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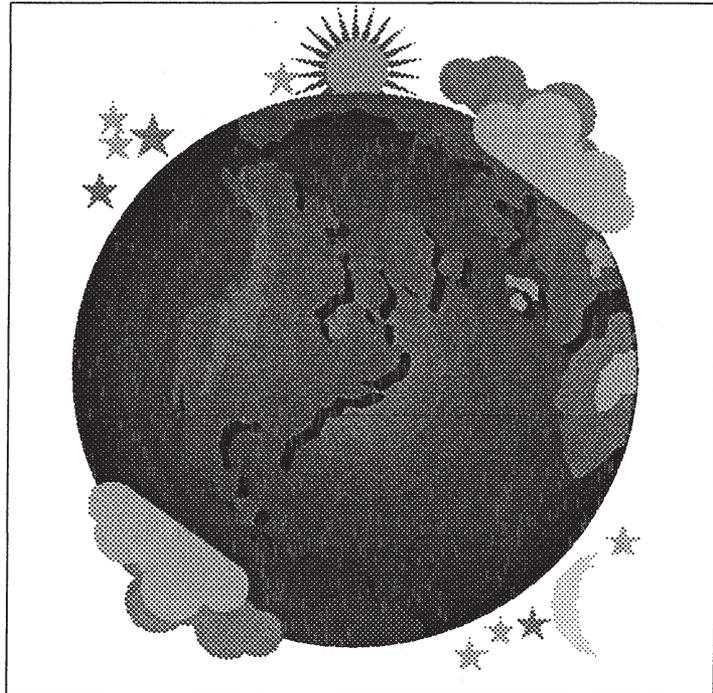
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# THE WHOLE EARTH GEOGRAPHY BOOK



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To Dave Dunn  
For early mornings filled with hot chocolate, good  
conversation, and a puzzle or two!

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# Daily Problems

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## ★ U.S. Geography Cards 1–64



★ U.S. Geography 1

Which of the following states does *not* touch California?

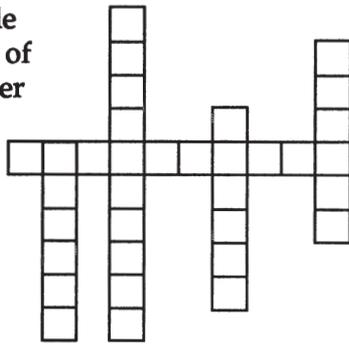
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★ U.S. Geography 2

If you were in New Orleans and were facing west, what body of water would be on your left side?

★ U.S. Geography 3

Fill in the puzzle with the names of states that border the Pacific Ocean.



★ U.S. Geography 4

In a list of the five largest states, which of the following would *not* belong?

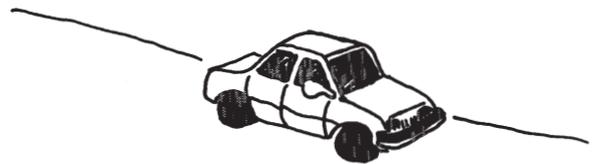
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★ U.S. Geography 5

Which three states lie completely above 45°N?

★ U.S. Geography 6

If Cynthia drives from the capital of North Dakota direct to the capital of Washington, how many states will she pass through?

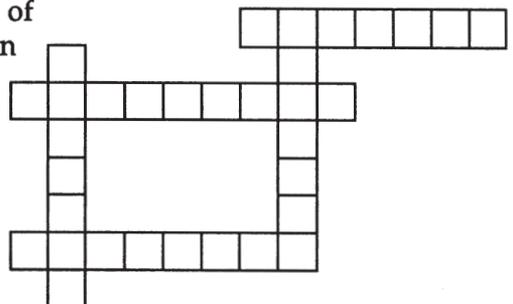


★ U.S. Geography 7

The fiftieth state has a characteristic shared by no other state. What is it?

★ U.S. Geography 8

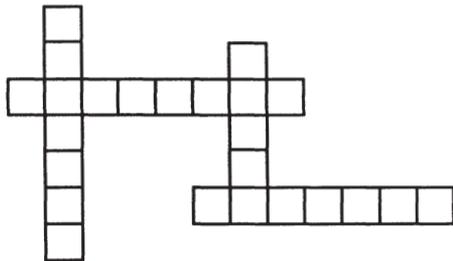
Fill in the puzzle with the names of the capitals of southern states.



★ U.S. Geography

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Fill in the puzzle with the names of states through which the Rocky Mountains run.



★ U.S. Geography

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Which of the following states are in the Northeast?

netrovnm    hodai    naemi    nakssa

★ U.S. Geography

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Henry left Cheyenne, Wyoming, and traveled 200 miles due east. He then traveled 200 miles due south. What state was he in then?

★ U.S. Geography

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The largest of the Great Lakes touches three states. What are the names of those states?



★ U.S. Geography

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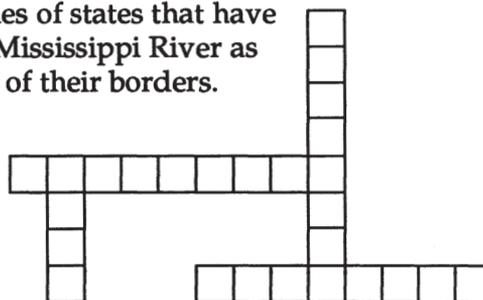
Which of the following is an abbreviation for a state located in the Southwest?

MN    PA    AZ    AL    NC

★ U.S. Geography

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Fill in the puzzle with the names of states that have the Mississippi River as part of their borders.



★ U.S. Geography

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I am the state with the largest area and the smallest population. Who am I?

★ U.S. Geography

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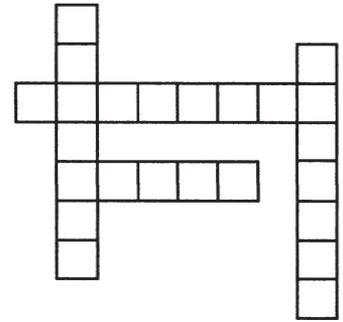
Glenda and her family are traveling through a New England state known for its potatoes. What state are they visiting?

★ U.S. Geography 17

I am the only state that does *not* have counties. Who am I?

★ U.S. Geography 18

Fill in the puzzle with the names of states through which the Continental Divide passes.



★ U.S. Geography 19

The only point in the United States where four states meet is known as \_\_\_\_\_.

★ U.S. Geography 20

The Colorado River passes through me. The Grand Canyon is within my borders. Mexico is my southern neighbor. What state am I?

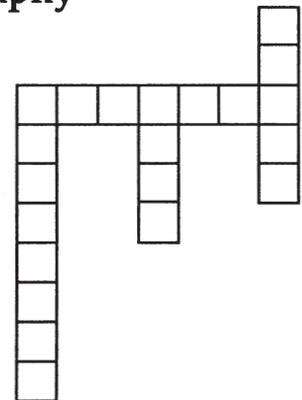
★ U.S. Geography 21

Carol traveled the length of the Rio Grande River. How many states does the river touch?



★ U.S. Geography 22

Fill in the puzzle with the names of states beginning with the letter *I*.

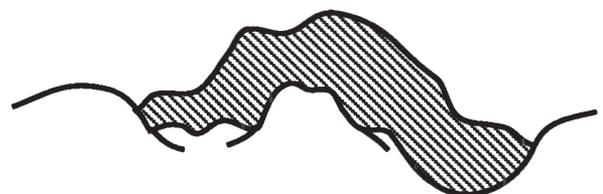


★ U.S. Geography 23

I am the only state split in two by a body of water. Who am I?

★ U.S. Geography 24

The Olympic Mountains, the Columbia River, and the Cascade Range are all part of my geography. What state am I?



★ U.S. Geography 25

Put a T in front of each true statement and an F in front of each false statement.

- \_\_\_\_\_ Chicago is the state capital of Illinois.
- \_\_\_\_\_ The Missouri River forms part of the border of Kansas.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Mt. Whitney is the highest mountain in the United States.
- \_\_\_\_\_ New Hampshire is next to a foreign country.

★ U.S. Geography 26

Taj lives in the largest city in northern California. His cousin Angela lives in a midwestern state, the capital of which is the last name of a U.S. president. If Taj flies directly to his cousin's home, which states will he pass over?



★ U.S. Geography 27

Which of the following deserts is in the United States?

- Atacama
- Mojave
- Sahara
- Gobi

★ U.S. Geography 28

Match the following by drawing lines from the items on the left to the corresponding items on the right.

- |       |            |
|-------|------------|
| state | Atlanta    |
| city  | Ohio       |
|       | New Jersey |
|       | Helena     |
|       | Boston     |

★ U.S. Geography 29

Match the following by drawing lines from the items on the left to the corresponding items on the right.

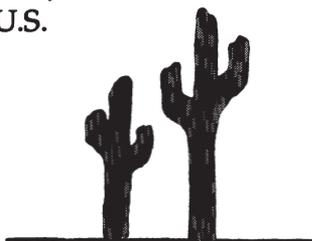
- |                 |            |
|-----------------|------------|
| Great Salt Lake | Arizona    |
| Death Valley    | California |
| Grand Canyon    | Idaho      |
| Snake River     | Utah       |

★ U.S. Geography 30

I am the only national park in the state that has Santa Fe as its capital. Who am I?

★ U.S. Geography 31

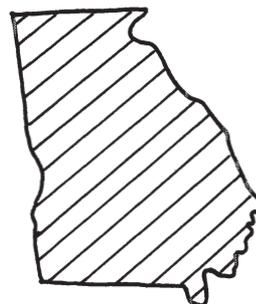
Carrie lives in a state that has a foreign country, a famous river, and the most populous U.S. state as parts of its border. What is the capital of Carrie's state?



★ U.S. Geography 32

Which of the following is *not* a city in Georgia?

- Athens
- Miami
- Atlanta
- Columbus



★ U.S. Geography 33

The geographical center of the United States is located in which state?

★ U.S. Geography 34

The Mississippi River forms part of the border of which states?

★ U.S. Geography 35

Which of the following states has a desert?

CA MN FL WA PA

★ U.S. Geography 36

Match the following by drawing lines from the items on the left to their corresponding items on the right.

Northeast  
Southeast  
Midwest  
West

Arkansas  
Vermont  
Oregon  
Illinois

★ U.S. Geography 37

I am the lowest place in the United States. Which state is located directly east of me?

★ U.S. Geography 38

Which of the following states has the Atlantic Ocean as part of its border?

angiirv torvnme nghiaicm aaaambl



★ U.S. Geography 39

Which two states have four 90° corners?

★ U.S. Geography 40

Molly lives in a state that has a large river, a great lake, and the "Dairy State" as parts of its border. What is the largest city in Molly's state?

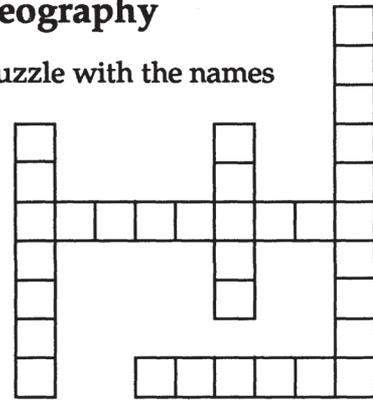
★ U.S. Geography 41

Which of the following states does *not* have Canada as part of its border?

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★ U.S. Geography 42

Fill in the puzzle with the names of the five largest states.



★ U.S. Geography 43

The Missouri River forms part of my boundary. The Mississippi River forms another part of my boundary. South Dakota forms another part of my boundary. What state am I?

★ U.S. Geography 44

Which states have compass terms in their names?



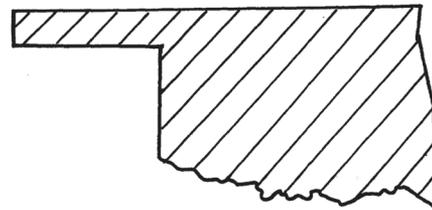
★ U.S. Geography 45

This state borders a foreign country, but does *not* border another state. Which state is it?

★ U.S. Geography 46

Which of the following states does *not* have Oklahoma as part of its border?

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★ U.S. Geography 47

Hawaii is to island as Florida is to \_\_\_\_\_.  
*North* is to Carolina as *West* is to \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Grand Canyon is to Arizona as Yellowstone is to \_\_\_\_\_.

★ U.S. Geography 48

Tara lives in a state that has the same name as the longest river in the United States. What is the capital of the state directly to the east of Tara's state?