

Matthew 1:18

The Grand Miracle

Across

- 1. With 32, 49, and 74 across, Scripture's explanation for Mary's pregnancy
- 7. "How ___, O Lord?" (Psalmist query)
- 11. Book before Mat
- 14. Book a.k.a. Ecclesiasticus
- 15. Bl. Pedro ___ Mendia (d.1936, f.8-29)
- 16. Sainly virgin (d.570, f.1-15)
- 17. Holy woman of Cascia (d.1456, f.5-22)
- 18. "The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall ___" (Ps 23:1)
- 19. "Fr. ___" (movie starring Mark Wahlberg)
- 20. Put on
- 22. Mercy (Heb.)
- 24. Biblical symbol of power
- 27. Papal vestment
- 31. Superman friend Lang
- 32. See 1 across
- 36. Father of Shaphat (1 Chr 7:29)
- 37. Hiding places
- 38. Actor Keanu
- 40. Descendant of Nahor (Gen 22:24)
- 44. Shoelace tips
- 48. Sainly bishop (f.2-15)
- 49. See 1 across
- 52. Type of prophet
- 53. "If ___ you hear his voice..."
- 54. Ark builder (DR)
- 55. "And all these things shall be ___ unto you..." (Seek Ye First)
- 57. Merit
- 60. Kind of testament?
- 61. Name meaning *man*
- 65. Of Dan or Judah, e.g.
- 69. "benedictum fructum ventris ___" (Latin Salve)
- 70. "You Are ___" (Haas hymn)

- 71. Bishop of Laredo, Texas, James A. ___
 - 72. Shocked shorthand
 - 73. Cardinal O'Connor's successor
 - 74. See 1 across
- ## Down
- 1. Servants of the Blessed Sacrament, initially
 - 2. Strike
 - 3. Go astray
 - 4. Weep loudly
 - 5. Court records
 - 6. "In the ___ of your wings..."
 - 7. What Moses gave Israel
 - 8. Letters after an Augustinian's name
 - 9. Father of Joshua
 - 10. Birthplace of Goliath
 - 11. Official worship aid
 - 12. Therefore, we must ___ all the more..." (Heb 2:1)
 - 13. "___ Zion" (Hymn)

- 21. Catholic composer Genuis
- 23. Descendant of Javan (Gen 10:4)
- 24. How the three kings traversed?
- 25. What Jesus did on a colt
- 26. Stubborn beast
- 28. ___ loss for words
- 29. Lovers of the Holy Cross, initially
- 30. Dutch city where St. Edith Stein lived as a nun
- 33. City associated with Opus Dei
- 34. St. Juan ___ (d.1548, f.12-9)
- 35. "...she also gave some to her husband, who was with her, and ___ it." (Gen 3:6)
- 39. Slattern
- 41. Amenhotep IV's god
- 42. Historic French town named for a holy Catholic man
- 43. Georgetown athlete

- 45. With 59 down, "I Am" (Greek)
- 46. Religious deg.
- 47. Christmas tree topper
- 49. Latin hymn of praise
- 50. Sainly religious (d.1243, f.10-16)
- 51. Hotels headquartered in Chicago
- 52. ___ Domingo
- 56. Notre ___
- 58. "'I will offer her to him as a ___..." (1 Sam 18:21)
- 59. See 45 down
- 62. Archaeological site
- 63. Baptist leader?
- 64. "Rise Up, O ___ of God"
- 66. Son of, in Aramaic
- 67. Chinese aunt
- 68. Abraham's nephew

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