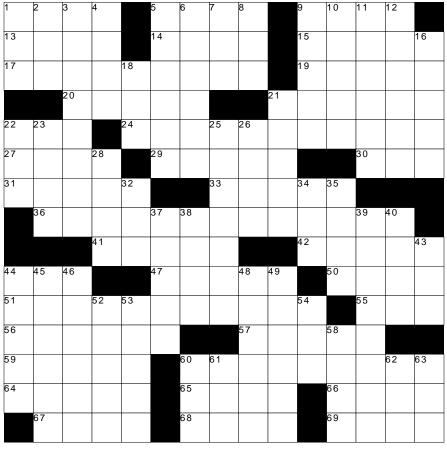
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- 1 Praises for puppies
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- 13 Water near Detroit
- 14 Grapes of Wrath persona
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- 17 Zero-confidence comment
- 19 Bygone
- 20 Links in a fence
- 21 Land of Lincoln varsity athletes
- 22 Direction on deck
- 24 Less skeptical comment
- 27 See some sights
- 29 Insisted absolutely
- 30 Hairpin curve
- 31 Righteous
- 33 Live at this moment
- 36 Increasedconfidence comment
- 41 Ring in the ocean
- 42 Gettysburg victor
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- 47 Ticket buyer's choices
- 50 Two-hyphen IDs
- 51 Still-moreconfident comment
- 55 Parent's prodding
- 56 You and me
- 57 Simmering
- 59 Banish formally
- 60 Fully confident comment
- 64 Typical taxi
- 65 Miles away
- 66 Eleven, essentially
- 67 Where sheep sleep
- 68 Some cookware
- 69 Veganismpromoting org.

Down

- 1 Stir-fry morsel
- 2 NL West team
- 3 Pharmacy solution
- 4 Fourth man



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- 5 Vocal groups
- 6 The Bard's "Sup?"
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- 21 Skyscraper girder
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- 23 Nutriment
- 25 Pirated video
- 26 Handel
- contemporary 28 Spanish tennis
- great's nickname
- 32 Blazing
- 34 "__ waiting..."
- 35 Bar display
- 37 __ Pere (French prayer)

- 38 Bjorn contemporary
- 39 Standard of comparison
- 40 Author Ferber
- 43 To-the-max ender
- 44 Wishful thinking
- 45 Campaign manager
- 46 Emphatic assent
- 48 Find hilarious
- 49 Gets serious
- 52 Guava-hittingground sound
- 53 Coeur d'___, ID
- 54 Any of three in Beijing
- 58 Breakfast Sampler seller
- 60 Aloe vera extract
- 61 Anomalous overhead phenomenon
- 62 Finish with
- 63 Federal purchasing agey.