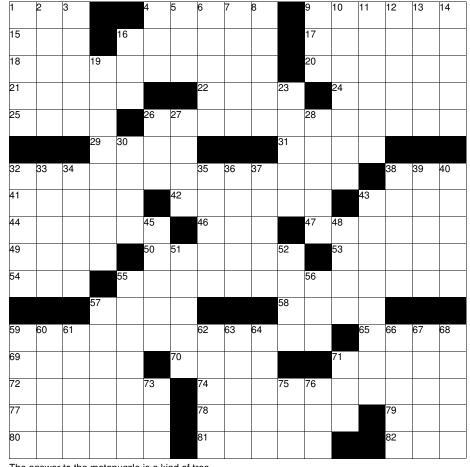
"Wooden Idols" a metapuzzle by Peter Washington

ACROSS

- 1. Units in 71-downs
- 4. Simple hair covering
- 9. Parentheticals
- 15. Yellowfin, in sushi bars
- 16. Low points
- 17. Layers
- 18. Singer in the World Golf Hall of Fame
- 20. Loom, as doom
- 21. Cross-like symbols
- 22. Reef lurkers
- 24. "Buffalo Stance" singer Cherry
- 25. No Clue
- 26. His son publishes at rosswordpuzzles.com
- 29. Small stream
- 31. T-bone topper
- 32. Jake Gittes portrayer
- Outdoors (maker of camp 38. cookware and such)
- 41. Southern California town named for its location at a railroad crossing on the Santa Clara River
- 42. Stella (beer brand)
- 43. Inconclusive result
- 44. Color frequently "burnt"
- 46. Acronym for anonymous sources
- 47. Catholic paramilitary group
- 49. Patsies
- 50. Big machines on the prairie
- 53. Musician Billy or Frank
- 54. Linguistic suffix
- 55. "Basquiat" star
- 57. Speck
- 58. Does wrong
- 59. Early 20th century New York crime boss
- 65. Hips, in Hispania
- 69. Foreign
- 70. Big name in Scandinavian architecture
- 71. Kitchen fixtures
- 72. Awkwardness
- 74. "The Vicar of Dibley" star
- 77. Ancient Sumerian ruler
- 78. Rectory manors
- 79. Expected
- 80. Nod's significance
- 81. Bit of persuasive writing
- 82. Grads-to-be

DOWN

- 1. Junta
- 2. Casual trouser style
- 3. Goes down
- 4. "Show me the contents of this folder" DOS command



The answer to the metapuzzle is a kind of tree.

- 5. Wahoo, in sushi bars
- 6. Simple stadium seat
- 7. Fat Tire Ale
- 8. With joy (var.)
- G in [59-down]" (Sacha 9. " Baron Cohen bit)
- 10. Longtime Democratic Senator from Georgia
- 11. Block
- 12. Organic compound featuring two double bonds
- 13. Prefix from the Greek for "nine"
- 14. Hindu holy person
- 16. Rappers
- 19. Pickles, in Piccadilly Square
- 23. East German spy agency
- 26. Plural form of "the," in Italian
- 27. Auk genus
- 28. Sit on a stick
- 30. A part of
- 32. Olympian Owens
- 33. Nom de guerre
- 34. Fruit wrapper, maybe
- 35. Semi-legendary Danish king
- 36. Marine mustelid
- 37. Peter of old Hollywood
- 38. Composer Edvard
- 39. Biblical matriarch

- 40. Start of many selfish statements
- 43. Not wishy-washy
- 45. Drives the getaway car, maybe
- 48. Trumpet, for one
- 51. "Eyes Without
- 52. Procedure (abbr.)
- 55. Only surname shared by unrelated presidents
- 56. Khalifa
- 57. Animated film starring Ray Romano
- 59. "[9-down] G in ____" (Sacha Baron Cohen bit)
- 60. Wrist bones
- 61. Echelons
- 62. Attempt to offset risk
- 63. Russian range
- 64. Home Depot rival
- 66. Extends credit
- 67. Suffer
- 68. Contents of some urns
- 71. Places for some MDs
- 73. Tolkien tree-man
- 75. Lebron's league
- 76. Funny Tina