

SOAP WORLD

Esther gets love interest on 'Y&R'

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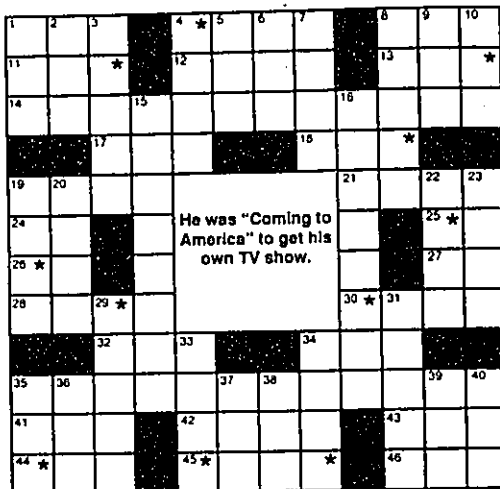
For several years poor Esther, Katherine's maid on "The Young and the Restless," has longed to share her life with a man, but for the most part she has done without. There was a short time when she went out with the wrong guy and ended up pregnant, but it wasn't a particularly romantic liaison.

Now Esther has a man in her life, though he may not be all that he seems, and "Y&R" fans couldn't be happier. "I don't think a woman needs a man to be happy," writes one viewer, "but everybody needs a little romance in their life. I'm glad Esther is finally going to have some love in her life."

Kate Linder, who portrays Esther, is happy too that Esther has some romance in her life. "I would never say anything to the producers at 'Y&R,' but I have wanted a romance for Esther for a long time," says Linder.

Linder has a strong fan following, and she says that it may be due to the fact that her character is different from others on the show. "I think people relate to the fact that she is kind of an underdog. She is a single mom and does not lead a very glamorous life. She is always on the outside watching other people living the good life."

TV CROSSWORD



The answer to the Crossword Quiz is found within the answers in the puzzle. To find the answer, unscramble the letters noted with asterisks within the puzzle.

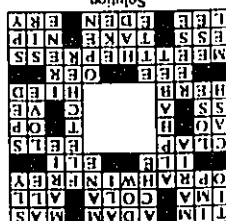
ACROSS

1. Lead role on *Home Improvement*
4. Wyle of *Picket Fences*
8. Barker and Bell
11. ... *Girl Watcher*
12. Vending machine item
13. Word in the title of the Bunkers' series
14. One with a talk show (2)
17. Tiny French possession
18. Whitney or Wallach
19. Show approval
21. Slimy swimmers
24. Oakley's initials
25. OTRs forerunners
26. Monogram for Rambo's portrayer
27. ... Day, 5/8/45
28. Mr. Alpert
30. Rushed
32. Santa's shoe width
34. "... the land of the free ..."
35. Longest running show on television (3)
41. Curve
42. ... *Your Best Shot*, '82 R. Ulrich TV movie
43. Tuck's partner, in phrase
44. Majors
45. Anthony or Barbara
46. Ending for station or stitch

DOWN

1. Pedro's uncle
2. Mischievous one
3. Newswoman Shriver
4. Pain
5. Wally's portrayer on *Leave It to Beaver*
6. Co-star of *Love Story*
7. Mr. Ed's locks
8. Donny's sister
9. Pub order
10. Devious
15. *Sesame Street* subject
16. Angela Lansbury's role
19. Singer Johnny
20. Win ... or Draw ('87-'90)
22. Start of the title of Gavin MacLeod's series
23. Humed
29. Deba of *Harlem Nights* (1989)
31. Castle
32. Ending for Ann or Nan
34. House (1989-'90)
35. Allen or Gibson
36. Suffix for journal & legal
37. Owned
38. ... out a living
39. Francis Drake, for one
40. ... Who Loved Me

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