

Solution to Puzzle #3 – August 2001 "August"

A	U	G	U	T	A	E	M	O	T	I
V	E	H	R	A	S	S	P	R	E	S
E	N	T	O	P	T	I	O	N	S	T
R	E	W	N	E	E	D	L	E	H	E
A	V	I	E	R	D	E	A	T	E	P
E	E	N	L	O	E	L	Y	E	R	R
A	N	T	I	N	G	O	T	G	R	I
N	B	R	A	N	O	V	A	G	E	N
T	R	Y	D	E	F	E	C	S	S	C
I	O	N	E	L	I	T	I	S	M	S
Q	U	E	L	P	R	E	C	I	O	S

The omitted letters (in parentheses in the list below) spell
SAINT AUGUSTINE

Across

1. AUGU(S)TA
2. EMOTIVE
3. H(A)RASS
4. PRESENT
5. OPTION
6. STREW
7. NEEDLE
8. HEAVIER
9. (I)DEATE
10. PEEN
11. LO(N)ELY
12. ERRANT
13. INGOT
14. GRIN
15. BRA
16. NOVA
17. GENTRY
18. DEFEC(T)S
19. SCION
20. ELITISM
21. SQUE(A)L
22. PRECIO(U)S

Down

1. AVERA(G)E
2. ANTIQUE
3. (U)NEVEN
4. BROUGHT
5. WINTRY
6. NEURON
7. ELIA
8. DELTA
9. PER(S)ONNEL
10. PASTED
11. EGO
12. FIRESIDE
13. LOVE
14. TEMPO
15. LAY
16. TACI(T)
17. CORNET
18. EGGS
19. SITE
20. SHERR(I)ES
21. MOISTE(N)
22. PRINC(E)SS