

COMICS

COD IN A FISHBOWL

JASON RETUTA



AMBER WAVES

DAVE T. PHIPPS



RELAX

MIKE PARGAS



MY LIFE IN A COMIC

JASON RETUTA



Weekly SUDOKU

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	1		4	2					3
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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging
★★★ HOO BOY!

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Wishing Well®

4	5	8	7	3	7	3	2	8	7	5	2	5
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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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Answers

Solution time: 25 mins.

C	A	B		M	A	N	Y		W	O	R	K			
U	N	I		O	L	I	O		A	H	O	Y			
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Answer to previous issue's puzzle

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Salome's Stars

For the Week of May 3, 2007



Aries (March 21 to April 19)

The Lamb loves to be surrounded by flocks of admirers. But be careful that someone doesn't take his or her admiration too far. Use your persuasive skills to let him or her down easily.



Taurus (April 20 to May 20)

This is a good time to begin setting far-reaching goals and connecting with new contacts. Aspects also favor strengthening old relationships -- personal and/or professional.



Gemini (May 21 to June 20)

A personal disappointment should be viewed as a valuable learning experience. Go over what went wrong and see where a change in tactics might have led to a more positive outcome.



Cancer (June 21 to July 22)

Don't leave projects unfinished or personal obligations unresolved, or you might find yourself tripping over all those loose ends later on. A relative has important news.



Leo (July 23 to August 22)

Expect a challenge to the usual way you do things. Although you might prefer the tried-and-true, once you take a good look at this new idea, you might feel more receptive to it.



Virgo (August 23 to September 22)

Much work has yet to be done to polish a still-rough idea into something with significant potential. Expect to encounter some initial rejection, but stay with it nonetheless.



Libra (September 23 to October 22)

A financial crunch eases, but it's still a good idea to keep a tight rein on what you spend for nonessentials. Education becomes a major focus as the week winds down.



Scorpio (October 23 to November 21)

A new relationship appears to need more from you than you might be willing to give right now. Best advice: Resist making promises you might not be able to keep.



Sagittarius (November 22 to December 21)

That restless feeling encourages you to gallop off into a new venture. But remember to keep hold of the reins so you can switch paths when necessary.



Capricorn (December 22 to January 19)

A demanding work schedule keeps the high-spirited Goat from kicking up his or her heels. But playtime beckons by the week's end. Have fun. You earned it.



Aquarius (January 20 to February 18)

You're beginning to come out from under those heavy responsibilities you took on. Use this freed-up time to enjoy some much-deserved fun with people close to you.



Pisces (February 19 to March 20)

Before you get swept away by a tidal wave of conflicting priorities, take time to come up for air, and reassess the situation. You might be surprised by what you'll find.

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ACROSS

- 1 Kinsman, for short
- 4 Prepare for battle
- 7 Computer image
- 11 Jeans maker Strauss
- 13 Grazing area
- 14 Exploding star
- 15 Mideast gulf
- 16 Varnish ingredient
- 17 Golfer Bob
- 18 Throng
- 20 Former filly
- 22 Sort
- 24 "The Compleat Angler" writer

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- 28 Brunch stack
- 32 Piccolo's cousin
- 33 "A likely story!"
- 34 Astronaut
- 36 Wading bird
- 37 Bowling alley button
- 39 Meredith who played Rocky's trainer
- 41 Die
- 43 Slapstick missile
- 44 Duel tool
- 46 Attack dog's

- 4 Every last iota
- 5 Paper quantity
- 6 Showy parrot
- 7 Smarts
- 8 Intimidate
- 9 Future aves
- 10 Aye canceler
- 12 Apathy
- 19 Right angle
- 21 U.K. fliers
- 23 Small barrel
- 25 Toothpaste dispenser
- 26 Elevator name
- 27 Loch —
- 28 Near the
- 29 On the briny
- 30 Clenched hand
- 31 Replacement
- 35 Dine
- 38 Gratuity
- 40 Oil-drilling equipment
- 42 Mediterranean sailing ship
- 45 Therefore
- 47 Verdi opera
- 48 Incursion
- 49 A great deal
- 50 Recede
- 51 "The Greatest"
- 52 "Poppycock!"
- 54 Past

DOWN

- 1 Mediocre
- 2 Take it from the top
- 3 Finished