

Poetry in America: The Whitman Crossword

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Once you've finished, stream Poetry in America's episode on Whitman! <https://www.poetryinamerica.org/episode/leaves-of-grass/>

ACROSS

1. Quite like
6. Diarist Nin
11. Navigational aid, for short
14. ____ New, host of Poetry in America
15. Whitman's role during the Civil War
16. Mythical bird
17. Iconic American poet born May 31, 1819 (happy 201st!)
19. Alias
20. Very bad, with "the"
21. Poet who wrote "In Memory of W.B. Yeats"
23. "I hear ____ singing..."
27. Counts
29. Caesar's subjects
30. Lifesavers
31. Senescence
32. Kind of cartridge
33. Ottawa-based media co.
36. Like some mail
37. Sorta
38. "Git!"
39. Fox-like
40. Buenos ____
41. "____-tide below me!..."
42. Outdid
44. Main character in Ian McEwan's Atonement
45. Just got (by)
47. "Fog in the air, ____ rolling balls of dung"
48. Task
49. "The ____ contralto sings in the organ loft..."
50. Was in charge of
51. Kudos
58. Winter hrs. in Camden, NJ
59. Bar perch
60. Italian granny
61. Tiny
62. Brooklyn Daily ____, influential newspaper that Whitman edited
63. "... observing a spear of summer ____"

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Winter hrs. in New Orleans (fun fact: in 1848, Whitman briefly lived in the Big Easy to take a job on the fledgling Daily Crescent newspaper) 5. Making a barbaric sound over the roofs of the world, say 6. "America" singer in West Side Story 7. Pecans and such 8. Branch 9. Part of a metaphor 10. One out of a hundred 11. Site for elementary education 12. Bluffer's game 13. Skims over 18. Sots' sounds 22. Western tribe 23. Speedy steeds | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 24. Andrew Carnegie, for one 25. English novelist and poet who published under the pen name Ellis Bell 26. Status 27. Fixes 28. Zone 30. Gave an edge to 32. Sleepy 34. Frontiersman Daniel 35. Buffalo Bill ____ Wild West Show 37. High flier 38. Narrow cut 40. Speak ill of 41. Emancipating | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 43. Musical sense 44. Swiss capital 45. Alternative to a nail 46. Go after 47. Instrument featured in "Beat! Beat! Drums!" (hint: not the drums) 49. Place to swim 52. Capt.'s announcement 53. Part of a wheel 54. Craggy peak 55. Once ____ while 56. Carry-____ 57. Hip hop artist featured discussing Whitman in Poetry in America |
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1. Not many
2. Like
3. Zip