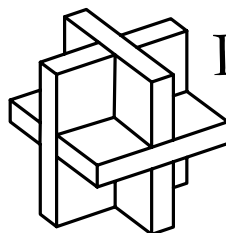


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Gentle solver,

On the occasion of this my *sixtieth* ænigma, representing the completion of *five years* of this little series, I wish to dedicate an instalment to the ideal of *peace*. It has long seemed to me that we see those who are most like ourselves quite *directly*, whilst understanding others less clearly, as if hearing them around a corner. I hope, in some small way, my effort here can inspire us *all* to come together in one great circle of humanity.

In the grid below, I desire that you will draw a single loop, horizontally or vertically connecting adjacent squares, eventually traversing every space in the grid. Your loop may neither touch nor cross itself.

In a square containing a circle, your loop may turn or not, as you like. Whilst traveling *between* two circles of the same color, however, the path may not turn at all. Contrariwise, between two circles of *different* colors, your path must make *exactly one* right-angled turn.

Once you have completed your loop, you may move on to finding the final answer to my ænigma. Beginning in the upper-left corner, walk *clockwise* along your path, noting the letters in circle-less squares where the loop makes a right-angled turn. Advance every such letter in the alphabet (wrapping around from Z to A as necessary) by the length of the *vertical* loop segment connecting to that square. Reading the resulting letters in path order will reveal a clue to your final answer.

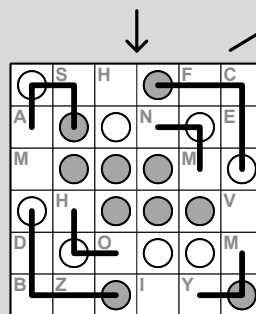
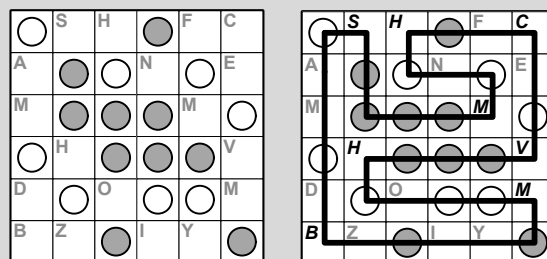
Good luck!

Ada

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Example



S + 2 = U | V + 3 = Y
 M + 1 = N | H + 1 = I
 H + 1 = I | M + 1 = N
 C + 3 = F | B + 5 = G

Answer:
UNIFYING

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○	Q	B	Q	○	Z	○	O	O	○	S	●	C	G	●	J	●	A	K	E	●	
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