The Crossword

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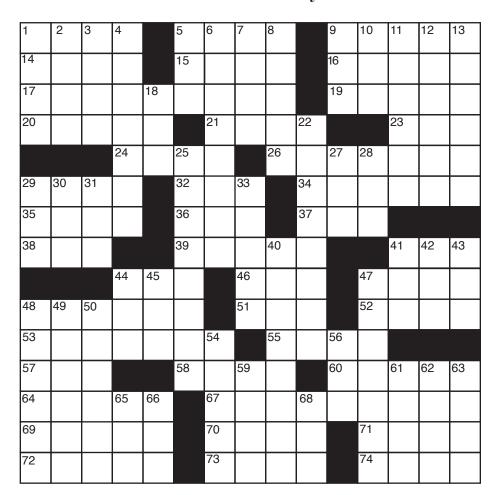
ACROSS

- 1. Species of bunting bird prevalent in Europe
- 5. Bit of hair or feathers
- 9. Brand of spa products
- 14. Hit from Sarah McLachlan
- 15. About, in a formal business memo
- 16. One handling media and brand exposure, briefly
- 17. Like Romeo & Juliet's love
- 19. Caring but strict approach to love
- 20. Poet T S _____
- 21. Shaq's sneakers, width wise
- 23. Media org from 1983-2019 in MN
- 24. Relapse (abbr.)
- 26. Soft Cell's brand of love in the 80s
- 29. Historical thriller starring Ben Affleck
- 32. Not IRL
- 34. boom and 36 across
- 35. That which falls in fall
- 36. Graphic in a Batman episode
- 37. Reduced share of the proceeds?
- 38. Appropriately rhyming synonym for chop and crop
- 39. Love, in a 1986 Anita Baker hit
- 41. MRI target in a knee
- 44. Anticipated at any moment
- 46. Former British record label, abbr.
- 47. Words you just heard
- 48. Referee of sorts
- 51. Head across the pond?
- 52. Armstrong or Peart
- 53. Love to Depeche Mode or Halsey
- 55 Ministered to, abbr
- 57. I finished all ___ '_' ...now onto 'P'." (Alphabetical filing comment)
- 58. Greenhouse Gas Tech Info
- 60. Wiser's partner
- 64. Third grader's love, perhaps
- 67. Philadelphian's love, so it's said
- 69. Pilot's bailout button
- 70. Sci-fi novel or beach sighting
- 71. Neat in Scotland
- 72. Unscrambled, it's a restaurant and its patron
- 73. Suffix with "snooze" or "Oktober"
- 74. Sound loudness unit

DOWN

- 1. Doza Rizen or The Daily Grind
- 2. American ____

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- 3. "Rude Boy" singer to fans
- 4. ____love; rewarding but low paying work
- 5. Three times daily, on an Rx
- 6. Recoil of a wave
- 7. Hippie's kind of love
- 8. Reversable doctrine?
- 9. Appropriate abbr for a rented resi dence?
- 10. "Very rare, brother" according to the Urban Dictionary
- 11. Spouts lava
- 12. Academic awards
- 13. Plant eating insects
- 18. Suffix for graph or meteor
- 22. Permit or punish criminal actions
- 25. A score of zero
- 27. Promissory note, briefly
- 28. Syllable before pick or wit
- 29. An amount from which nothing is left out
- 30. ____ Speedwagon
- 31. Bit of opening
- 33. Donna Summer's "____ Love"

- 40. Glee, jealosy, joy and sadness
- 41. It may be in the hole or up a sleeve42. Third to last letter of the Greek alphabet
- 43. Omg u r 2 funny!!
- 44. Not noche
- 45. Mantle piece or coffee maker
- 47. Love, according to Diana Ross and Lionel Ritchie's 1981 hit
- 48. Event won by Naomi Osaka, twice
- 49. Honshü high point
- 50. Appropriate
- 54. Lines on a staff, maybe
- 56. Homer Simpon exclamation
- 59. Pink's Love
- 61. Shortest entitled James Bond film
- 62. North Carolina University or a very famous CEO, to friends
- 63. Isle of Wight town with the world's oldest pleasure pier
- 65. Price index known for capturing inflation
- 66. Thus far, to a CPA