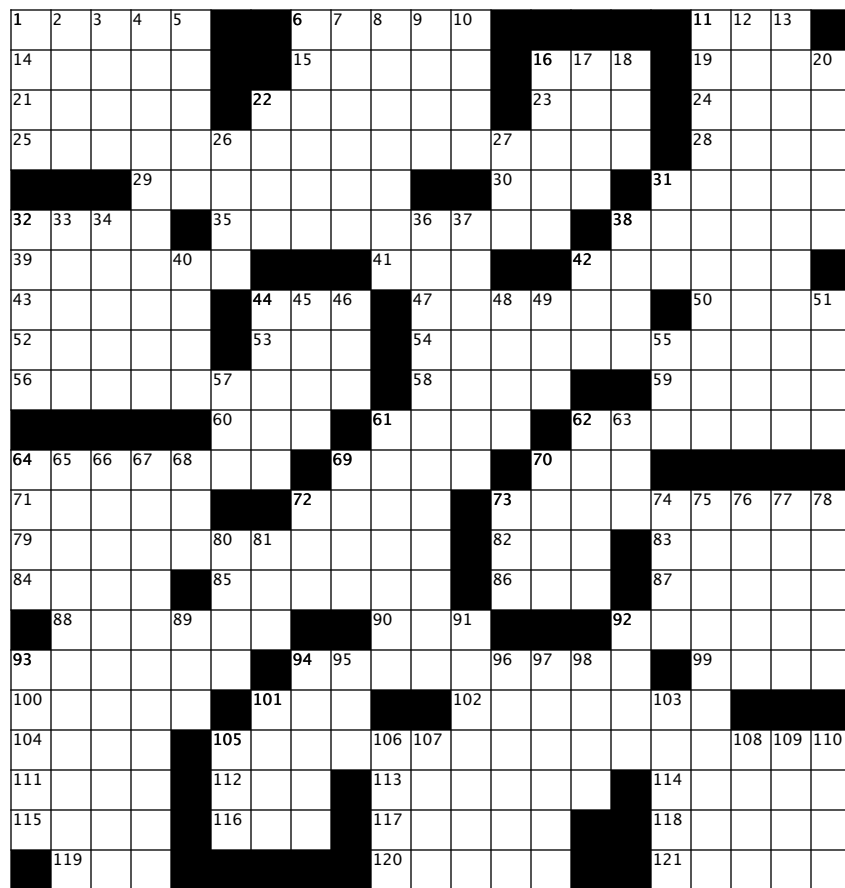


"I Can't Hear You"

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ACROSS

1. Place of berth?
6. Strand at a chalet, say
11. Psychoactive pot substance: Abbr.
14. USA vis-à-vis Mexico, in soccer
15. Know, just KNOW
16. Pirouette point
19. ___ and aahs
21. Actress Alexander of "Get Out"
22. Chops up
23. www.NPR. ___
24. 5-block crossword grid shape that's named for a state
25. *"Don't fall asleep angry"
28. Nevada casino city
29. Mexican surrealist Carrington
30. "That be false, matey!"
31. ___ rat (pirate epithet)
32. Tennis great who wrote "A Hard Road to Glory"
35. *"Project confidence to gain confidence"
38. Makes a big deal
39. Provocation of a 1773 "party"
41. New Deal agcy.
42. Some dread wearers
43. "No more!"
44. "Bad ___!" ("Wicked!")
47. Take-ending words
50. What you evolved from?
52. Draws for sailors?
53. Jazz great Mary ___ Williams
54. With 79-Across, where unheeded advice goes ... including the starred advice in today's puzzle
56. *"Heed that inner voice"
58. Word on some bright crayons
59. "WAP" rapper, familiarly
60. "You've Got Mail" ISP
61. Tech support in a computer lab?
62. -
64. *"Move on"
69. Stand-up Kevin
70. ___ de parfum
71. "Hasta pronto"
72. Knights' handles
73. -
79. See 54-Across
82. The Gray Lady, for short
83. Sasha's White House sis
84. Gulf War missile
85. Dry gulch
86. "Supposing ..."
87. In the least
88. Porto ___, Brazil
90. "That's gotta sting"
92. Roasted camp treats
93. 80s game consoles
94. -
99. Rooney of "Mary Magdalene"
100. Turkish coins
101. Mouth that's bear-ly open
102. Shipping capacity



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104. Chicago politico Lightfoot
105. -
111. Hydroxl compound
112. ___ cannon ("Star Wars" weapon)
113. Copper's group
114. Bead counters?
115. Angela Bassett's alma mater
116. OB-GYNs, e.g.
117. At attention
118. Nail polish ingredient
119. Went first
120. Homes in Jalisco
121. Shift or sheath, e.g.

DOWN

1. Carolina ___ (state bird)
2. Employ
3. Tel ___
4. Take in the fall foliage?
5. Turn signal?
6. "Does that taste alright?"
7. Middlesex middle
8. Shackle
9. "Mmm ... yes"
10. Bitter end?
11. Spot that looks more fun than it is, for travelers
12. De Carlo war comedy set in a desert oasis
13. Switches sides during a court battle?
16. Harmonic
17. Hardly a conservative party
18. ___ Nwodim of "S.N.L."

20. Outdoor wardrobe staples
22. "Aladdin" star Massoud
26. Home commonly with a high ceiling
27. Oxford, e.g., across the pond
31. Low-cost public transit option
32. Uneven
33. Olive Oyl's creator
34. Poem where "I eat oreos" could be the first line
36. Where some post-game PT takes place
37. Most sun-kissed
38. Destiny
40. "___ la guerre"
42. Regret to the max
44. Withdrawn
45. Aretha Franklin's genre
46. América del ___
48. Perform so-so
49. Bash-ful network
51. Polish, as a column
55. Do exceedingly well, as on a math test
57. Ming in the Basketball Hall of Fame
61. "Go ahead, chicken"
62. "Yummers!"
63. Pizza ___
64. Nation on the Mekong
65. Edifying
66. Ted Lasso in "Ted Lasso"
67. Was drawn onto an irrelevant topic

68. ___ Kosh B'gosh
69. Greeting from Kermit
70. Irish singer who sang in Elvish
72. Orch. section
73. Connections
74. "A rabbi, a priest, and an ___ walk into a bar ..."
75. North Macedonia, e.g., since 2020
76. "The Nutcracker" girl
77. Ballerina ___ Peck
78. Dip, or dance with dips
80. Organs represented four times in today's grid
81. If I mine it it's mine
89. Ones filling up a tank, maybe
91. Femmes ___
92. My deer sir
93. Spare room?
94. Tired expressions?
95. "BYOB" part
96. Classic Japanese camera brand
97. Establishes as law
98. About, on a memo
101. Vibe
103. Short position (relatively)
105. Hard to make out
106. Oil cartel letters
107. "___ from Queens" (Awkwafina show)
108. State of relaxation
109. Long-running CBS drama
110. Spam boxes?