

## Sudoku #1

				4		3		
		2	8				6	
	3		7				1	4
				1			5	
6	7						8	1
	8			5				
5	9				2		3	
	6				3	5		
		8		9				

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Fill in the blank squares so that each row, each column and each 3-by-3 block contain all of the digits 1 thru 9.

If you use logic you can solve the puzzle without guesswork.

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## Sudoku #2

						8		3
	7			6		9		
			8	1			4	7
		1		7		6	2	
7			9		1			4
	4	5		2		7		
1	2			4	7			
		7		3			8	
4		3						

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## Sudoku #3

2				4	7			
1		9			3	7		
	3					2		
9				2	4	8		1
7		3	9	8				5
		1					6	
		2	8			4		7
			3	1				8

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"So long as the memory of certain beloved friends lives in my heart, I shall say that life is good."  
-- Helen Keller

## Sudoku #4

			2					1
1			4			7		
		5	8	3				6
5		1			2	3		
	4	9				1	7	
		8	5			6		9
4				2	8	5		
		7			3			4
8					7			

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"Smartphones. Who cares? Smartphones. I only have dummy phones."  
-- Don Rickles

## Sudoku #5

		3			8	7	1	
	5	2						
9				1	6			
3	6				5		2	
				6				
	2		1				7	6
			5	7				2
						9	3	
	9	1	8			4		

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*You would rather blame yourself than others, but you don't waste much time doing either when things go wrong.*

## Sudoku #6

4								9
		1		8		4		
	6			2	9		3	1
		9	1			8		
6			2		8			3
		4			6	1		
2	8		7	1			4	
		5		6		2		
7								5

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*You have more respect for a capable shoeshine boy, than for a crass opportunist.*

## Sudoku #7

	4		2	9				
	6	8			7			
	5		1			7	4	
5				2			7	
1		4				5		9
	7			1				4
	3	6			2		5	
			4			6	9	
				5	6		3	

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*The first thing I do in the morning is brush my teeth and sharpen my tongue.*

## Sudoku #8

				9				
8	2	3	1	4			9	
		9		3			7	
4		5	8					2
3								5
7					3	9		4
	1			6		3		
	3			1	4	2	6	7
				8				

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*If you've already donated, thank you so much!  
My family and I really appreciate your support.*

# Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 18, Book 26

# Answers

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Sudoku #1

31	22	4	10		27		33	13
30	25			1	29	32		14
6		18		3	19	5		
48	42	55	49		7	50		34
		8	23	2	28	37		
51		52	53		15	54	43	39
		44	45	20		12		21
46		26	47	16			40	36
9	41		11		24	17	35	38

Sudoku #2

36	9	27	1	28	37		15	
14		21	51		44		22	23
29	30	31			32	12		
24	10		45		38			17
	3	2		4		33	25	
26			46		47		16	13
		5	48			34	20	49
18	50		19		39	6		40
	41		42	35	8	11	7	43

INSTRUCTIONS: These hint grids reveal the order in which the squares were solved by my computer. It's not necessarily the same order you would use, but it's probably close. Follow the numbered squares in order 1,2,3... until you find a square you haven't solved yet. This square (or the one or two immediately after it) is a good candidate to solve next.

Sudoku #1

7	5	6	2	4	1	3	9	8
4	1	2	8	3	9	7	6	5
8	3	9	7	6	5	2	1	4
9	2	3	6	1	8	4	5	7
6	7	5	3	2	4	9	8	1
1	8	4	9	5	7	6	2	3
5	9	1	4	7	2	8	3	6
2	6	7	1	8	3	5	4	9
3	4	8	5	9	6	1	7	2

Sudoku #2

2	1	9	7	5	4	8	6	3
8	7	4	2	6	3	9	5	1
5	3	6	8	1	9	2	4	7
3	8	1	4	7	5	6	2	9
7	6	2	9	8	1	5	3	4
9	4	5	3	2	6	7	1	8
1	2	8	5	4	7	3	9	6
6	9	7	1	3	2	4	8	5
4	5	3	6	9	8	1	7	2

Sudoku #3

	51	52	37			17	26	23
	33		3	40			31	36
41		4	24	25	16		30	35
	53	46	6				5	
47	7	48	42	8	38	20	9	22
	13			2	1	27		
49	50		14	15	28	18		29
11	34			39	43		10	
44	12	45			32	19	21	

Sudoku #4

45	46	20		21	47	17	48	
	23	36		34	49		37	22
10	11			12	13	7		
	18		24	25			3	1
8			4	5	2			9
14	15			19	16		6	
	50	38	51				39	26
40	41		42	35		27	28	
	31	29	43	30		32	44	33

Sudoku #3

2	5	8	6	4	7	1	9	3
1	4	9	2	5	3	7	8	6
6	3	7	1	9	8	2	5	4
9	6	5	7	2	4	8	3	1
8	1	4	5	3	6	9	7	2
7	2	3	9	8	1	6	4	5
5	8	1	4	7	2	3	6	9
3	9	2	8	6	5	4	1	7
4	7	6	3	1	9	5	2	8

Sudoku #4

6	9	4	2	7	5	8	3	1
1	8	3	4	6	9	7	5	2
7	2	5	8	3	1	4	9	6
5	6	1	7	9	2	3	4	8
2	4	9	3	8	6	1	7	5
3	7	8	5	1	4	6	2	9
4	3	6	9	2	8	5	1	7
9	1	7	6	5	3	2	8	4
8	5	2	1	4	7	9	6	3

Sudoku #5

2	1		14	9				19
3			41	30	31	12	23	32
	53	54	33			11	24	34
		42	35	25		20		13
47	6	48	36		15	37	26	38
43	44		39	27	40			
28	7	16			4	18	21	
49	50	51	8	17	10			52
45				29	22		5	46

Sudoku #6

	51	9	37	47	48	17	38	
18	49		39		40		27	19
10		3	11			12		
13	50			41	28		42	29
	20	1		21		14	15	
16	43		44	45			30	22
		4			5	6		2
23	46		31		32		33	24
	34	7	35	25	36	8	26	

Sudoku #5

6	4	3	2	5	8	7	1	9
1	5	2	9	3	7	6	4	8
9	7	8	4	1	6	2	5	3
3	6	4	7	9	5	8	2	1
8	1	7	3	6	2	5	9	4
5	2	9	1	8	4	3	7	6
4	3	6	5	7	9	1	8	2
2	8	5	6	4	1	9	3	7
7	9	1	8	2	3	4	6	5

Sudoku #6

4	3	2	5	7	1	6	8	9
9	7	1	6	8	3	4	5	2
5	6	8	4	2	9	7	3	1
3	2	9	1	5	7	8	6	4
6	1	7	2	4	8	5	9	3
8	5	4	9	3	6	1	2	7
2	8	3	7	1	5	9	4	6
1	9	5	3	6	4	2	7	8
7	4	6	8	9	2	3	1	5

Sudoku #7

9		8		18	46	39	47	
19			15	1		7	20	21
48		40		10	16			49
	30	31	41		2	42		43
	25		32	26	17		33	
4		34	11		6	44	35	
45			36	27		37		28
22	23	3		14	5			24
38	12	13	29			50		51

Sudoku #8

50	40	41	31		51	42	27	22
					8	6		1
43	44		32		45	46		33
	15			2	16	11	12	
	17	18	21	3	19	20	13	
	9	14	7	4			10	
29		34	25		47		35	23
36		5	26					
48	37	38	24		49	30	39	28

Sudoku #7

7	4	1	2	9	5	8	6	3
2	6	8	3	4	7	9	1	5
3	5	9	1	6	8	7	4	2
5	9	3	8	2	4	1	7	6
1	8	4	6	7	3	5	2	9
6	7	2	5	1	9	3	8	4
9	3	6	7	8	2	4	5	1
8	2	5	4	3	1	6	9	7
4	1	7	9	5	6	2	3	8

Sudoku #8

1	4	7	5	9	6	8	2	3
8	2	3	1	4	7	5	9	6
6	5	9	2	3	8	4	7	1
4	9	5	8	7	1	6	3	2
3	6	1	4	2	9	7	8	5
7	8	2	6	5	3	9	1	4
9	1	4	7	6	2	3	5	8
5	3	8	9	1	4	2	6	7
2	7	6	3	8	5	1	4	9