

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This puzzle is all about supporting the Human Voice.

That's why the letters "AI" have been crossed out numerous times in the puzzle grid.

Wherever those dastardly letters appear, the Across clue has two viable answers. For example,

1 Across says "Unholy act (not holy Mount)." The answer for "unholy act" is *sin*. The answer for "holy Mount" is *Sinai*. But since this puzzle rejects AI, we are giving a preference for the first answer.

For any Down words in the grid, pretend AI isn't there at all. Thus, for example, the answer to 25 Down ("Oh, to be one of yours!") is *Narrators*.

## ACROSS

- 1 Unholy act (not holy Mount)
- 6 Sinclair Lewis' Gantry
- 11 Sports bar necessities
- 14 Viper
- 15 Auto brand that means "I roll" in Latin
- 16 Computer in 2001
- 17 Declares, as in a class (not a feature of toss and pass)
- 19 Dept. with an Office of Water
- 20 Twisted
- 21 Attempts to record a script
- 23 Side with a burger (not sprites)
- 27 Type of chef or massage
- 29 Bedding
- 30 "\_\_\_\_\_ the dotted line"
- 31 Stockpile
- 32 K-pop superstars (not lures)
- 33 Petrol
- 36 Sharp tasting
- 37 Cable station (not contamination)
- 38 Give a ring
- 39 UN member whose capital is Damascus
- 40 Carmine cast (not broadcast)
- 41 Animal in the World Wildlife Fund logo
- 42 At sea
- 44 Weigh down
- 45 Annuity calculator
- 47 Short romance (not shortcoming)
- 48 Like deserts (not like some desserts)
- 49 Canine sounds
- 50 "Don't Bring Me Down" gp.
- 51 Dr.'s citation (not attendant at a wedding celebration)
- 58 On the links it's often 72
- 59 A Musketeer
- 60 \_\_\_\_\_ Gay
- 61 Covers with Charmin
- 62 Toward the Arctic
- 63 Syphilis (not serious)



## DOWN

- 1 Tree juice
- 2 Companion to ego and superego
- 3 The Irish, on scoreboards
- 4 22-time Emmy winner that takes place in Chicago

- 5 Harbingers of spring
- 6 Ties up
- 7 11-time Emmy winner filmed primarily in Oahu
- 8 L. Messi's new league
- 9 WALL-E's partner
- 10 What producers have that I'd like to be on
- 11 Musical about a governess in Siam
- 12 Takes an e-puff
- 13 Guns N' Roses guitarist
- 18 (Sometimes hidden) charges
- 22 Word in the title of a Shakespeare comedy
- 23 They can be more comfortable than heels
- 24 "I wish \_\_\_\_\_, I wish I might..."
- 25 Oh, to be one of yours!
- 26 A bit of R&R
- 27 Email option
- 28 Power unit
- 30 Lunar new year
- 32 Donkey song
- 34 John or Priscilla of the Pilgrims
- 35 Lingo
- 37 Craggy hill
- 38 Jung or Yastrzemski
- 40 Person without a pulpit
- 41 Spurs
- 43 It could be fox or faux
- 44 Bestie
- 45 Proficient
- 46 Something one can't do one-handed
- 47 35 Down for first-years
- 49 Paul Klee: "A line is \_\_\_\_\_ that went for a walk"
- 52 (With 55 Down) \_\_\_\_\_ avail
- 53 Dept. you may not want to be called into
- 54 NY neighbor
- 55 See 52 Down
- 56 "Good \_\_\_\_\_ Charlie Brown"
- 57 Fab