

ACROSS

1 Lush

4 Soho residence

8 Fine spray

12 J. Edgar's org.

13 Composer Stravinsky

14 Related

15 Forest evergreen

17 Sleeveless garment

18 "Heavens!"

19 Ram's mate

21 Ger. neighbor

22 Flip-flop

26 Young horses

29 "Awe-some!"

30 PC program

31 Buckeye state

32 Surpass

33 Pirate's drink

34 HBO rival

35 Saute

36 — apso (small dog)

37 Thrilling feeling

39 Life story

40 Nay undoer

41 Kind of inspection

45 Narcissist's love

48 Footwear storage unit

50 Chanteuse Edith

51 Teeny bit

52 Jurist Lance

53 Pay to play

54 Texter's sign-off

55 Moment

DOWN

1 Bay Area force, briefly

2 Theater award

3 Turner or Fey

4 Type of test

5 Shrek and others

6 Nemesis

7 Maple fluid

8 Expert

9 White House nickname

10 Bro's sib

11 Stick with a kick

16 Poet's muse

20 Bankroll

23 Olympic swimmer Torres

24 Mil. addresses

25 Women's links org.

26 Expense

27 Surprised greeting

28 King of the jungle

29 Trigger's rider

32 Join an environmental protest

33 Specter

35 Aviate

36 Hereditary

38 Blunder

39 Pirate's plunder

42 Showy flower

43 Head, to Henri

44 Fair-hiring org.

45 Hot tub

46 Aachen article

47 Long. crosser

49 Stolen

Solution time: 25 mins.

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Yesterday's answer 12-23

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