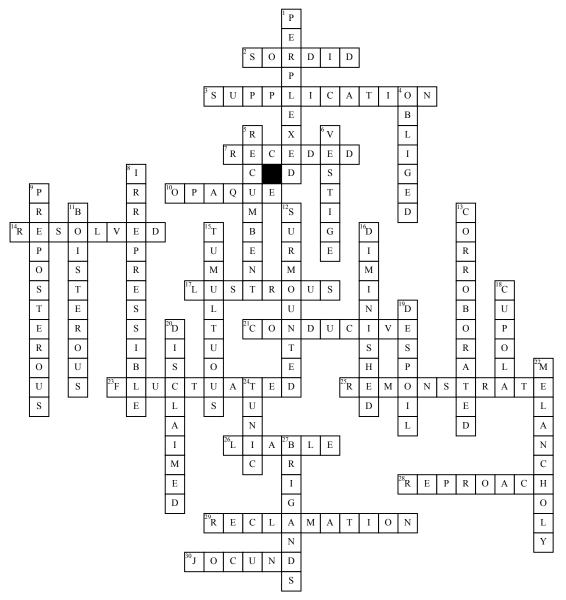
A Christmas Carol- Stave 2



Across

- **2.** involving ignoble actions and motives; arousing moral distaste and contempt.
- **3.** the action of asking or begging for something earnestly or humbly.
- 7. go or move back or further away from a previous position.
- 10. not able to be seen through; not transparent.
- **14.** firmly determined to do something.
- 17. having luster; shining.
- **21.** making a certain situation or outcome likely or possible.
- **23.** rise and fall irregularly in number or amount.
- 25. make a forcefully reproachful protest.
- **26.** responsible by law; legally answerable

- **28.** address (someone) in such a way as to express disapproval or disappointment.
- 29. the process of claiming something back or of reasserting a right.
- **30.** cheerful and lighthearted.

Down

- 1. completely baffled; very puzzled.
- **4.** make (someone) legally or morally bound to an action or course of action.
- **5.** (especially of a person or human figure) lying down.
- 6. a trace of something that is
- disappearing or no longer exists.
- **8.** not able to be controlled or restrained. **9.** contrary to reason or common sense;
- utterly absurd or ridiculous.
- 11. (of a person, event, or behavior) noisy, energetic, and cheerful; rowdy.
- 12. overcome (a difficulty or obstacle).

- **13.** confirm or give support to (a statement, theory, or finding).
- **15.** making a loud, confused noise; uproarious
- **16.** made smaller or less.
- **18.** a small dome, especially a small dome on a drum on top of a larger dome, adorning a roof or ceiling.
- **19.** steal or violently remove valuable or attractive possessions from; plunder.
- 20. refuse to acknowledge; deny.
- **22.** a feeling of pensive sadness, typically with no obvious cause.
- **24.** a loose garment, typically sleeveless and reaching to the wearer's knees, as worn in ancient Greece and Rome.
- **27.** a member of a gang that ambushes and robs people in forests and mountains.