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# THE CVT CONNECTION

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# CONNECTING THROUGH SUPPORT AND SPONSORSHIP

At Copper Valley Telecom, we believe in the power of community. From Valdez to Glennallen to Cordova, we're proud to support local organizations, businesses, and events that bring people together and make our region a better place to live.

Our donations and sponsorships reflect our deep commitment to the communities we serve. We're honored to sponsor nonprofit events like the Valdez Museum programs, Cordova Chamber of Commerce activities, AVV's Women of Distinction event, and local initiatives such as the Valdez Library and the Glennallen Food Bank. Supporting schools and clubs is also a priority for us, as we recognize the importance of investing in youth and students—the future of our communities.

Beyond financial contributions, Copper Valley Telecom provides

essential services like telephone and internet for organizations such as the Valdez Fish Derbies and the Slana Community Center, ensuring they stay connected to the people they serve.

We also love collaborating on unique community initiatives! From sponsoring t-shirts for the Kenny Lake School District, HHES 5th-grade field trip, and the Glennallen Chiropractic 4th of July Fun Run, we take pride in helping make these events memorable!

At Copper Valley Telecom, we're always looking for new ways to support our community. We welcome requests for donations and sponsorships year-round! If your organization has a project or event that could benefit from our support, we encourage you to apply by visiting [www.cvtc.org/sponsorship](http://www.cvtc.org/sponsorship). Together, we can continue building a stronger, more connected future for everyone.

## CHRISTMAS CROSSWORD QUESTIONS

### ACROSS

4. How does Santa Claus traditionally bring presents into the house?
6. Famous words from this Dr. include "Christmas doesn't come from a store, maybe Christmas perhaps means a little bit more?"
8. What food did Kevin McCallister's family order the night before their departure?
10. In the late 90s Tickle Me \_\_\_\_\_ was such a holiday hit that it sold out nationwide causing hysteric levels of demand during the shopping season.
13. This Christmas-themed ballet premiered in 1892.
15. In the movie, *Elf*, what condiment does Buddy put on everything?
16. In *How the Grinch Stole Christmas*, the Grinch finally realizes that he cares about the Whos, and his heart grows how many sizes that day?
19. Singing to bring Holiday cheer.
20. What word for the Christmas season derives from an ancient Germanic pagan holiday?
21. A tasty Christmas beverage.
25. The Canadian holiday the day after Christmas.
26. What vegetables do kids leave out for reindeer to eat on Christmas Eve?
28. "Mele Kalikimaka" means "Merry Christmas" in what language?
30. What country is the Poinsettia, with its red and green foliage, native to?
33. In the song, *The Twelve Days of Christmas*, how many golden rings are there?
34. What is the main ingredient in gingerbread cookies?
39. Family featured in *National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation*.
41. Who tries to stop Christmas from coming, by stealing all things of Christmas from "the Who's"?
42. Edible Holiday Houses.
43. This famous Christmas song talks about \_\_\_\_\_ Days of Christmas.
44. Teddy \_\_\_\_\_ was the animatronic cassette-playing bear toy that every kid wanted for Christmas in the mid 80s.
45. According to the song, what was Frosty the Snowman's nose made out of?
47. The most reviled holiday baked good.

### DOWN

1. This decoration was originally made from strands of silver.
2. This traditional Christmas decoration is actually a parasitic plant?
3. How many ghosts show up in *A Christmas Carol*?
4. The North American word for Reindeer.
5. What brand of scooter was a must-have Christmas gift for children in 2000?
7. In one oddball tradition, an ornament shaped like what food item is hidden on the Christmas tree?
9. Over 2 billion of these are sent each year during the holiday season.
11. What color is the elephant that describes the exchange of amusing and impractical gifts during the holidays?
12. How many times does Santa check his list.
13. What word for Christmas or a Christmas carol was borrowed from French?
14. German for "Christmas Tree" or "Fir Tree".
15. What birds were given on the 7th day of Christmas?
17. How many reindeer are featured in the poem *'Twas the Night Before Christmas*?
18. This reindeer shares a name with a symbol of Valentine's Day.
22. The song *Jingle Bells* was originally written to celebrate what holiday?
23. In the hit holiday song *This Christmas*, what is shining bright?
24. Spanish for "Christmas".
27. The most famous reindeer of all.
29. In the movie *Home Alone*, where is the family going on vacation when they leave Kevin behind?
31. The Monday following Thanksgiving
32. This magical item is what brought Frosty the Snowman to life.
35. Santa's favorite mode of transportation.
36. A calendar to count down to Christmas.
37. In *A Christmas Story*, what color is the bunny suit the main character receives from his aunt?
38. Mr. Scrooge's first name.
40. The main character in *A Christmas Story*.
46. What real-life department store does *Miracle on 34th Street* take place at?

# 10 CHRISTMAS CLASSICS AND WHERE TO STREAM

Let the streaming festivities begin this holiday season! It's the perfect time to revisit those beloved classic Christmas movies that fill our hearts with joy, nostalgia, and holiday cheer.

We've rounded up a list of 10 timeless Christmas films, along with where you can stream them, with CVT's high-speed fiber internet, all without the need for a cable subscription. Get ready to unwind and enjoy the magic of the season!

**It's a Wonderful Life** (1946)  
A holiday classic. Available on *Amazon Prime Video*.

**Scrooge** (1951)  
A timeless "A Christmas Carol" adaptation. Stream on *Tubi*.

**Miracle on 34th Street** (1947)  
A heartwarming tale of Santa Claus. Watch it on *Disney+*.

**A Charlie Brown Christmas** (1965)  
An animated classic. Available on *Apple TV+*.

**The Muppet Christmas Carol** (1992)  
The Muppets' musical take on Dickens' classic. Stream on *Disney+*.

**Home Alone** (1990)  
Holiday hijinks with Kevin McCallister. Watch it on *Disney+*.

**Love Actually** (2003)  
A romantic dramedy with holiday love stories. Available on *Amazon Prime Video*.

**Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer** (1964)  
A stop-motion classic. Stream on *Apple TV+*.

**Jingle All the Way** (1996)  
Arnold Schwarzenegger stars in this holiday comedy. Watch on *Disney+*.

**The Santa Clause** (1994)  
Tim Allen as an unexpected Santa. Stream on *Disney+*.

These films bring warmth, cheer, and a bit of holiday magic to the season. Grab some cocoa, snuggle up, and let the streaming begin!

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12 DAYS OF

Christmas

DECEMBER  
6<sup>TH</sup> - 23<sup>RD</sup>, 2024

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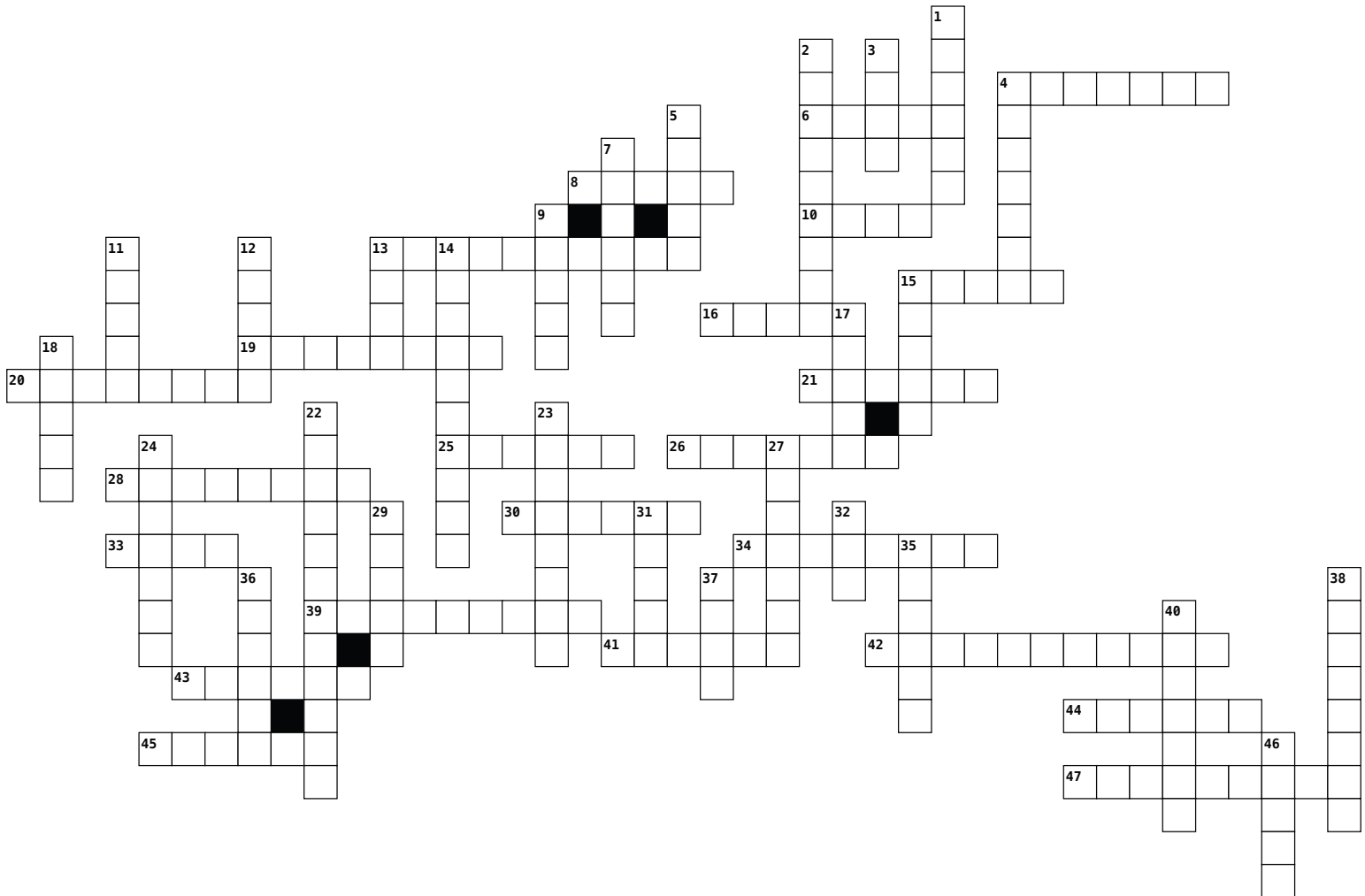
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### CHRISTMAS CROSSWORD

Answer the questions on the inside pages to solve this holiday themed puzzle!



Solve the wordsearch, tear off, then mail or drop off at the Glennallen or Valdez business office. Return by the 10th of the month to ensure your entry is included in the monthly drawing. Congratulations to the last issue's winners, **KATHLEEN STRATTON** (Glennallen), **DARREN CAUDLE** (Valdez), and **JAMIE PALLAS** (Cordova). **REMEMBER TO FILL IN YOUR NAME!**

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