

# WHAT CAN YOU DO ON A SATURDAY NIGHT ALONE? - SOLUTION TO LAST ISSUE'S PUZZLE

Answers inspired by three of the housemates from *Saturday Night* were to be modified in three different ways before being entered in the grid. Ted's answers scrambled to find a girl; i.e. anagrammed into girls' names. Ray's took in a movie; i.e. had a movie title added to the interior. Gene's answers attended a swell party; i.e. were entered with DO up front. Initial letters of the affected clues spelled a description of the boys: WEEKEND WORRIERS.

## Clue Notes

(\* indicates an anagram; " " indicates a homophone)

Across 1. A+MILE\*+S+S = AIMLESS -> MELISSA 6. A REBUS\* 10. C+O[ALFIE]LD 12. EAT RUN\* 13. GAL+TOO reversed 14. ITEMS\* 18. OR(DIN)ALS -> ROSALIND 20. ARMED\* 23. [DO]ZIN+G 24. [DO]RIPE\* 26. SENSE(-i)S 27. likened IT TO Stupidity 30. Y+CHAT\* 31. GRAIN TO\*+I 34. LEARN\* 36. RO(DEN)T 37. LIMPED\* 38. P(ORT)[RAY]AL 39. RA+RICE\* = RACIER -> CARRIE 40. [DO](-s)CENTS

Down 1. MAN[FRIDA]+Y 2. ERAS(-e) 3. LA+TEST 4. SO+RE(-al)LY 5. tropicAL VINes 7. BI(A)S 8. NOVELS\*+S 9. double definition of HURT -> RUTH 11. [DO]WA(G[-am])ER 14. HABIT+AT -> TABITHA 16. MIR+R+OR 17. TR(I+NIT)Y 19. [DO]SAGE doouble def. 21. iMpUISeS 22. POP+ADOS reversed 23. IDS\* 25. ID CARP\* containing O 28. MAIN\*+AC 29. CO[UP](O)N 32. I+LAID\* 33. CROC(-k) 34. "auntie" 35. G(L)UT

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|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|----|---|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1  | M | 2  | E  | 3  | L  | I  | 4  | S  | S  | 5  | A | 6 | A  | 7 | B  | U | 8 | S | E | 9 | R |
|    | A | R  | A  | 10 | C  | O  | A  | L  | F  | I  | E | L | 11 | D | U  |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 12 | N | A  | T  | U  | R  | E  | V  | 13 | G  | A  | L | O | O  | T |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|    | F | S  | E  | 14 | T  | 15 | E  | 16 | M  | I  | T | S | 17 | T | V  | W | H |   |   |   |   |
| 18 | R | O  | S  | A  | L  | I  | N  | 19 | D  | 20 | D | R | E  | A | 21 | M |   |   |   |   |   |
|    | I | 22 | S  | T  | B  | Y  | R  | 23 | D  | O  | Z | I | N  | G | U  |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 24 | D | O  | 25 | P  | I  | E  | R  | I  | 26 | S  | E | N | S  | E | S  |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|    | A | 27 | D  | I  | T  | T  | O  | S  | A  | 28 | M | I | 29 | C | R  | H |   |   |   |   |   |
| 30 | Y | A  | C  | H  | T  | 31 | R  | 32 | I  | G  | A | T | O  | N | I  |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 33 | C | P  | A  | A  | 34 | A  | R  | L  | E  | N  | Y | U | 35 | G | N  |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 36 | R | O  | D  | E  | N  | T  | I  | 37 | D  | I  | M | P | L  | E |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|    | O | 38 | P  | O  | R  | T  | R  | A  | Y  | A  | L | O | U  | S |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| 39 | C | A  | R  | R  | I  | E  | 40 | D  | O  | C  | E | N | T  | S |    |   |   |   |   |   |   |