

**Solution to Puzzle #27 – August, 2003 "What is the title of this puzzle?"**

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

The title of this puzzle is "Washington Crossing the Delaware," as suggested by the hidden words **WASHINGTON** and **THE DELAWARE** that cross in the grid (in **red**). The omitted letters (in parentheses in the list below) spell **EMANUEL LEUTZE**, the name of the artist who painted the famous picture, *Washington Crossing the Delaware*, which may be viewed at <https://www.metmuseum.org/art/collection/search/11417>.

**Across**

1. SW(E)LTER
2. ATONE
3. LEAH
4. DASH
5. CREA(M)ER
6. ST(A)PLE
7. A(N)EMONE
8. THROWS
9. GAM
10. OVARIAN
11. SUN
12. CRETE
13. (U)LNAE
14. LAMER
15. SEES
16. GR(E)ATEST
17. DANCE
18. TRANCE
19. ULTRA
20. SOUTH
21. ASTRID
22. CONTORT
23. E(L)EPHANT

**Down**

1. SLA(L)OM
2. C(E)MENT
3. TWEEN
4. ORE
5. SCHOLAR
6. EVERT
7. EARTH
8. STAT(U)S
9. DUSTED
10. THREE
11. ALTER
12. APRIL
13. ENTREA(T)S
14. LOAN
15. SCRIPT
16. HEWN
17. AGE
18. AD HOC
19. ASSERT
20. SCAN
21. REGULAR
22. O(Z)ONE
23. EMANAT(E)
24. AUNT