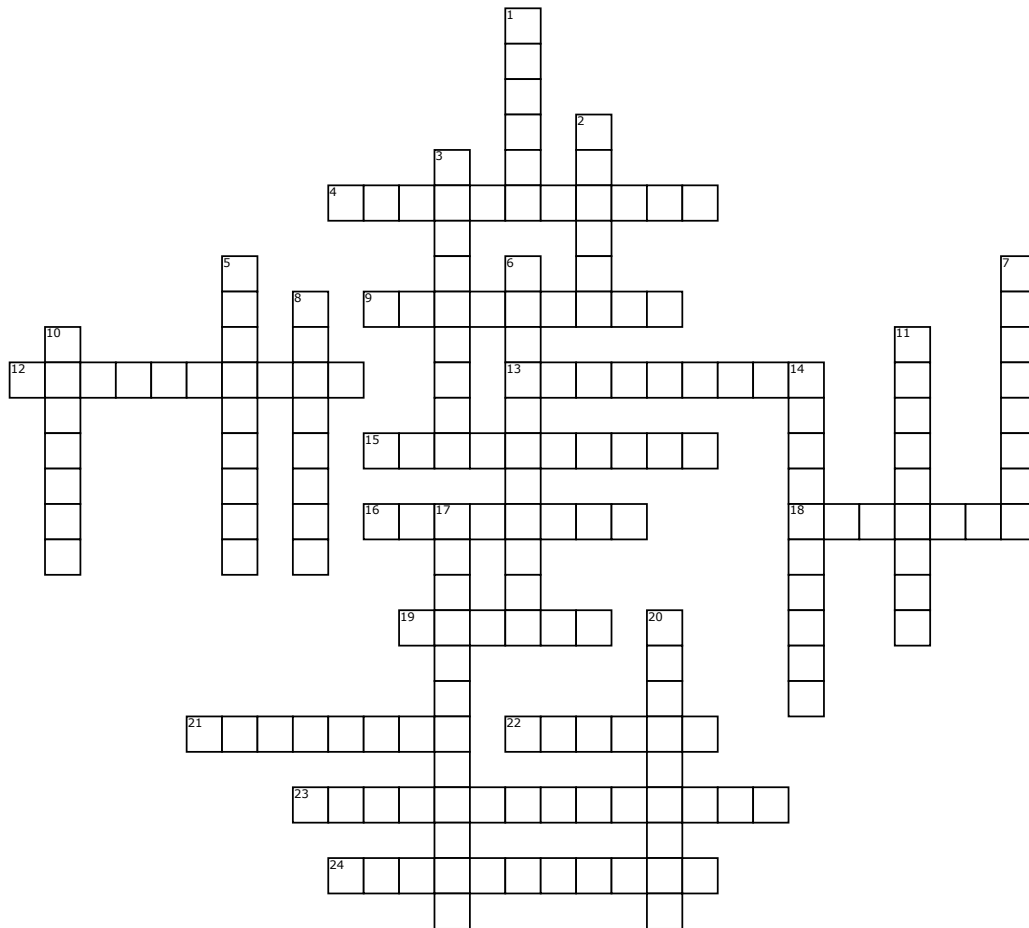


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# The Giver Section 1



## Across

- 4.** lacking distinctive or interesting features or characteristics.  
**9.** the action of raising or caring for offspring: the nurture of an infant.  
**12.** a violation or infringement of a law or agreement.  
**13.** arouse the curiosity or interest of; fascinate.  
**15.** in a manner that shows willingness to comply with an order or request; submissively.  
**16.** rebuke or reprimand severely.  
**18.** deep regret or guilt for a wrong committed.  
**19.** using or characterized by irony.

- 21.** (of a feeling or atmosphere) so intense as to seem almost tangible.  
**22.** a religious or solemn ceremony consisting of a series of actions performed according to a prescribed order.  
**23.** an act that goes against a law, rule, or code of conduct; an offense.  
**24.** move toward or be attracted to a place, person, or thing.

## Down

- 1.** a person of greater age than someone specified.  
**2.** calm, peaceful, and untroubled; tranquil.  
**3.** attachment or commitment to a person, cause, or belief.

- 5.** utterly bewilder or perplex (someone).  
**6.** the action of humiliating someone or the state of being humiliated.  
**7.** a natural ability to do something.  
**8.** laugh in a breathy, gleeful way; chuckle.  
**10.** the power or act of seeing into a situation.  
**11.** having been deserted or cast off.  
**14.** deeply upset and agitated.  
**17.** anxious or fearful that something bad or unpleasant will happen.  
**20.** having or showing a tendency to be quickly irritated or provoked.

## Word Bank

elders	chastise	impatient	palpable	serene	chortled
obediently	mystified	apprehensive	distraught	gravitating	ironic
intrigued	nondescript	transgression,	abandoned	insight	adherence
nurturers	humiliation	remorse	aptitude	ritual	infraction