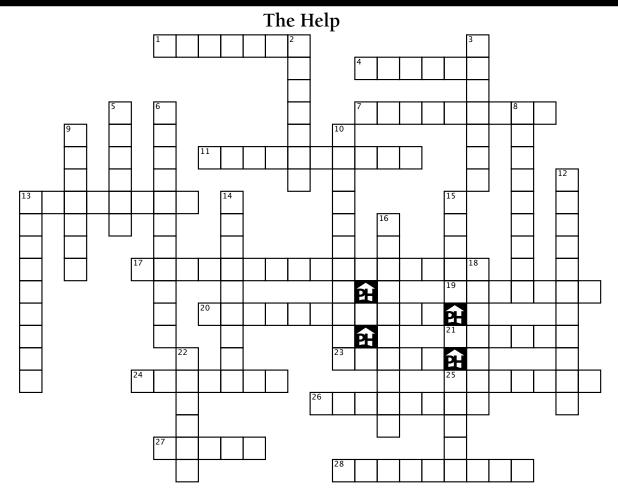
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#### Across

- 1. Reviews about *Help* speculate that the stories take place in
- 4. As her becomes worse, Skeeter's mother grows weaker.
- 7. Aibileen tells Mae Mobley, "You is kind, you is smart, you is
- 11. Celia grew up impoverished in a sweet trench. (2 words)
- 13. Aibileen affectionately calls Mae Mobley \_\_\_\_\_. (2 words)
- 17. Who is Aibileen's employer? (2 words)
- 19. Whose arrest inspires the other maids to tell Skeeter their stories? (2 words)
- 20. What civil rights leader's murder increases racial tensions in Jackson? (2 words)
- 21. Hilly pressures Skeeter into a blind date with the wealthy
- 23. Who rejects Skeeter's résumé, but offers to review her publishing ideas?
- 24. What does Skeeter tell her readers to put on Hilly's front lawn?
- 25. Which one of Hilly's friends says she will not fire her maid? (2 words)
- 26. The first maid to agree to help Skeeter with her book
- 27. This woman is alienated from the members of the Junior League.
- 28. The housekeeping advice column Skeeter asks Aibileen to help her with (2 words)

#### Down

- Skeeter receives a job opportunity in \_\_\_\_\_.
  (2 words)
- 3. After Aibileen is fired, she is able to pursue a career in .
- 5. The housewives get together to play this and gossip.
- 6. Hilly begins to question Skeeter's loyalty after finding a copy of this in her bag. (3 words)
- 8. The ironic name Skeeter gives the fictional town of her book
- 9. Celia agrees to hire Minny, but does not tell her \_\_\_\_\_.
- 10. Who signed Hilly up for the raffle to win Minny's chocolate pie? (2 words)
- 12. When Skeeter returns from college, she discovers this person is gone.
- 13. Hilly believes blacks and whites should have separate \_\_\_\_\_.
- 14. Who is the surprise Constantine referred to in her letter?
- 15. Who takes over as editor of the Junior League newsletter?
- 16. The most important social event of the year (2 words)
- 18. Yule May stole Hilly's ring in order to pay for her sons' \_\_\_\_\_.
- 22. What is Minny accused of stealing?
- 25. Minny is unable to stand up to this person.



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## **Answer Key**

#### Across

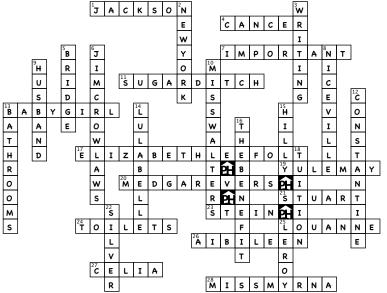
- the stories take place in \_\_\_ [JACKSON]
- As her \_ becomes worse, Skeeter's mother grows weaker. [CANCER]
- Aibileen tells Mae Mobley, "You is kind, you is smart, you is \_\_\_ [IMPORTANT]
- 11. Celia grew up impoverished in a sweet trench. (2 words) [SUGARDITCH]
- 13. Aibileen affectionately calls Mae Mobley (2 words) [BABYGIRL]
- 17. Who is Aibileen's employer? (2 words) [ELIZABETHLEEFOLT]
- Whose arrest inspires the other maids to tell Skeeter their stories? (2 words) [YULEMAY]
- 20. What civil rights leader's murder increases racial tensions in Jackson? (2 words) [MEDGAREVERS]

#### Down

- Skeeter receives a job opportu-. (2 words) nity in [NEWYORK]
- After Aibileen is fired, she is able to pursue a career in \_ [WRITING]
- The housewives get together to play this and gossip. [BRIDGE]
- Hilly begins to question Skeeter's loyalty after finding a copy of this in her bag. (3 words) [IIMCROWLAWS]

- Reviews about Help speculate that 21. Hilly pressures Skeeter into a blind date with the wealthy. [STUART]
  - 23. Who rejects Skeeter's résumé, but offers to review her publishing ideas? [STEIN]
  - 24. What does Skeeter tell her readers to put on Hilly's front lawn? [TOILETS]
  - 25. Which one of Hilly's friends says she will not fire her maid? (2 words) [LOUANNE]
  - 26. The first maid to agree to help Skeeter with her book[AIBILEEN]
  - 27. This woman is alienated from the members of the Junior League. [CELIA]
  - 28. The housekeeping advice column Skeeter asks Aibileen to help her with (2 words) [MISSMYRNA]
  - The ironic name Skeeter gives the fictional town of her book [NICEVILLE]
  - Celia agrees to hire Minny, but does not tell her \_ [HUSBAND]
  - 10. Who signed Hilly up for the raffle to win Minny's chocolate pie? (2 words) [MISSWALTERS]
  - 12. When Skeeter returns from college, she discovers this person is gone. [CONSTANTINE]

# The Help



- 13. Hilly believes blacks and whites should have separate \_\_\_\_\_. [BATHROOMS]
- Who is the surprise Constantine referred to in her letter? [LULABELLE]
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