

## Sudoku #8

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

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## Sudoku #1

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

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A virtuous life is its own punishment.

## Sudoku #2

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

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Truth is a gem that is found at a great depth, whilst on the surface of this world, all things are weighed by the false scale of custom. -- Byron

## Sudoku #7

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

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You will be traveling and coming into a fortune.

## Sudoku #6

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

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Frankfort, Kentucky, makes it against the law to shoot off a policeman's tie.

## Sudoku #3

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

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You shall reach the pinnacle of success because of your total lack of ethics.

## Sudoku #4

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

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ARTIFACT: The only true fact in an experiment.

## Sudoku #5

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

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The worst form of inequality is to try to make unequal things equal. -- Aristotle

# Hints

Intermediate Sudoku by KrazyDad, Volume 19, Book 50

# Answers

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Sudoku #1

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

Sudoku #2

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

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

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

Sudoku #2

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #3

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

Sudoku #4

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #5

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

Sudoku #6

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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

Sudoku #7

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

Sudoku #8

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