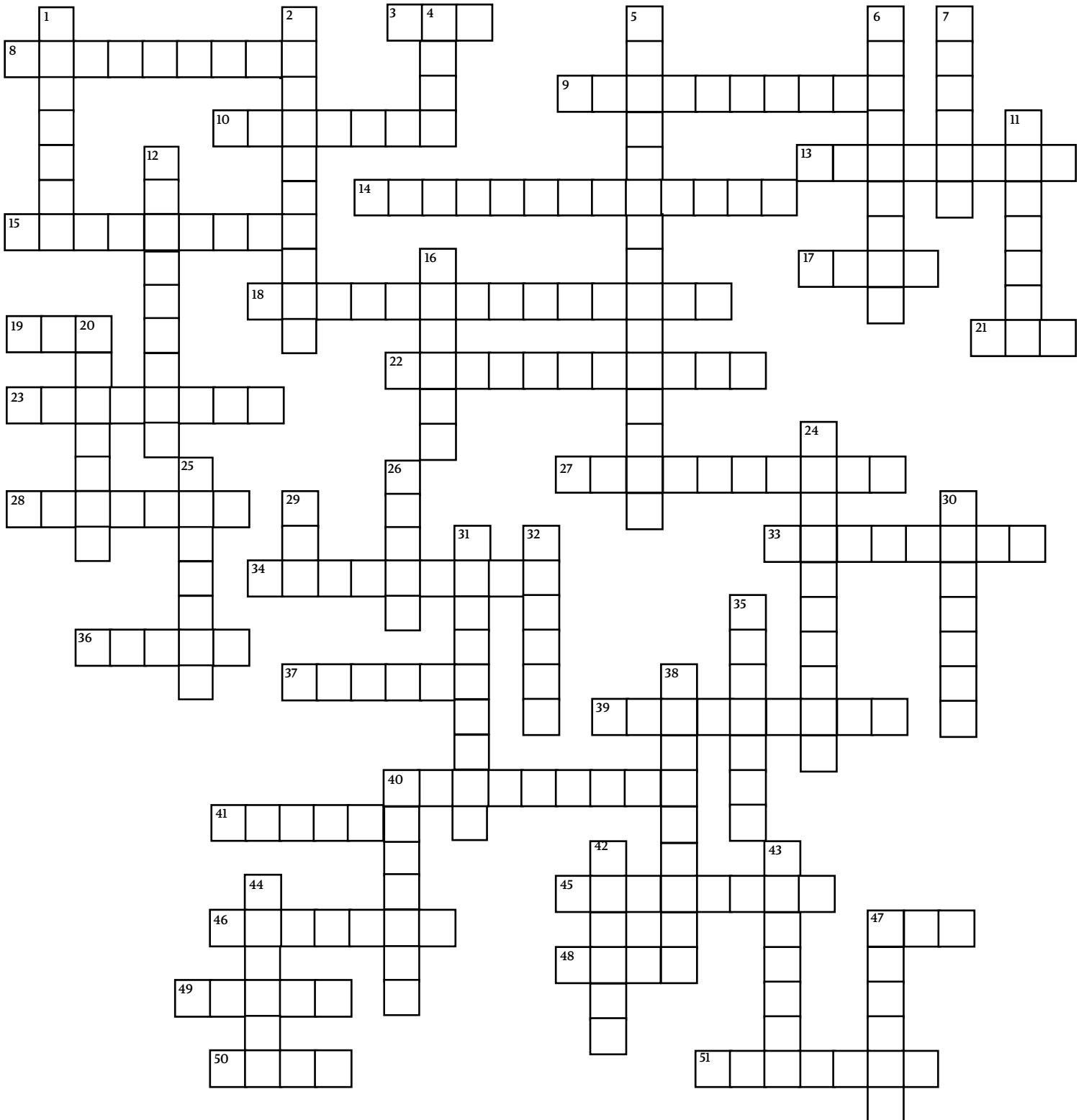


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# READ BETWEEN THE WINES CLUES

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### ACROSS

- 3.** The abbreviation for the standard measure of how much alcohol is contained in an alcoholic beverage
- 8.** This Virginia winery is featured in our wine trail for having high-quality wine with a high-quality view
- 9.** A holistic, ecological and ethical approach to farming and nutrition, based on the work of philosopher and scientist Dr. Rudolf Steiner
- 10.** The complex scents and smells developed during wine aging
- 13.** A preservative that's widely used in winemaking, though there is a recent trend to make wine with none added
- 14.** The common grape vine native to the Mediterranean region, Central Europe and Southwestern Asia (2 words)
- 15.** This Virginia winery is featured in our wine trail as the place for wine nerds
- 17.** Described as light, medium or full
- 18.** This urban winery located in The Yards is D.C.'s first winery (2 words)
- 19.** Abbreviation for a designated wine grape-growing region in the United States

### DOWN

- 1.** French term used to describe the environmental factors that affect the character and taste of a wine
- 2.** French appellation known for wine made from the Gamay grape
- 4.** Indicates a bone dry sparkling wine
- 5.** This Virginia winery is featured in our wine trail as a perfect picnic spots (3 words)
- 6.** This Maryland winery is featured in our wine trail as an oasis away from the city
- 7.** Made by crossing European *vitis vinifera* vines with American *vitis labrusca* or *vitis riparia* grapes
- 11.** Country generally considered the "cradle of wine"
- 12.** This Maryland winery is featured in our wine trail as a great spot for sweet wine lovers

- 21.** Used in winemaking to vary the color, flavor, tannin profile and texture of wine; can be introduced in the form of a barrel during the fermentation or aging periods
- 22.** Wine bar run by three sommeliers including Brent Kroll, featured in this issue (2 words)
- 23.** This Brookland restaurant recently launched their 6-foot wine club
- 27.** Music venue, restaurant, wine bar and winery located in Ivy City (2 words)
- 28.** A subset of wine made without pesticides, chemicals and other additives
- 33.** This French region is world-famous for its vineyards and top-notch wine labels; over 90 percent of wines from here are reds made with merlot and cabernet sauvignon
- 34.** A trained and knowledgeable wine professional, normally working in fine restaurants
- 36.** Region in Southern France known for its syrah, grenache, mourvèdre, viognier and roussanne
- 37.** A soft, velvety red wine that was extremely popular in the '90s
- 39.** A delicious wine to which a distilled spirit, usually brandy, has been added

- 16.** Refers to drawing off the blended wines into bottles ready for a second alcoholic fermentation
- 20.** This gives wine a tart or sour taste, and wines high in this pair well with rich and fatty foods
- 24.** The fear of wine
- 25.** What wine to serve with certain foods
- 26.** Most commonly refers to a blend, either of more than one grape or of wine
- 29.** Georgetown wine bar with great charcuterie boards
- 30.** Roman god of wine, called Dionysos in ancient Greece
- 31.** The world's most popular light-bodied red wine (2 words)
- 32.** Type of white wine made by leaving the grape

- 40.** A fault where the wine tends to lose vibrancy in both color and flavor
- 41.** Where to store wine to protect it from harmful external influences, providing darkness and constant cool temperature and humidity
- 45.** A vessel used to separate wine from any sediment that may have formed and to aerate a wine in the hope that its aromas and flavors will be more vibrant
- 46.** The drying, bitter flavor in wine that comes from the grape skin or the oak it was aged in
- 47.** Short for one of the most widely recognized red wine grape varieties; pairs well with steak
- 48.** Spanish sparkling wine
- 49.** The world's largest wine producer, followed by France and Spain
- 50.** Some people think these relate to the quality, sweetness or viscosity of the wine, but they show the alcohol level
- 51.** The practice to sell wine before it's bottled

- skins and seeds in contact with the juice
- 35.** Designates a medium-sweet wine, but literally translates to half dry
- 38.** Industrial-chic store offering a wide variety of Latin American wines as well as classes (2 words)
- 40.** Uses natural substances and physical, mechanical or biologically based farming methods
- 42.** Exposing the wine to air or giving it a chance to "breathe" before drinking it
- 43.** Metabolic process that produces chemical changes; the process by which grapes become wine
- 44.** Refers to the ability to identify and taste different characteristics of wine
- 47.** A term for a wine that has become contaminated with cork taint