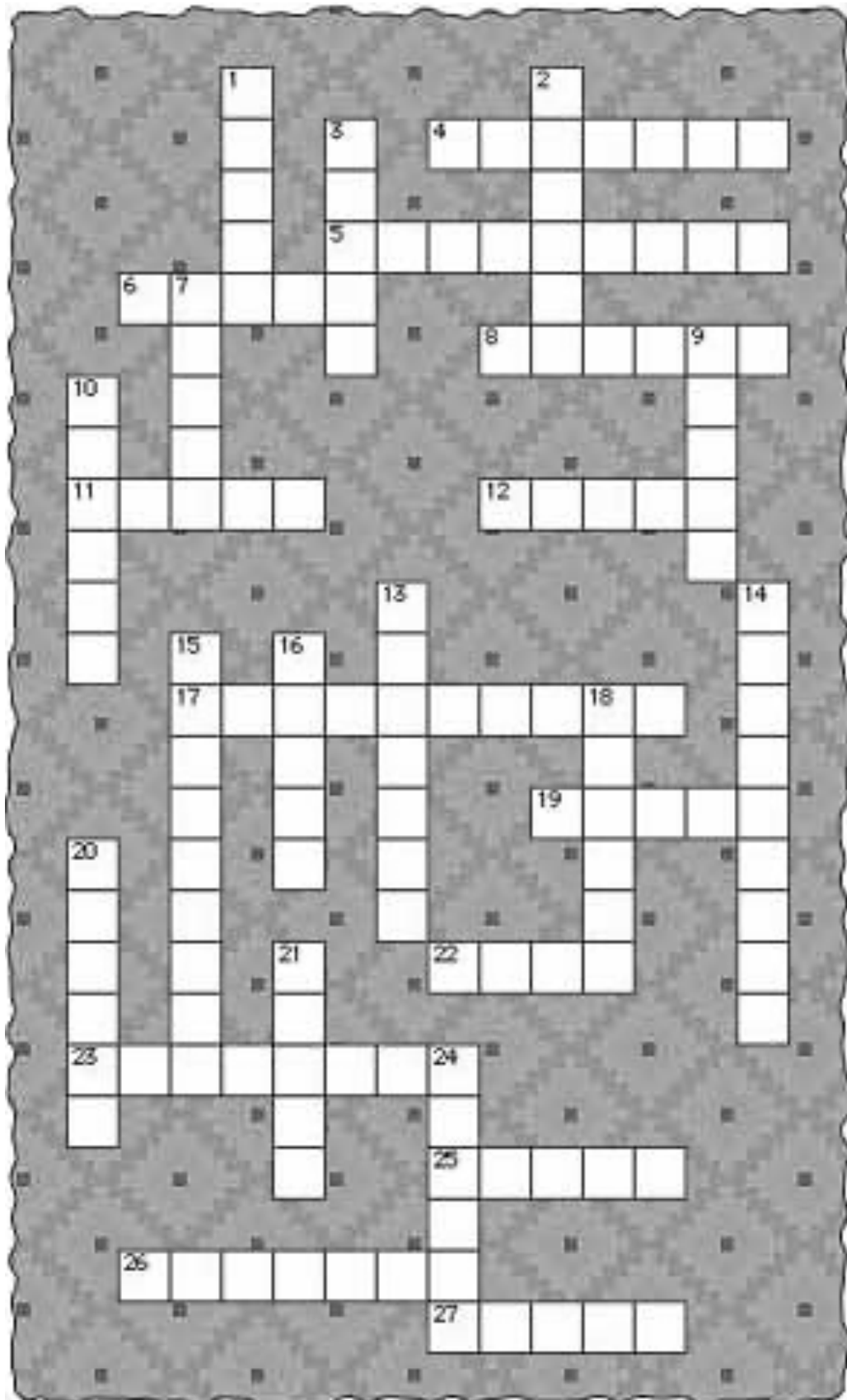


Ganesha Puzzle: The Puzzle of the Lord of Spiritual Mysteries

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Across

4. Faith.
5. Loving Ganesha, like His brother Murugan, holds this great power. It flashes in the sky during storms, Spirit over mind, mind over matter.
6. "A "not spiritual" being living in the Second World on the lower astral plane, sometimes called a "demon."
8. The animal that each Hindu God is depicted as riding on, symbolic of a function of the God.
11. "God." Can refer to the image or *murti* installed in a temple or to the Mahadeva whom the murthi represents.
12. A troop of devas, especially used in reference to Lord Siva's attendants under Lord Ganesha's supervision.
17. The last portion of the Vedas. They teach philosophy through people asking questions and wise *rishis'* giving answers.
19. Loving Ganesha broke this, His beautiful right tusk in a sacrificial act, using it as a stylus to get the job done. By this act He demonstrates that what we begin we must finish.
22. Inner plane being of light.
23. The ancient Hindu symbol of auspiciousness and good fortune. A Square cross with broken arms.
25. The fiery, restless quality of nature.
26. A sweet nut from a palm tree hard as a rock, but soft and white Inside.
27. What He shoots from his bow.

Down

1. Small circle of red powder (*kunkuma*) placed between and just above the eyebrows. It symbolizes the opening of the third eye, seeing with superconscious soul vision.
2. Loving Ganesha edits all these scriptures on this and other planets.
3. Sacred art of "drawing" intricate decorative patterns at the entrance to a home or temple or at ceremonial sites with the rice powder or colored powdered pulses.
7. Hinduism's revealed scriptures.
9. Loving Ganesha uses this rope-like device to draw close those He loves and save strayed ones in extraordinary ways.
10. Spiritual attainment or power, superconscious abilities, fulfillment.
13. Triple-pointed lance representing Siva's three-in-one power: Love, Wisdom and Action.
14. Loving Ganesha sits at Lord Siva's holy feet with japa *mala* made of these seeds.
15. The chakra located at the base of the spine and governing memory, time and space where Loving Ganesha sits inside each person.
16. Sanskrit word meaning "deed or act;" the principle of cause and effect. Also, the totality of our actions and their concomitant reactions in this and all previous lives.
18. Divine law; the law of being; the way of righteousness or "that which holds one's true nature."
20. Loving Ganesha makes us grow healthy food by the desire for this simple underground vegetable.
21. Loving Ganesha wants us to be like this flower that "comes from the depths of the mud opening into the bud high above the water's edge."
24. The nectar of immortality that Loving Ganesha keeps in his pot.

Solution

