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Astronomy Vocabulary

E S D K E O R X S B D L F T B T R T E S P Z R T V
M S H O F P A E L A G O R A I G S E S T R J E N K
R B R B P L O A V Q T I I D S Z W N W S W I D A X
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Z A O M A H B Y M N O O M A Q G X S W R Y S U N C
B E R T O S S O L U M I N O S I T Y O Y T T R W O
F J I G O R N C O N S T E L L A T I O N I C N P P
O O A L A O T N A I G E U L B Q R I N N Y O E U E
N K U L R I R E D D W A R F R S F E G M C M S P Z
L T O T D H D O B L B J M Y I L D A U T K E P K S
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K A B P H D W L H X V L B L N S H S C F O A W X P

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MAGNITUDE
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PARALLAX
QUASAR
REDSHIFT
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Solar System

Wordsearch with Clues

1. the minimum velocity needed to escape gravity's pull [14]
2. surface similar to earth's moon [7]
3. surface of Venus hot because of ____? [16]
4. on Mars strong winds cause ____? [10]
5. our sister planet [5]
6. has polar ice caps [4]
7. oval area of swirling atmosphere on Jupiter [7]
8. planet that was hit by a comet summer 1994 [7]
9. Saturn is famous for ____? [5]
10. farthest planet out ____ [7]
11. smallest planet [5] (*Now a dwarf planet*)
12. bodies that revolve around planets [10]
13. most geologically active body in solar system [2]
14. largest moon in solar system (larger than Mercury!) [8]
15. Mercury and Venus have no ____? [5]
16. Pluto's moon [6] (*biggest one*)
17. part of a comet (inside head) [7]
18. Ceres and Pallas are the two largest [9]
19. light made by a rock fragment burning in atmosphere [6]
20. meteoroid that reaches earth [9]
21. when Venus is west of the sun it is a ____ star [7]

E M E T E O R I T E E T N Q V U R M S
S S R N P J A N N O S G N I N R O M H
T P C T U V S A T E L L I T E S N J F
R F P A Q S U E L C U N N R O S U Q I
C H O O P P M A R S M E T E O R P T I
A X G R E E N H O U S E E F F E C T N
B Z A S U N V S G N I R N I C T S O R
X G N Y T I C E C E O T U L P I V P Q
C I Y D E L L A L V S T T L B P N S I
D Q M C O O N S V Y O Q R P N A U U D E
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