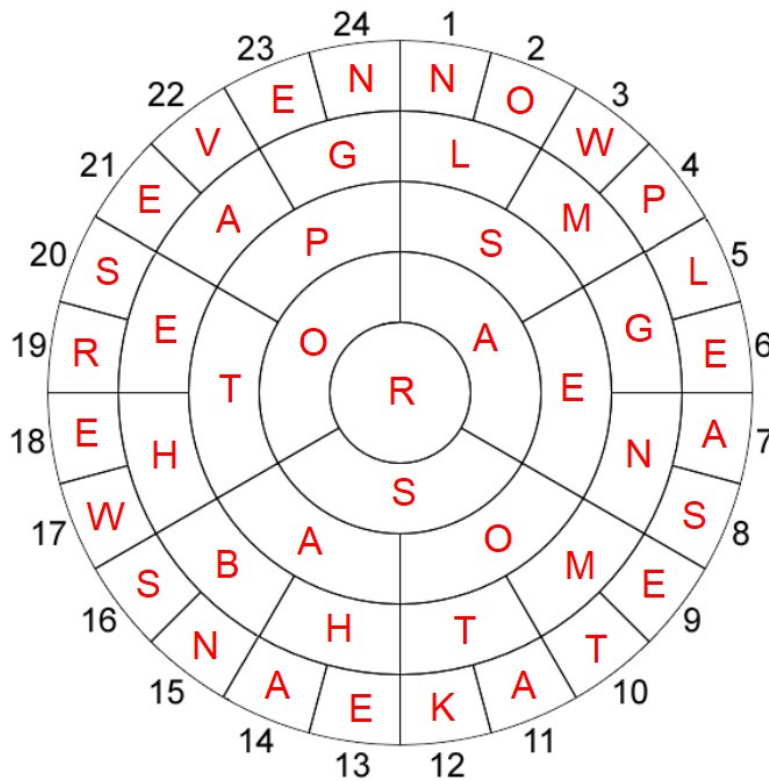


# The Ring

*This is no mere piece of jewelry.*

Each answer in this puzzle uses the five letters starting from the numbered space and reading inward—but those five letters will appear in a scrambled order. It's up to you to logically place the letters into the correct spaces so that all 24 answers can be made.



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| 1 Angry animal sound <b>SNARL</b>                 | 13 Option under a Facebook post <b>SHARE</b>           |
| 2 Renewable energy option <b>SOLAR</b>            | 14 Comedian Silverman <b>SARAH</b>                     |
| 3 A whole lot of insects <b>SWARM</b>             | 15 Farmland buildings <b>BARNs</b>                     |
| 4 Skateboard park features <b>RAMPs</b>           | 16 Military higher-ups, in slang <b>BRASS</b>          |
| 5 Angry look <b>GLARE</b>                         | 17 Toss <b>THROW</b>                                   |
| 6 Rarin' to go <b>EAGER</b>                       | 18 Survey option when nothing else fits <b>OTHER</b>   |
| 7 Large concert venue <b>ARENA</b>                | 19 Back in fashion after many years <b>RETRO</b>       |
| 8 ___ drum <b>SNARE</b>                           | 20 One of many at the mall <b>STORE</b>                |
| 9 Inventor Samuel <b>MORSE</b>                    | 21 <i>Rigoletto</i> , for one <b>OPERA</b>             |
| 10 Dramatic weather event <b>STORM</b>            | 22 Gaseous form of water <b>VAPOR</b>                  |
| 11 Comedy event with lots of insults <b>ROAST</b> | 23 Try to find something in the dark, say <b>GROPE</b> |
| 12 Long-legged wading bird <b>STORK</b>           | 24 Pointy pitchfork part <b>PRONG</b>                  |

The outer ring of the completed grid spells **NOW PLEASE TAKE ANSWER SEVEN**. The answer to this puzzle is **ARENA**.