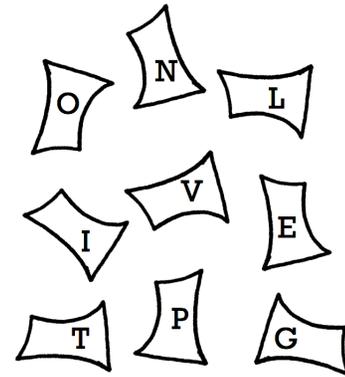
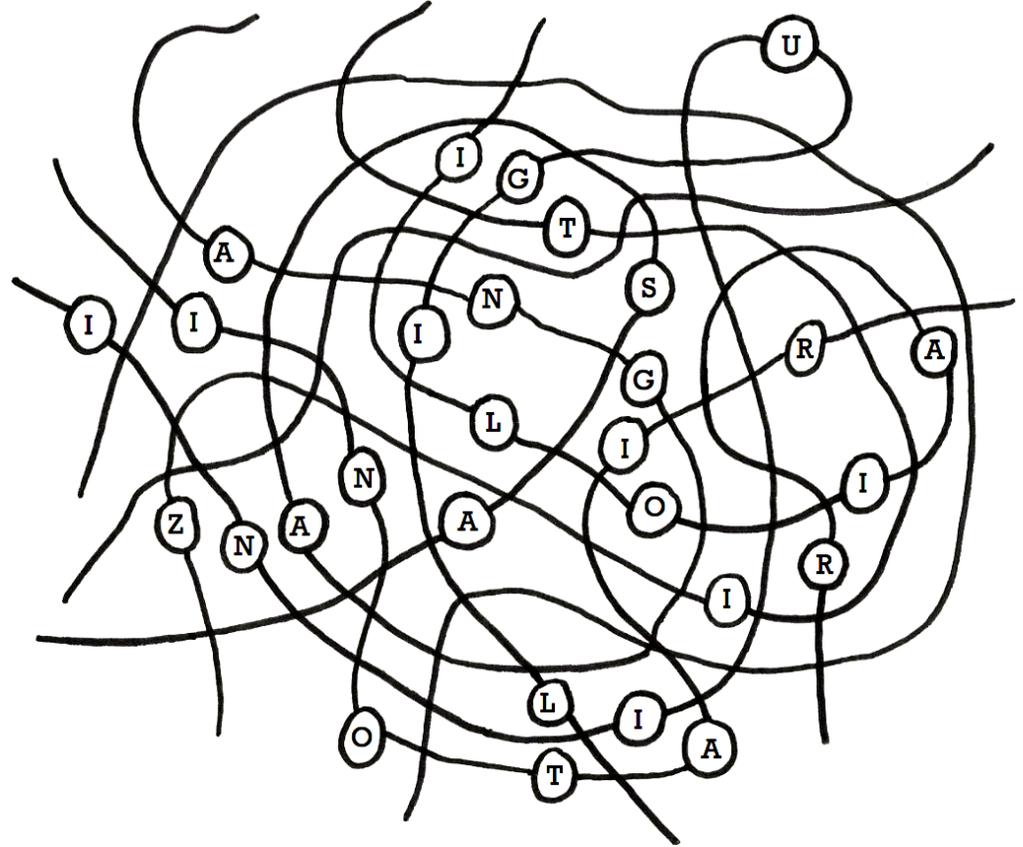


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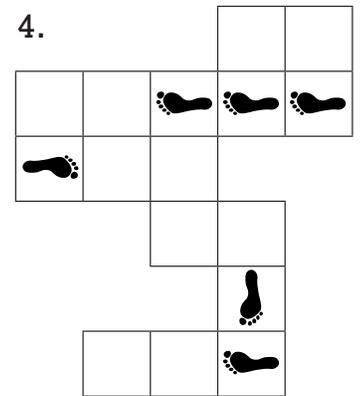
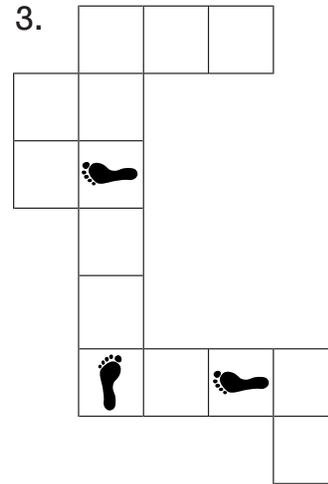
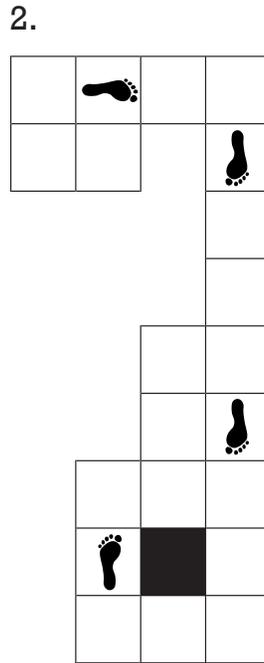
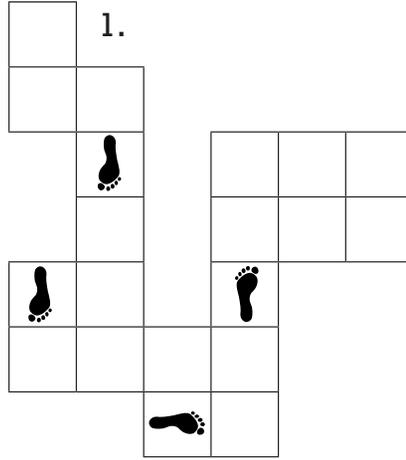
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by Shel Silverstein, 1974

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by Wil Z. Chicago, 2016

Don't let the answers from earlier be strangers,
Lest you follow those steps right into dangers.



A	N	A	E	I	C	A	E	S	S
L	C	I	T	T	S	W	I	R	M
O	T	A	N	E	H	N	T	S	O
T	S	B	E	R	S	S	E	O	S
W	T	I	C	G	A	L	N	T	U
F	U	L	O	A	C	O	A	I	O
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Eighteen Flavors
SHEL SILVERSTEIN

by Shel Silverstein, 1974

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by Veronica B., Chicago, 2016

My ice cream woulda been the tallest cone
If only I'd left well enough alone.
But of course I had to go and ask a favor
For the vendor to add my favorite flavor.
Number nineteen would have made the crowd roar!
Instead my treat is on the floor :(

Recreate my ice cream tower
To find the kind I most wanted to devour.
I tried to take notes on my icy glory,
I did my best. I'm very sorry:
Flavors from the produce aisle,
Are not next together in the pile.
And flavor-neighbors won't have the same start;
I kept like-letters separate. Now take to heart:
The below groups will be kept together even though
The order may be different. Cheerio!

Scoop Groups:

Apple Ripple / Butterscotch / Brandy Peach / Coconut / Toasted Almond
Chocolate / Lime / Coffee / Pumpkin
Butter Brickle / Fudge-Banana / Cherry
Lemon Custard / Lime / Rocky Road / Cherry / Caramel Cream
Vanilla Dip / Boysenberry / Brandy Peach / Coffee

by Shel Silverstein, 1974

[Search Google for "Band-Aids Shel Silverstein"
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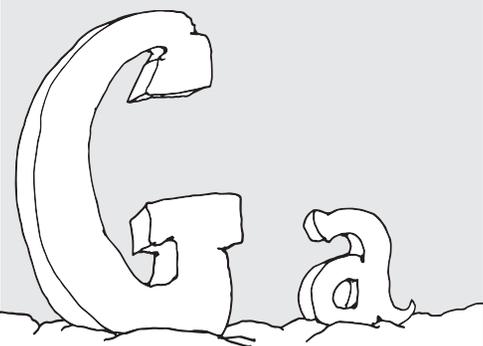
by Sandor W., Chicago, 2016

I sit and linger in this glade,
After a shipwreck left me laid
On this thin island, and I'm afraid
No shrug or shake'll make this nightmare fade.
Holding a flambeau, I have prayed
For cappuccinos or lemonade;
For gemelli pasta with marinade;
For spiced chai and marmalade.
Behold! A gorgeous feminist mermaid,
Wearing just a quantum of eyeshade,
Appears and says, "Oui! I'm Adelaide."
Then sits to compose a serenade.
I make an appeal for medical aid.
As a placeholder she offers a balm, homemade.
"I hereby declare," she begins to persuade,
"You use this instead of a Band-Aid!"

by Shel Silverstein, 1974

[Search Google for "Importnt
Shel Silverstein" to read Shel's
version.]

Importnt?
SHEL SILVERSTEIN



by Sndor W. & Srh W., Chicgo, 2016

*We beg to differ, for it's terribly hrd to sy
Very signifcant word without the use of some a's.
The lines tht follow led to two-word nmes or syings
Tht shre properties fundmentl to this gme we're plying.*

One is Fitzgerld tle of lvishness nd verve
Nother, sheet for plotting mthmticl curve
N oculr prosthesis of convex style
Smllish orgn sub-liver tht collects one's bile
Nme of lndmrk in Chin seeble from spce
French nme for super fst uto rce
Trety tht bns cptors from behving men
Musicl genre of Dvid Bowie nd Queen
Steinwy mkes this kind of musicl device
In rizon is this gorge tht they sy is quite nice
The holistic nme of Englnd, Scotlnd, nd Wles
Legendry stromer who blzed stromoncl trils
Plce to grb some diesel or unleded
Vrietl of trt pple tht's oft bked or shredded
Something the ref sys when it's forty to love
Hrmless fellow who slithers below or bove

*So wht's next? First words first, find the letter we've discussed.
Second, compre it to word two nd extrct wht you must.
Soon you'll hve this word tht's so impossible to sy
Without our little buddy, our good friend, the ubiquitous — a.*

by Shel Silverstein, 2011

[Search Google for "Fourth Place Shel Silverstein" to read Shel's version.]



by Jimmy W., Chicago, 2016

Group entrants into same-size sets (by talent if you're able),
Like those who sing or who recite the periodic table.
I wish we could accept them all. (Alas we must be cruel.)
Each set has one who doesn't meet some verbal/written rule.
Initially line rejects up (just put them in a row),
And then fourth place again is where your solving eyes should go.
A message there will indicate (and tell you how to find)
The seven-word-long answer each contestant had in mind.

ABBA	COLOMBIA	FALL GUY	LEMUR	SOU'WESTER
AISLE SEAT	DECADE	GOBI DESERT	LINKIN PARK	SPEED LIMIT 15
BEAR	DEER	HAFNIUM	MATRIX GROUP	SPRING FASHIONS
BOWLER	DEF LEPPARD	HARE	MOO GOO GAI PAN	STOP
CAMBODIA	DO NOT ENTER	HYDROGEN	NARRAGANSETT BEACH	SUMMER FUN
CARBON	DRUNKEN CHICKEN	I LOVE LUCY	OXYGEN	TAM O'SHANTER
CENTURY	ECHO	I'LL EAT MY HAT	PLANAR GRAPH	THE BEATLES
CHEAP KITTY LITTER	EGG FOO YUNG	INDIA	PORK CHOW MEIN	THREE-MINUTE HOURGLASS
CHEF'S HAT	EPOCH	JIFFY	ROOT TWO	UNIFORM
CHILE	EVEN TERM	KILO	SLOW	WINTER WEATHER
CHINA	EYELINERS			

