

Christmas Spirit

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ACROSS

1. Get your kid brother on the naughty list, maybe
7. Samples
13. Emphatically redundant Southern pronoun
15. Spots to go undercover on the street?
16. *Santa's abductor in "The Nightmare Before Christmas"
18. Written test
19. Going rates for DJs?
22. ___ ejemplo
23. Friends, in a way
27. Pop star Rita
28. Appropriate behavior given how old you are
32. Nice loong stretch
33. Repeatedly discredited Obama-era conspiracy theorist
35. Julie Andrews, voice-wise
37. You might find one between a crepe and a macaroon
38. "It couldn't be avoided"
39. They coat a diamond?
40. Legendary Spanish hero
44. Total bing-bong
45. Target of some excisions
47. Ctrl-___-Del
48. The deets
49. Trump, vis-à-vis the 2020 election
50. "One Mic" rapper
51. Like some patches
53. WASP part
54. OB-GYNs, e.g.
55. Actress Alexander of "Get Out"
56. Math degree
57. "I defy you to give a single example"
60. Cat ___
61. Wedge, e.g.

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| 63. Prep, as lettuce | 10. Demolition stock | 30. ___ rage (juicing side effect) |
| 64. ___://www.jessiebullock.com | 11. Big head | 31. Going rate for drivers? |
| 65. Beak | 12. Fig. I just entered into a new W-2 | 34. It might hang over a graduate's head |
| 66. Inti worshipers | 14. Prima ballerina, often | 36. Gilda who was the first "S.N.L." cast member hired |
| 67. Big rig | 15. Oldsmobiles sold until 2004 | 41. W.W. II's Bouncing Betty, e.g. |
| 68. Toni Braxton, voice-wise | 17. Rhône/Saône convergence city | 42. *George's guardian angel in "It's a Wonderful Life" |
| 69. What homeowners hold | 19. Like many parents on Christmas morning | 43. "Damn shame, that" |
| 70. Root cause? | 20. Anti-inflation measure | 46. Suffix with Jumbo |
| | 21. *Scrooge's revenant in "A Christmas Carol" | 48. "Hm, okay" |
| | 24. Coldest time of the year, and an apt description of the starred answers | 49. Pacific weather influencer |
| | 25. "What, you think *I* know?" | 52. Diaper, to Mary Poppins |
| | 26. Hoity-toity type | 58. Like much of Yemen |
| | 28. Sashimi fish | 59. Suffix with bad and mad and sad |
| | 29. Roberts' "Pretty Woman" co-star | 62. "I know kung fu" speaker |
| | | 64. F.D.R.'s successor |

DOWN

1. ___ Mahal
2. It abuts Fla.
3. Rx from Dad, M.D., say
4. Wee ones
5. Wee one, in Glasgow
6. ___ Lodge
7. Candy with a "Try both. Pick a side." tagline
8. Kendrick of "Pitch Perfect"
9. Greek "S"