

Puzzles 6

How to play:

Each pair of lines below contains two clues and two 5- or 6-letter answers. The two answers are words which differ from each other by one letter, which has already been provided. The remaining letters are ordered exactly the same in both answers. Your challenge is to guess the words from the two clues. For example:

Full of life _ I _ _ _ _ _ Exquisitely beautiful _ O _ _ _ _ _ (LIVELY, LOVELY)

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| 1. Cognac | _ _ _ _ _ Y | Actor Marlon | _ _ _ _ _ O |
| 2. Super smart | _ _ _ _ I _ _ _ | Super muscular | _ _ _ _ W _ _ _ |
| 3. A place for bees | _ P _ _ _ _ _ | A place for birds | _ V _ _ _ _ _ |
| 4. Arrangement | L _ _ _ _ _ _ | Award, compensation | P _ _ _ _ _ _ |
| 5. Deceive oneself | _ _ _ _ _ D _ | Torrential downpour | _ _ _ _ _ G _ |
| 6. Indian spice | _ U _ _ _ _ _ | Tote | _ A _ _ _ _ _ |
| 7. Mountain top | _ _ M _ _ _ _ | Yield in surrender | _ _ B _ _ _ _ |
| 8. Cow pie | _ _ N _ _ _ _ | Grown-up | _ _ T _ _ _ _ |
| 9. Use the salt shaker | S _ _ _ _ _ _ | Cause | R _ _ _ _ _ _ |
| 10. Go aboard | _ _ _ _ _ R _ | Confine a waterway | _ _ _ _ _ N _ |
| 11. Let out of jail | _ _ E _ _ _ | Cooked in oil | _ _ I _ _ _ |
| 12. Boutonniere's location | _ _ P _ _ _ | Brand name | _ _ B _ _ _ |
| 13. Mexican celebration | F _ _ _ _ _ _ | Mexican nap | S _ _ _ _ _ _ |

14. Table server	__ A _ _ _ _	Author	__ R _ _ _ _
15. More secure	__ _ F _ _	Tool for a duel	__ _ B _ _
16. Fall blossom	__ S _ _ _	Change	__ L _ _ _
17. Clothes fastener	__ _ T _ _ _	Richard or LeVar	__ _ R _ _ _
18. High-pitched complaint	__ _ _ N _	Absence of color color	__ _ _ T _
19. Skirt fold	__ _ _ _ T	Beg	__ _ _ _ D
20. Pounded stones	G _ _ _ _	Go here to there	T _ _ _ _
21. Make sad	D _ _ _ _	Refuse to accept	R _ _ _ _
22. Locomotion	M _ _ _ _	Hand cream	L _ _ _ _
23. Drink container	__ O _ _ _	Gettysburg event	__ A _ _ _
24. Hula hoop or fidget	__ _ _ Z _	Have a yen for	__ _ _ V _
25. Put through a sieve	__ _ _ _ N	Cook or Bering	__ _ _ _ T

Solutions 6

1. BRANDY, BRANDO 2. BRAINY, BRAWNY 3. APIARY, AVIARY 4. LAYOUT, PAYOUT 5. DELUDE, DELUGE 6. CURRY, CARRY 7. SUMMIT, SUBMIT 8. MANURE, MATURE 9. SEASON, REASON 10. EMBARK, EMBANK 11. FREED, FRIED 12. LAPEL, LABEL 13. FIESTA, SIESTA 14. WAITER, WRITER 15. SAFER, SABER 16. ASTER, ALTER 17. BUTTON, BURTON 18. WHINE, WHITE 19. PLEAT, PLEAD 20. GRAVEL, TRAVEL 21. DEJECT, REJECT 22. MOTION, LOTION 23. BOTTLE, BATTLE 24. CRAZE, CRAVE 25. STRAIN, STRAIT