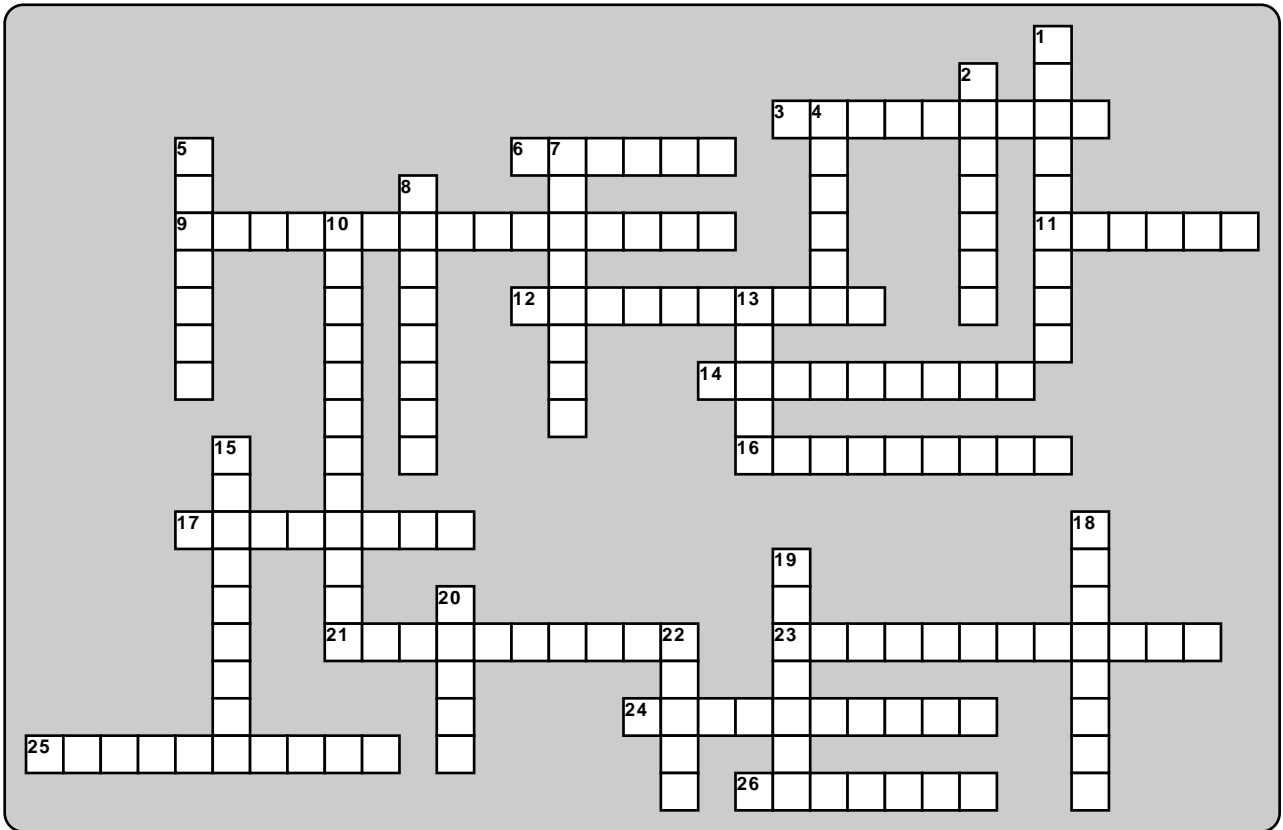


The Life of Abraham Lincoln



Across

3 - George _____ ran for president in 1864 and was defeated by Abraham Lincoln. When this man was the commander of the Army of the Potomac, Lincoln had many problems with this overly-cautious (and rude) general.

6 - Because of his kindness, gentleness and wisdom, Lincoln was sometimes called "_____ Abraham".

9 - Lincoln won a seat in the United States House of _____ in 1846. He represented Illinois.

11 - Hannibal _____ was Lincoln's first Vice President.

12 - On November 19, 1863, Lincoln gave an address at the dedication of the national cemetery at _____: "Four score and seven years ago our fathers brought forth on this continent, a new nation, conceived in Liberty, and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal."

14 - Lincoln signed the _____ Act in 1862. This act said that anyone who had not fought against the Union (including freed slaves) could get land of their own outside the original 13 colonies by 1) filing an application, 2) improving the land, and 3) filing for a deed.

16 - He earned the nickname "_____ _____" because he would go out of his way to make sure that he treated people fairly & truthfully.

17 - Abraham Lincoln married this woman in 1842. They had four children; all but one died young.

21 - When Lincoln was young, he made several flatboat trips down the Mississippi River to this large Louisiana city.

Down

1 - In 1832, Lincoln served in this little-known war, named after a Sauk warrior trying to regain tribal lands lost to white settlers.

2 - Lincoln opposed the spread of _____ into the territories.

4 - Some people believe this 1860 speech, the _____ Union Address, is his best: "Let us have faith that right makes might, and in that faith, let us, to the end, dare to do our duty as we understand it."

5 - On January 1, 1863, _____ - Americans were allowed to fight in the Union army because of an Act signed by Abraham Lincoln.

7 - This September 1862 battle gave Lincoln the opportunity to issue a proclamation declaring slaves in the Confederacy to be free.

8 - Lincoln was born in this state

10 - The _____ Proclamation went into effect on January 1, 1863 - freeing slaves ONLY in parts of the Confederacy (and Union) NOT under Union control.

13 - This famous Southern actor shot Abraham Lincoln on April 14, 1865.

15 - Lincoln's Second _____ Address included these famous words: "With malice toward none; with charity for all; with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in..."

Across

23 - On June 16, 1858, Lincoln gave his famous "_____ " speech: "A "_____ " against itself cannot stand."

24 - When _____ fell to the new Confederacy in April 1861, Lincoln called for 75,000 three-month volunteers to help preserve the Union.

25 - Lincoln was a Whig until he joined this political party in 1856, known for its anti-slavery position.

26 - When Lincoln was seven years old, his family lived in this state for a short time

Down

18 - In 1830, the Lincolns moved to this state, where he lived for most of his adult life. Today, this state's slogan is "Land of Lincoln".

19 - Andrew _____ was Lincoln's second Vice President. He would also become the President after Lincoln was assassinated in 1865.

20 - When Lincoln was shot (April 14, 1865), he had been watching a play entitled "Our American Cousin" at _____ Theater.

22 - To demonstrate a point, Lincoln would often tell a s_____.