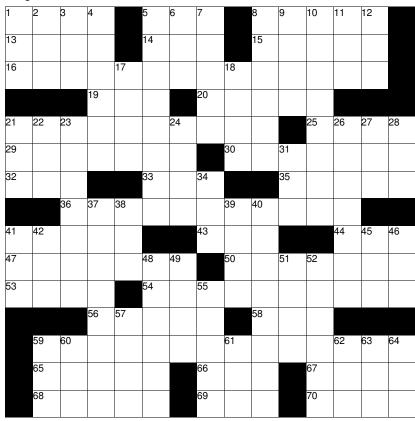
ACROSS

- 1. Title with three asterisks
- 5. Successful trips to the toilet, in medical records
- 8. Ann
- 13. Bedrock pet
- 14. "This is the worst ..."
- 15. "Cool beans!"
- 16. "My Guy" and "My Girl" songwriter
- 19. Affliction of Garth and Mountain Girl in "The Ladykillers"
- 20. Country singer LeAnn
- 21. 1969 Dennis Hopper co-star (and co-writer)
- 25. "That a-hole's no good for you!"
- 29. Place for emergency meetings
- 30. Descriptive moniker for artist Doménikos Theotokópoulos
- 32. Agcy. that manages the U.S.'s spy satellites
- 33. "Two ____ sodas, Gary" (line near the end of "The Big Lebowski")
- 35. Wedding veil material
- 36. What a back-to-nature type might be looking for in an essential oil
- 41. Rock made of tiny quartz crystals
- 43. Where 28-down sits, if this grid were a compass
- 44. Wyatt:Kurt::Doc:
- 47. Golden raisin named for its Turkish origin
- 50. Adjective for a hilltop city?
- 53. John who wrote "Roundball Rock"
- 54. Ruby Dee's husband
- 56. Like Barney Gumble or Peter Griffin
- 58. What the "Ice Bucket Challenge" was meant to raise awareness of
- 59. Andrew McCabe's highest FBI post (except when he was Acting
- 65. Mediterranean flowers, pluralized fancily
- 66. Places for 1-down
- 67. Light
- 68. Boot camp, slangily
- 69. ___ Dawn Chong ("The Color Purple" actress)
- 70. One of the universally-agreed "suspect classifications"



The answer to the metapuzzle is a five-letter word.

DOWN

- 1. Figures in 66-across
- 2. Crest competitor
- 3. ___-Caps
- 4. More mawkish
- 5. Goes to a restaurant, say (remember those?)
- 6. Work team leader (abbr.)
- 7. Like Samson, eventually
- 8. Shackled muppet
- 9. Georgette's husband, as you might know from an extremely wordy Paul Simon title (or just if you know your artists' wives)
- 10. Kick, in musicians' lingo
- 11. 22-down-related (pref.)
- 12. Sitcom character Swanson
- 17. River through Zaragoza
- 18. Wait patiently
- 21. Dominate, in gamer lingo
- 22. See 11-down
- 23. Masons' tools
- 24. Nanas, in the Netherlands
- 26. City on the Mediterranean's eastern shore
- 27. Connective tissue injured by a blow to the outside of the knee (abbr.)
- 28. Adversary
- 31. Classic Pontiac

- 34. Nautical rope with an archaically-spelled name
- 37. Bone doc
- 38. NFL preseason exercise
- 39. ____-BBS (early internet graphic interface)
- 40. Practice to make perfect
- 41. Chicago setting, until recently
- 42. Monitor adjustment
- 45. Singer DiFranco
- 46. Some TVs
- 48. Of the intellect
- 49. Callipygian, far more crassly
- 51. Like chit-chat
- 52. Talladega pursuit
- 55. Event many may have to cancel or downsize on April 9, 2020
- 57. Osso
- 59. Year during the reign of the Byzantine emperor Maurice
- 60. Directional add-on
- 61. Glass of Chicago Public Radio
- 62. ___ Maria
- 63. Goblin
- 64. Main ingredient in a Manhattan