“The Answers My Friend ...”
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Across
1. Two-person log cutter
7. Stetson or sombrero, e.g.
10. Battery terminal
15. Symbol for viscosity or index of refraction
18. One way to serve curry
19. Small amounts, as of cream
20. Filleted
21. Actor Beatty or Sparks
22. Biff, in the past, present, and “Future”?
25. ___ alai
26. Jumbo follower
27. Hawaiian beach ball?
28. Ricochet
29. Between all and none
30. Reassurance to cellist Yo-Yo?
34. Direct recruiting pitch from an iconic Uncle?
36. Tenth-century pope, better remembered in crosswords than in the history books (anagram of name of a certain rodent)
37. Took ___ for the worse
39. 1990’s Indian P.M.
40. Director Tarantino
43. New York tribe, city, or lake
46. Like the walls at Wrigley Field
50. One that, according to Higgins, hardly ever happens in Hertford, Hereford, and Hampshire?
52. They’re just this side of paradise?
54. Common street or tree
55. Clinch, as a deal
57. Ewe’s mate
58. Near-Miss. state?
59. German candy brand
63. Malaysian palm
66. Humiliate
69. Place for prison guards?
76. Apple implement
77. Pasta, in product names
78. Off course, of course
79. Point of no return?
82. ___ Paulo, Brazil
83. Word with dash or happy

86. Prof’s e-mail address ender
87. Chiropractor’s diary?
93. Local, at times?
97. Don Draper’s domain
98. Gets game
100. Aggravate
101. “Norma ___”
103. Actors Dillon and Damon
105. Grps. of Boy or Girl Scouts
106. He’s a card
111. Annie Leibovitz, to her fans?
116. X, Y, or Z
117. Collect data or data collector
119. Acronym in the news for gravitational wave detection
120. Start of Massachusetts’ motto
121. Criticize, slangily
122. Admire Jagger or Richards on social media?
126. They may amend xword clues
127. Rubber seal
128. Grievance, slangily
129. Caught, as a butterfly
130. Susan of “The Partridge Family” and “L.A. Law”
131. Ministers
132. NYC subway line
133. Tool box item

Down
1. Loren’s director-husband
2. Like helium, neon, or argon, but not necessarily xenon
3. Some jazz combos
4. Flag-waver, of a sort
5. Rhine whine?
6. Flytrap
7. Laugh line
8. On the verge of
9. Eponymous general on a menu
10. Palindromic pop group
11. ___ al-Maliki (Iraqi prime minister from 2006-2014)

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12. Simmering, perhaps
13. California beach town with a racetrack
14. Eponymous ice cream maker
15. Dig
16. Latin lover's declaration
17. Goodbye, in Grenoble
18. Pharmacopoeia selection
19. Actresses de Havilland and Newton-John
20. Where many fed. workers reside
21. Kitchen appliance
22. “Triumph of the Will” director Riefenstahl
23. Univ. mil. group
24. Bean-sprouts bean
25. Innocent
26. It may be picked
27. California’s state bird
28. Nerdy neighbor on “Family Matters”
29. Okemah, OK-to-Duluth, MN dir.
30. Emulate the Pied Piper
31. “Easy ___!”
32. Actress/director Lupino
33. Fish that may be electric
34. Rockefeller subj. for Avery, MacLeod, and McCarty
35. Bar mitzvah highlight
36. Bridge seat
37. Warren Buffett’s hometown
38. Bolger and Haley’s 1939 co-star
39. Amniotic ___
40. “Evil Woman” grp.
41. Like Ibsen, to his countrymen
42. Prefix with centric or thermal
43. Completely dominates
44. E and G, e.g., in D.C.
45. In great demand
46. Some tides
47. It often follows a pun
48. Is under the weather
49. Create, as havoc
50. Betty ___ (author of “Embraced by the Light”)
51. Jim who broke the four-minute mile as a high schooler
52. Doctors’ org.
53. Fred’s “Silk Stockings” partner
54. Subside
55. Swiss peak
56. Serving
57. Buenos ___
58. Peter or Paul, but not Mary
59. Pinup’s leg
60. Pencil part
61. Comedian MacFarlane or Meyers
62. ___ out (exhausted)
63. Many a sitcom rating
64. Father or son actor Alan or Adam
65. ___ in sight (interminable)
66. Pre-weekend shout
67. It might take 10 yrs. to mature
68. Ed who voiced Carl in “Up”
69. Marsh growth
70. Gets game
71. Pre-Raphaelite painter-poet
72. Nice seasoning
99. Sweet German bread
100. Domain
101. Dirty
102. Univ. mil. group
103. Bean-sprouts bean
104. Innocent
105. It may be picked
106. Calif. state bird
107. Nerdy neighbor on “Family Matters”
108. ___-face (smooching)
109. Father or son actor Alan or Adam
110. ___ in sight (interminable)
111. Pre-weekend shout
112. It might take 10 yrs. to mature
113. Ed who voiced Carl in “Up”
114. Marsh growth
115. Gets game
116. His wife became a pillar of their community
117. Sash for Madama Butterfly
118. Econ. yardstick
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120. Commonplace miracle:
that so many commonplace miracles happen…
A miracle, just take a look around: the world is everywhere.
An additional miracle, as everything is additional: the unthinkable is thinkable.
Maria Wislawa Anna Szymborska, 1923 – 2012, Nobel Prize for Literature 1996

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