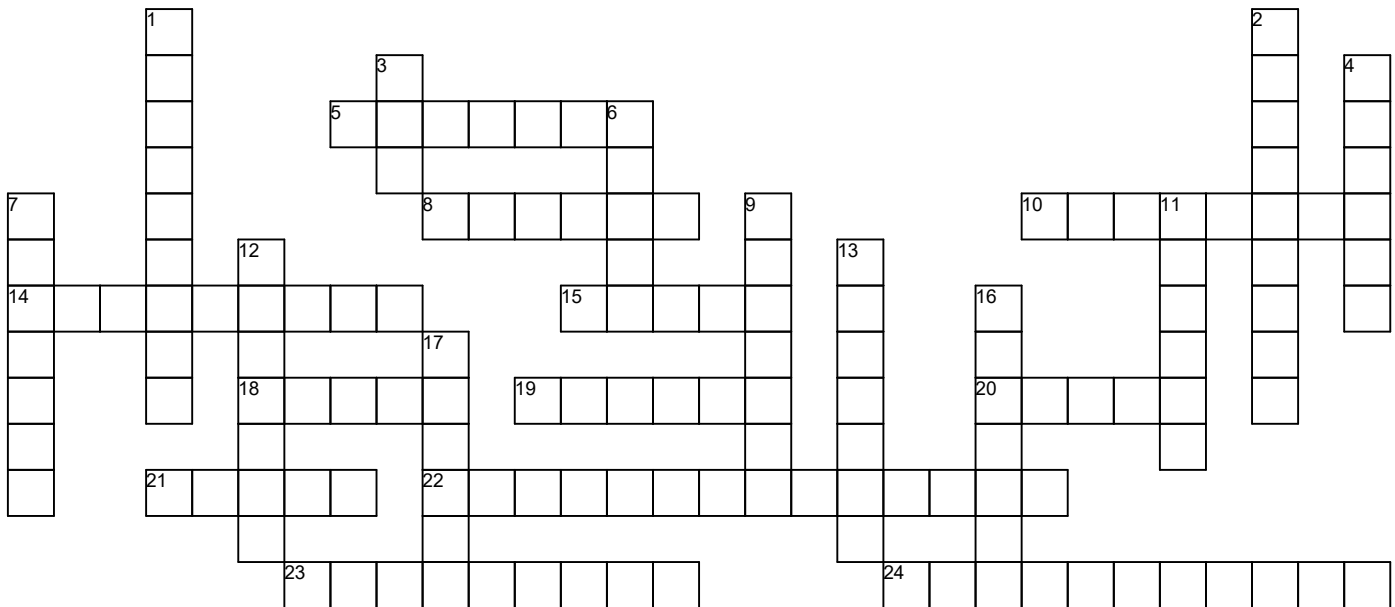


The Return of the King Crossword Puzzle

1. Using the Across and Down clues, write the correct answer in the numbered grid below.



ACROSS

5. The wizard who plays a crucial role in the War of the Ring.
8. The giant spider that wounds Frodo in Cirith Ungol.
10. The steward of Gondor who falls into despair.
14. The elven lady who provides aid and gifts to the Fellowship.
15. The new king of Rohan after Theoden's death.
18. The dwarf who stands by his friends in the war.
19. The creature who ultimately causes the One Ring to be destroyed.
20. The woman who defeats the Witch-king of Angmar.
21. The hobbit who helps Eowyn in her battle against the Witch-king.
22. The battlefield where the forces of Rohan and Gondor fight Sauron's armies.
23. The volcano where the One Ring is finally destroyed.
24. The capital city of Gondor and the site of a major battle.

DOWN

1. The main entrance to Mordor where the final battle takes place.
2. The leader of the Nazgul defeated by Eowyn.
3. Frodo's loyal friend who helps him throughout his journey.
4. The dark lord who seeks to reclaim the One Ring.
6. The hobbit who finally reaches Mount Doom to destroy the One Ring.
7. The elf who fights bravely in the final battles.
9. The steward of Gondor who marries Eowyn.
11. The elf lord who helps Aragorn reclaim his heritage.
12. The ranger who becomes the king of Gondor.
13. The sword reforged for Aragorn from the shards of Narsil.
16. The king of Rohan who dies in the Battle of Pelennor Fields.
17. The hobbit who becomes a guard of the citadel in Minas Tirith.

Witch-king

Pippin

Denethor

Eomer

Sauron

Theoden

Gollum

Gandalf

Merry

Anduril

Eowyn

Shelob

Aragorn

Faramir

Minas Tirith

Sam

Black Gate

Galadriel

Legolas

Pelennor Fields

Gimli

Mount Doom

Frodo

Elrond