

SUNDAY No 56 - WORLD PUZZLE by GOZO

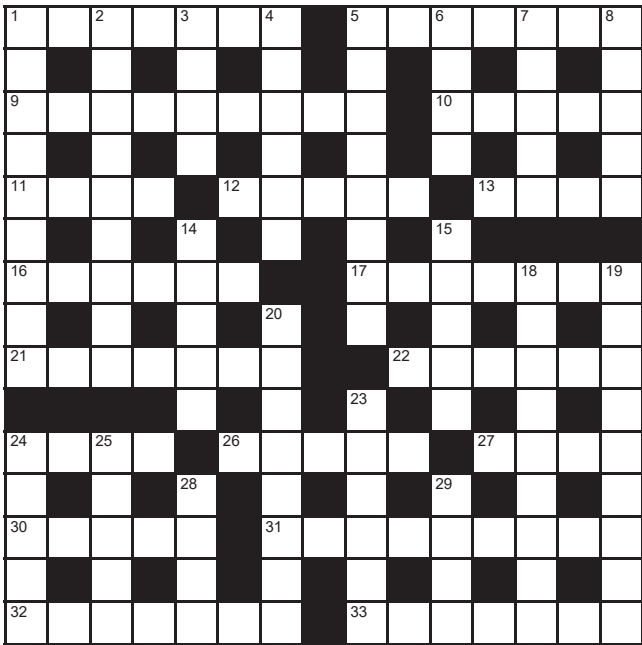
A cryptic puzzle themed on one particular place in the world. Its name has to be inserted at 31 across. Work out the place by solving the *asterisked clues, all undefined. Their solutions have some relevance to the place, such as famous people, landmarks, culture and language

ACROSS

- 1 Islamic worshippers at camping locations, accepting greeting (7)
5/8 *Actor Colin's exertion changing top at start of holiday (5,2,5)
9 All tapirs turned out earlier in the year (4,5)
10 Suave young socialite is lost, broadcasting (2,3)
11/6 *Some say decoration is basic (8)
12 *Castle, I think — only a part (5)
13 Long delay — but heading off (4)
16 *Managed one's relatives (6)
17/4 *Charlotte, maybe, has to deal with broadcast (7,6)
21 Cold, thinner daily (7)
22 *I left, in grief, tortured (6)
24 See 32
26/27 *Comedians Hudd and Murray not starting to grin (5,4)
30 *Conundrum about Routemaster (5)
31 [See Setter Notes] (9)
32/24 *King's constituency (7,4)
33 Kitchen unfinished on 1566 vessel (7)

DOWN

- 1 Chirps and starts to ululate mixing corrosive acid (9)
2 The cheek of being the only one in pub and church (9)
3 *From Montmartre (4)
4 See 17 Across
5 Writers considered advice (4,4)
6 See 11 Across
7 One in a suit amongst the artillery (5)
8 See 5 Across
14 Joanna and 16 in river (5)
15 Left Italian red, not finishing content of carafe? (5)
18 Caretaker replaced cornice, say, from below (9)
19 Literary tiger is quiet before Eastern inn (5,4)
20 Old reports about those who swear, it's said (8)
23 Assessing new recruit (6)
24 Shy arrival oddly in Middle Eastern land (5)
25 Extent of scheme no good (5)
28 Isaac's son in the sauna (4)
29 OT victim is skilful, we're told (4)



Solution No 55



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