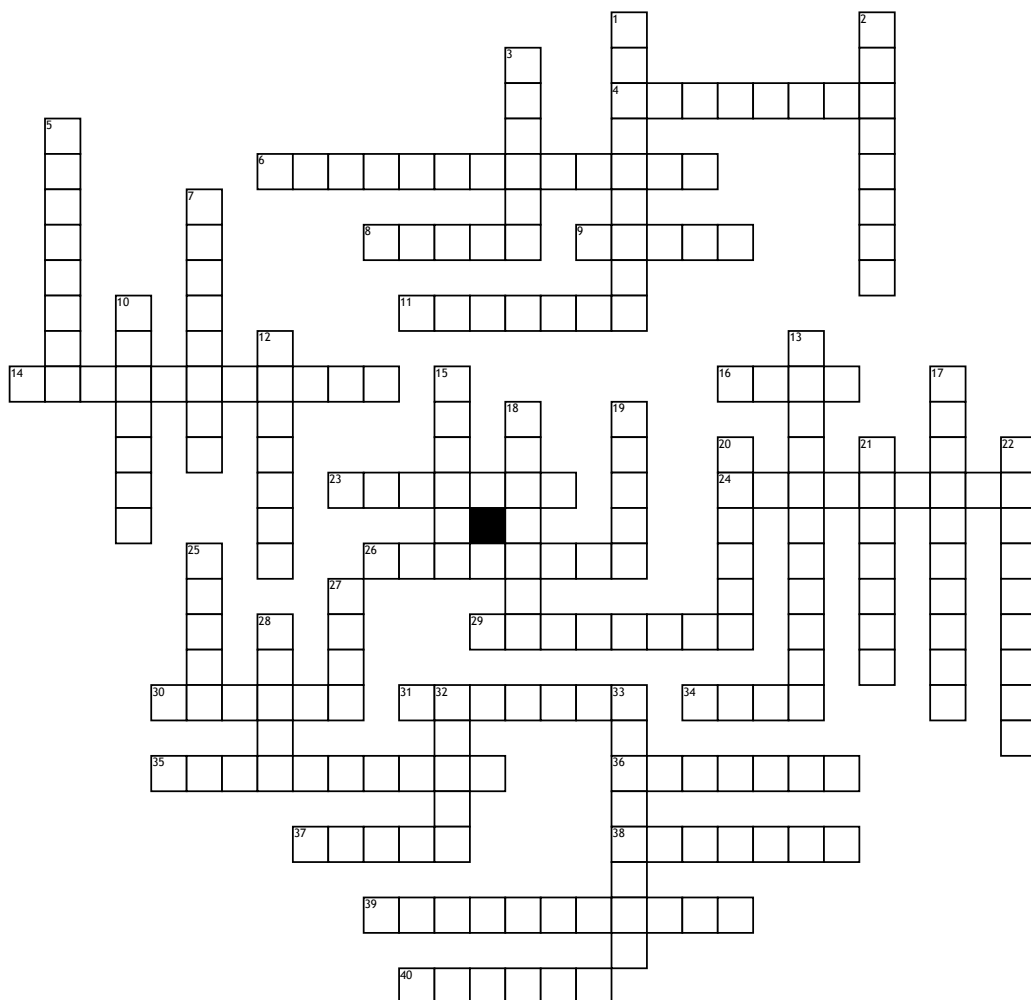


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# Edgar Allan Poe Puzzle



## Across

4. (n.) something delicate, light, or flimsy  
6. (n.) a destructive fire, usually an extensive one  
8. The color of the second cat's markings in "The Black Cat"  
9. (n.) sad song  
11. (n.) knocking  
14. Type of wine desired by Fortunato  
16. (v.) to encourage, urge, or drive, or stimulate.  
23. (v.) to give away to superior force; yield  
24. Phrase uttered by the Raven in "The Raven"  
26. Name of narrator's friend in "The Fall of the House of Usher"  
29. (n.) the state of being happy  
30. (adj.) easily managed or handled  
31. The shape of the second cat's markings in "The Black Cat"  
34. (n.) story  
35. (adj.) complete, highest, or most extreme degree  
36. (v) to transfer to another's custody or charge; entrust  
37. (n.) the state or quality of being foolish

38. (v.) to ask for  
39. (n.) the quality of being stubborn or obstinate  
40. (adj.) lacking in importance or worth; trivial.  
**Down**  
1. (adj.) charming  
2. (n.) the quality of being extremely or shockingly wicked, cruel, or brutal.  
3. (adj.) hardly  
5. (n.) an illusory likeness of something  
7. (n.) faithfulness  
10. (v.) to transfer to another's custody or charge  
12. (n.) movement of wings  
13. (n.) ill will; malice; hatred.  
15. (adj.) peaceful  
17. Edgar Allan Poe said he had a disease. What disease is he referring to?  
18. (n.) deep and painful regret for wrongdoing  
19. (adj.) sad, black, and cold  
20. (n.) extremely bad reputation  
21. (v.) to get by special effort; obtain or acquire

22. (n.) a mental feeling; emotion  
25. Name of the first cat in "The Black Cat"  
27. Cause of destruction of the house in "The Black Cat"  
28. Relationship between Roderick and Madeline in "The Fall of the House of Usher"  
32. (adj.) well  
33. (adj.) expressed in few words

## Word Bank

succinct	consign	pertinacity	bleak	dirge	beguiling	conflagration	lore
flutter	Pluto	nevermore	white	phantasm	procure	alcoholism	sentiment
remorse	docile	placid	consign	scarce	succumb	fidelity	gallows
aptly	Gossamer	goad	twins	Roderick	rapping	paltry	consummate
malevolence	atrocious	implore	fire	felicity	folly	amontillado	infamy