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FIRST WORLD WAR STARTED
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PRINCESS DIANA KILLED
VICTORY OVER JAPAN
RED CROSS FOUNDED
AMUSEMENT PARKS
GATHERINGS
SUNSCREEN
RAINLESS
VACATION
PICNICS
POOL

HYMN OF THE MONTH

AMAZING GRACE

Author – John Newton 725-1807 Music – Carrell and Clayton's "Virginia Harmony" 183

Tune Name - Amazing Grace

For by grace are ye saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God: not of word, lest any man should boast. - Ephesians 2: 8,9

In a small cemetery of a parish churchyard in Olney, England, stands a granite tombstone with the following inscription: "John Newton clerk once an infidel and Libertine, a servant of slaves in Africa, was by the rich mercy of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, preserved, restored, pardoned, and appointed to preach the Faith he had long labored to destroy. "This fitting testimonial, written by Newton himself prior to his death, aptly describes the unusual and colorful life of this man, one of the great evangelical preachers of the eighteenth century.

John Newton's mother, a Godly woman, died when he was not quite seven years of age. When his father; remarried and after several brief years of formal education away from home: John left school and joined his father's ship, at the age of eleven, to begin life as a seaman. His early years were one continuous round of rebellion and debauchery. After serving on several ships as well as working for a period of time on the islands and mainland of the West African coast collecting slaves for sale to visiting traders, Newton eventually became a captain of his own slave ship. Needless to say, the capturing, selling and transporting of black slaves to the plantations in the West Indies and America was a cruel and vicious way of life.

On March 10, 1748, while returning to England from Africa during a particularly stormy voyage when it appeared that all would be lost, Newton began reading Thomas a Kempis' book, Imitation of Christ. Kempis was a Dutch monk, 1380-1471, who belonged to an order called the brethren of the Common Life. This book is still printed today as a religious classic. The message of the book and the frightening experience at sea were used by the Holy Spirit to sow the seeds of Newton's eventual conversion and personal acceptance of Christ as his Savior.

- 1 Amazing grace (how sweet the sound) that saved a wretch like me! I once was lost, but now am found, was blind, but now I see.
- **2** 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved; how precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed!
- 3 Through many dangers, toils and snares I have already come: 'tis grace has brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home.
- 4 The Lord has promised good to me, his word my hope secures; he will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.
- 5 Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail, and mortal life shall cease:

 I shall possess, within the veil,
 a life of joy and peace.
- 6 The earth shall soon dissolve like snow, the sun forbear to shine; but God, who called me here below, will be forever mine.

SUDOKU

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LEO

- Malinda Rollins 7th
- Teri McCoy 20th
- Ron Scott 20th

Leo's love the best of everything. They love to travel to smart places and to holiday in five-star comfort. Their

values are traditional and although there are few rogue Leo's around who seem to have no standard at all, these are atypical.

All Leo's have high standards, and they don't like to let themselves or anyone else down. They enjoy being seen as a person of substance and status and prefer to be in a position to help others rather than approaching them cap in hand. Leo" pride would not allow them to live or work in a situation that they consider as "beneath" them. They are far more comfortable working in an exciting area where they can jet off to glamorous places and influence the more mundane members of planet Earth.

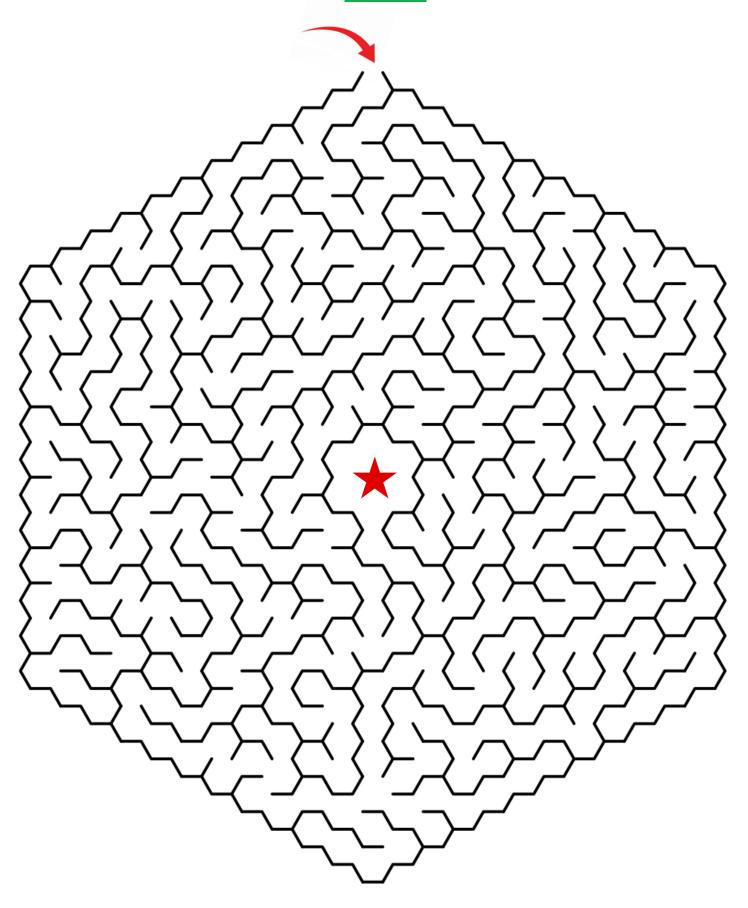
VIRGO

- Karen Reese 23rd
- Swami White 23rd
- Justin Scott -31st

Virgo is an earth sign historically represented by the goddess of wheat and agriculture, an association that speaks to Virgo's deep-rooted presence in the material world. Virgos are logical, practical, and systematic in their approach to life. This earth sign is a perfectionist at heart and isn't afraid to improve skills through diligent and consistent practice. Virgo rules the digestive system, which makes these earth signs especially attuned to the ingredients that make up a whole = in food and in everything else. They're hyper-aware of every detail.

Above all else, Virgos wants to help. They are kind, gentle and supportive friends and lovers who use their incredible intellect and resourcefulness to solve problems. Virgos' opposite sign, Pisces, offers guidance through spirituality, but Virgos wants to assist on a practical level. These earth signs are always striving to provide workable solutions and improve broken systems. Methodical, committed, and hardworking, they make excellent teachers, healers, editors, and musicians.

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JONAH'S CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Johan's mission to MINEVELL

Read Jonah 3:10-4:11 (ESV). Complete the crossword below.

ACROSS

- "Should not I ____ Nineveh in which there are more than 120,000 persons..." (Jonah 4:11)
- 2) God sent a worm to attack the plant at this
- 4) The strong wind God sent, causing Jonah discomfort.
- The plant that God provided for Jonah's comfort.
- 8) Jonah was this when the plant withered.
- 9) Jonah was upset because God showed this to Nineveh.

DOWN

- Jonah wanted to die rather than live without this.
- 3) The city Jonah was sent to by God.
- 5) Jonah made a shelter and sat in its _____
- 6) The number of days Jonah said Nineveh would be overthrown.

