

# Puzzles4Kids by Helene Hovanec

## CODED RIDDLE

Change each letter to the one that comes immediately BEFORE it in the alphabet to find a riddle and its answer.

Here's a copy of the alphabet to guide you:

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

XIBU EP ZPV DBMM B TNBMM

QFQQFS JO OPWFNCFS?

B MJUUMF DIJMJ.

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# Even Exchange by Donna Pettman

Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

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|----------------------|---------------|------------------------|---------------|
| 1. Delay leaving     | __ I __ _ _ _ | More time-consuming    | __ O __ _ _ _ |
| 2. Sound of thunder  | __ M __ _ _   | Flintstone's neighbor  | __ B __ _ _   |
| 3. Fake              | __ H __ _ _   | Large spring blossom   | __ E __ _ _   |
| 4. Scorch            | __ G _ _ _    | From the time of       | __ C _ _ _    |
| 5. Chess pro         | M _ _ _ _     | Spring holiday         | E _ _ _ _     |
| 6. Echo              | __ P __ _ _   | Warm up leftovers      | __ H __ _ _   |
| 7. Line of vehicles  | __ O _ _ _    | Communicate            | __ E _ _ _    |
| 8. Early philosopher | __ A __ _ _   | Mickey's canine friend | __ U __ _ _   |
| 9. Necklace ornament | __ T _ _ _    | Gym closet             | __ R _ _ _    |
| 10. Pancake mix      | __ A _ _ _    | Sour-tasting           | __ I _ _ _    |

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## HOCUS-FOCUS BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



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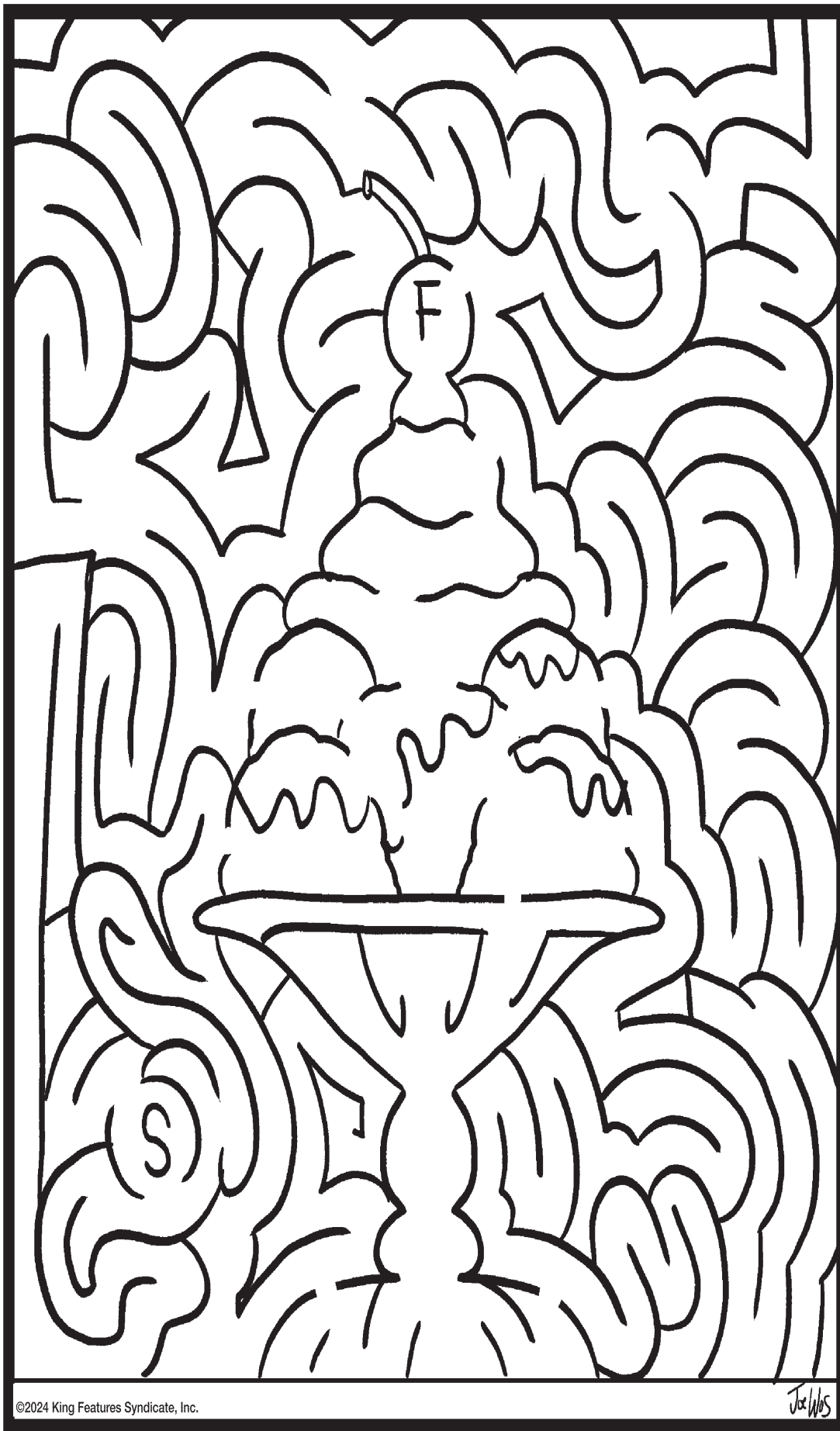
Differences: 1. Cup is smaller. 2. Saucer is missing. 3. Nose is smaller. 4. Tiles are different. 5. Stool is missing. 6. Mouth is open.

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|-------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Linger, Longer | 6. Repeat, Reheat  |
| 2. Rumble, Rubble | 7. Convey, Convey  |
| 3. Phony, Peony   | 8. Plato, Pluto    |
| 4. Singe, Since   | 9. Locker, Locker  |
| 5. Master, Easter | 10. Batter, Bitter |

Answer  
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What do you call a small pepper in November?  
A little chili!

Even Exchange  
answers



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