

Solution to Puzzle #64 – September, 2006 "Food for Thought"

J	U	L	I	A	T	U	R	A	N	T
A	L	I	S	M	A	N	A	L	M	O
S	T	S	T	A	T	E	P	L	A	C
E	R	H	O	N	O	R	M	O	T	O
R	A	R	R	W	S	C	O	P	E	O
T	T	A	W	A	M	A	R	I	N	K
H	A	K	I	T	A	N	I	N	O	M
E	L	E	T	C	L	O	S	E	S	E
W	E	R	S	H	T	T	E	R	T	H
A	M	E	S	P	A	S	S	T	R	O
Y	U	S	H	O	T	C	H	I	L	D

The omitted letters (in parentheses in the list below) spell
BON APPETIT

Across

1. **JULIA**
2. TUR(B)AN
3. TALISMAN
4. ALMOST
5. STATE
6. PLACER
7. HONOR
8. MOTOR
9. ARR(O)W
10. SCOPE
11. OTTAWA
12. MARIN
13. KHAKI
14. TA(N)NIN
15. OMELET
16. CLOSE
17. SEWER
18. SH(A)TTER
19. THAMES
20. PASS
21. TROY
22. U(P)SHOT
23. **CHILD**

Down

1. JAS(P)ER
2. **THE WAY**
3. ULTRA
4. TALE
5. MULISH
6. RAKE
7. RESISTOR
8. WITS
9. SHAMAN
10. WATCH
11. POTATO(E)S
12. MALTA
13. TUNER
14. CANOT
15. SCRAP
16. MOR(T)ISE
17. SHALLOP
18. INERT
19. INMATE
20. NOSTR(I)L
21. **TO COOK**
22. ME(T)HOD

Kevin Wald solved the puzzle in 60 minutes.