

Adalogical Ænigmas

No. 13

Gentle patron,

Triskaidekaphobia: the superstitious fear of the number 13.


For this, my thirteenth ænigma, I have decidedly *rejected* that irrationality (which my mother so feared I had inherited from my father) and I have fully *embraced* "13," as you shall observe.

In the grid below, I desire that you should draw a path connecting horizontally and vertically adjacent dots. Your path should form a *single* loop that neither crosses nor touches itself. Furthermore, each grid square containing a number must contribute *exactly* that many of its sides to the path.

As you near the end of your work on the main grid, you will discover several *ambiguities*: areas where your path might legitimately take either of *two* possible routes. Fear not, there is a logical resolution: I ask that you draw your path such that the loop encloses an even *multiple* of thirteen squares. (This extra constraint does not apply in the example grid at the right.)

After you've completed filling in the grid, you can move on to finding the final answer to my ænigma. Please traverse the path you've drawn, clockwise starting in the lower-right corner, noting each letter that is bordered by the path on three sides. Reading those letters in order will reveal a *quotation* that is a clue to your final answer: the well-known *work* in which the given quotation originated.

Good luck!



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Example

E	X	C	1	I	1	3
T	H	E	3	P	M	B
1	3	E	N	T	1	3
W	I	1	3	T	1	3
H	O	U	T	B	R	I
1	3	E	1	3	A	A
O	T	1	3	H	1	3

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**Answer:
PHOBIA**

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0	2	A	B	G	0	U	I	3	3	2	0	2	V	A	1	T	V	D	3	1
A	Y	O	1	V	M	S	T	H	S	N	R	K	E	E	V	T	3	F	G	B
2	T	2	E	H	I	O	3	R	N	S	G	3	2	1	R	N	I	2	W	2
1	E	R	Q	E	F	2	0	T	V	G	3	E	A	R	2	A	V	F	N	1
3	B	2	A	H	3	D	2	Y	D	L	G	E	B	O	3	A	R	2	H	3
A	T	2	Q	H	O	F	3	A	1	3	R	E	3	0	F	G	L	3	B	F
I	B	3	Q	E	0	A	3	A	3	1	B	R	J	I	1	V	F	0	L	S
2	G	2	U	3	S	R	2	L	G	D	V	C	Z	E	1	R	R	3	G	1
2	T	B	H	W	A	A	3	Q	A	R	2	E	F	I	3	G	N	N	A	3
3	Q	2	A	A	1	3	1	2	2	R	Z	2	3	3	U	B	T	2	E	1
R	H	R	3	O	R	Z	E	N	R	E	V	R	A	P	H	F	3	E	V	R
2	3	L	P	H	1	W	A	1	3	2	1	1	L	D	1	R	O	T	1	3

Fill in your answer and give to a cashier for your prize.

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