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Gentle solver,

As we do seem, however *haltingly*, to be slowly emerging from these our Present Circumstances, my thoughts often turn to finally once again visiting old friends and being visited in return. This practise, though naturally very pleasant, does come with certain rules however that it were best for prospective guests to bear in mind. In particular, one must listen carefully to one's hosts and their invitations, to properly ascertain just how prolonged a visit might truly be welcomed.

This important idea inspired the ænigma that follows.

In the grid below, the boldly outlined regions represent the homes of the various friends one might choose to visit on a circuit of the countryside. Please draw a single looping path that visits every grid square exactly once without ever touching or crossing itself. Your path may visit a given region any number of times within this constraint, but take note of the number in some regions: it indicates the *desires* of your host there. Ensure that the length(s) of your *longest* visit(s) within such a region exactly equal(s) that number.

Once you have completed your visiting, you may move on to finding the final answer to my ænigma. Beginning at the upperleft corner of the grid, follow your loop clockwise, taking note of the letters in each square where your path turns rightward. Reading the resulting letters in path order will reveal a clue to your final answer.

Good luck!

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