

# A Bit B.E. Wilbered Blog Puzzle #1

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- 1 Part of Bert's ensemble on "Sesame Street"
- 12 One of LBJ's beagles
- 15 Source of saloon tunes
- 16 Suffix with tank
- 17 What a seed may become?
- 18 Org. known for lots of receptions
- 19 Homeric quotation?
- 20 Seal the fate of
- 21 Succumbed to humidity
- 23 Lodges
- 24 Those using a 30-Across, e.g.
- 25 Trial figure, briefly
- 28 "Floor it, dude!"
- 29 Wedding reception ritual
- 30 Address frowned upon by FedEx
- 31 Head at Oxford
- 32 Sit a spell
- 33 Namesake of a 1980s craze
- 34 Flimflam artist's target
- 35 Gomez's relative
- 36 Like terry cloth
- 37 "Capturing" board game
- 38 Whence some sound bites emerge
- 40 Persuaded of
- 41 Greenish drink orders
- 42 Wall St. units
- 43 Home to the Kansas State School for the Deaf
- 44 Parodies
- 45 Company that snagged Oscar darling Anna Paquin for a 1994 TV spot
- 48 Group photo composition, often
- 49 The "you" in the Bee Gees' "I just wanna lay my love on you"
- 52 Derby venue: abbr.
- 53 Founder of the Kadima Party
- 54 "Riddle-me, riddle-me-\_\_\_"
- 55 Sub request

- 6 Four-time American Basketball Association MVP
- 7 Engineers the interpretation of
- 8 Dogpatch denizen
- 9 Type of flour
- 10 1944 Pacific Theater battle site
- 11 Pill sung about briefly in "Little Shop of Horrors"
- 12 Thinly populated stretch, maybe
- 13 Beneath
- 14 Like Mr. Rogers
- 22 Paper tray abbr.
- 23 Johns Hopkins Univ.'s Peabody \_\_\_
- 24 Bridge maneuver
- 25 Its better players enjoy decent coverage
- 26 Comply
- 27 Burial site for tennis legend Althea Gibson
- 28 Gray matter sections

- 30 Penny dreadful successors
- 33 Territory divided by the Moroccan Military Berm
- 34 Eatery introduced in a Scorsese film
- 36 Self-important bureaucrat
- 37 Big Stuttgart employer
- 39 "We Know Drama" network
- 40 "Cut me some slack!"
- 42 Out of the bag, in a way
- 44 Like balsamic vinegar
- 45 "Monsoon Wedding" director \_\_\_ Nair
- 46 Become overwhelmingly sweet
- 47 Fig. on a driver's license
- 50 Sub request
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