

# A Summer's Tail by Marcia Brott and George Barany

## ACROSS

1. Some canines
6. Bering or Baltic
9. Doofus
14. One using a saucer?
15. Bathroom, briefly
16. Unusual partner
17. \*Had nails done and perfected a French accent
20. Phishing expedition?
21. Plan B for trapeze artists?
22. "Very funny"
25. Win a "no blinking" contest
29. \*Read some Kierkegaard and browsed the top shelves for snacks
31. Forty-niner, for one
32. Chairman pro \_\_\_\_
33. Fury
34. Is not up to
35. \*Had fur re-permed and practiced soulful gaze
39. Waffle
40. Body art, for short
41. "What's the \_\_\_\_?" ("Who cares?")
43. 90 degrees from fore-and-aft
44. \*Grilled some wieners and shopped for platform shoes
47. Library patron, often
49. Strict limit to customers
50. On the double
51. Month before Nisan
52. Time whiled away by each of the four starred answers, or a 1975 Pacino film

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| 59. Doofus  | 10. Italian appetizer served on toast                    | 38. Lobbying grp.               |
| 60. Character in Greek literature?                    | 11. Cabinet dept. founded by L.B.J.                      | 39. Artist's touch-era monogram |
| 61. Rover's nemesis                                   | 12. Torme or Gibson                                      | 42. Depression-era monogram     |
| 62. Nail-biting                                       | 13. Grand ____ Opry                                      | 44. Split                       |
| 63. Headwear for 9-Down                               | 18. More behind time                                     | 45. Makes catty comments        |
| 64. Footwear for a peasant                            | 19. Stroke lovingly, or the recipient of a loving stroke | 46. Abdominal anomaly           |
|   | 22. Elev.  | 48. Path                        |
| <b>DOWN</b>   | 23. SETI site in Puerto Rico                             | 51. Any one of 12 in benzene    |
| 1. Genealogical grp.                                  | 24. More secluded  | 52. "Silent Spring" killer      |
| 2. Clay, after conversion                             | 25. Rating for a bad hotel or a good restaurant          | 53. Have an outstanding balance |
| 3. Novelist Anaïs                                     | 26. Got in the game                                      | 54. ____-X                      |
| 4. Japanese hostess                                   | 27. Mark for deletion                                    | 55. Agcy. for homeowners        |
| 5. React harshly to having one's tail pulled, perhaps | 28. Leandro's love                                       | 56. Track alternative, briefly  |
| 6. Blighted urban area                                | 30. Info at an airport                                   | 57. Prefix for 7-Down           |
| 7. Floppy feature of 44-Across                        | 34. Battery terminal                                     | 58. Big inits. in newspapers    |
| 8. Inroad   | 36. Elaborate ruses                                      |                                 |
| 9. Rob Roy, for one                                   | 37. The Lone Ranger, to Tonto                            |                                 |