

First Light

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In addition to being the name of Provincetown's New Years celebration, this puzzle's title is a hint to the starred clues

ACROSS

1. "Creed" actress Thompson
6. Posse
10. Diamonds and rubies
14. Early Peruvians
15. "For ___ us a child is born" (carol lyric)
16. Leave out
17. *** 2022 Marvel TV show starring Oscar Isaac
19. Zero
20. Post on Facebook Marketplace, say
21. Spanish for "woman"
22. Big cheese (abbr.)
24. *** Animation style of "Guillermo Del Toro's Pinocchio"
27. What the pH scale measures
30. Has a bite
31. Waves away
32. Short race
33. Shade
36. *** Elton John's best-selling single ever

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 40. Tiebreaking periods (abbr.) 41. Edison's middle name 42. Two of them equal a diameter 43. Grp. for the Sun, Storm, and Sky 44. "Black Panther: Wakanda Forever" actress Angela 46. *** Person with hot moves on the floor? 50. "Absolutely!" 51. Smooths out 52. Way to pay 55. Praise 56. *** Disaster that might strike after heavy rain 60. Place to buy handmade Christmas gifts | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 61. Continental currency 62. Nickname that sounds like a caramel and chocolate candy 63. Views 64. "A Visit From The Goon Squad" author Jennifer 65. Opinion pieces <p>DOWN</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Cook whose specialty is Apple? 2. Ambient music creator Brian 3. Stinging arachnids 4. All there, in a way 5. Poses a question 6. Responsible for a crime 7. ___-Saxon 8. Unknown power, in math 9. Obtained | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 10. Freak out 11. Smiley face, thumbs up, or peach, for example 12. "Rebel Without a Cause" costar Sal 13. Strict 18. Home for an osprey 21. ___ Day (2nd Sunday in May) 22. Explorer De Gama 23. Mac messaging app 25. Salt marsh ground 26. Way to prepare potatoes 28. US org. headquartered at the Pentagon 29. Martha's Vineyard and Nantucket, e.g. 32. Subject of a 23 and Me test 33. Small space to retreat 34. Come together | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 35. Cuts down, as text 37. "Beast" actor Idris 38. "Terrible" ruler 39. "As It ___" (Harry Styles hit) 43. Burger chain with a location near the Orleans rotary 44. 80's spin-off in which Robert Guillaume won an Emmy for playing the title character 45. Part of the foot 46. Computer documents 47. Really angry 48. Awaken 49. Mononymous "1, 2 Step" singer 53. Natural hairstyle 54. Food for pigs 56. Cost 57. Schlep (around) 58. No spring chicken 59. Uno + uno |
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