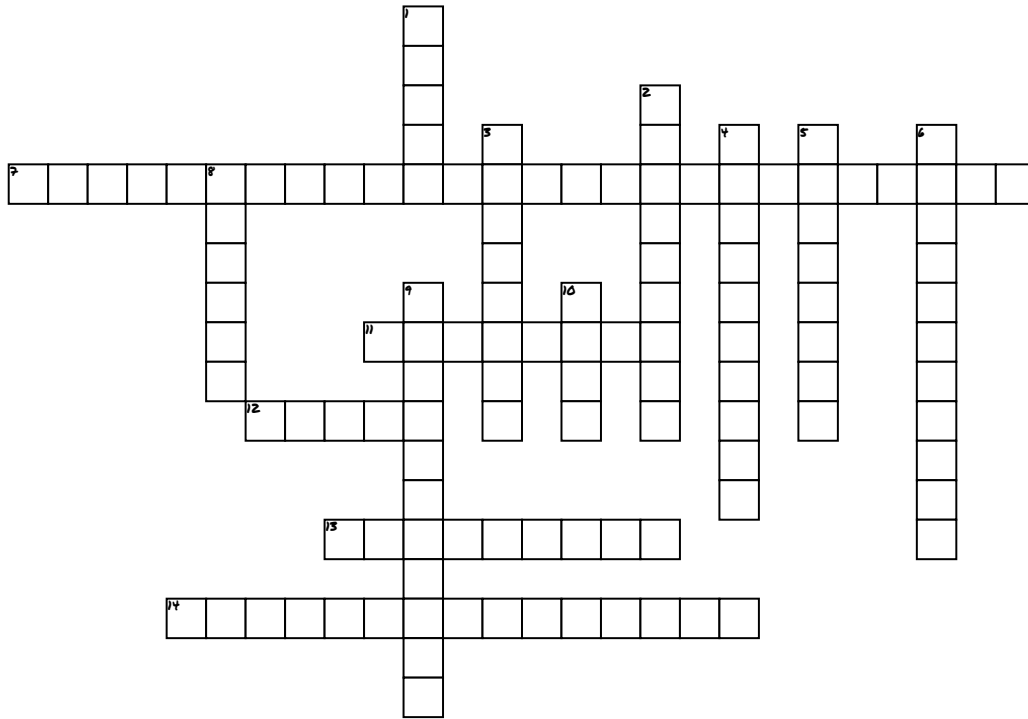


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LET'S LEARN ABOUT BURMA



ACROSS

7. IN 1989 WITH NE WIN GONE, ELECTIONS WERE HELD. THE _____ WON, BUT POWER WAS DENIED BY THE JUNTA. THE REASON GIVEN THAT POWER COULD NOT BE TRANSFERRED UNTIL A NEW CONSTITUTION WAS WRITTEN

11. BURMA BORDERS INDIA, CHINA, BANGLADESH, LAOS AND

12. SEIZED POWER IN 1962, A RECLUSIVE ECCENTRIC GENERAL THAT BANKRUPTED BURMA ECONOMICALLY AND SPIRITUALLY DURING 26 YEARS IN POWER. KNOWN AS "THE DESTROYER OF BURMA"

13. IN 2004, GENERAL THAN SHWE TOOK OVER THE JUNTA AND BUILT A NEW CAPITAL CITY NAMED:

14. SPENT YEARS UNDER HOUSE ARREST, A BURMESE POLITICIAN, DIPLOMAT, AUTHOR AND 1991 NOBEL PEACE LAUREATE. MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS FROM 2016-21

DOWN

1. UNDER BRITISH RULE WHAT WAS THE COUNTRY'S OFFICIAL NAME.

2. THIS FERTILE VALLEY IS PRONE TO DEVASTATING CYCLONES AND RECEIVES ON AVERAGE 3 FEET OF RAIN PER MONTH

3. APPROXIMATELY 90% OF BURMESE PRACTICE WHICH RELIGION

4. 2003, TOUGH NATIONS PUT IN PLACE BY _____ "CHARGED THE RULING JUNTA WITH COMMITTING "EGREGIOUS HUMAN RIGHTS VIOLATIONS" FAILING TO TRANSFER POWER TO AUNG SA SUU KYI.

5. THE GROUP OF PEOPLE HAS FACED DECADES OF DISCRIMINATION AND REPRESSION UNDER SUCCESSIVE MYANMAR GOVERNMENTS. EFFECTIVELY DENIED CITIZENSHIP UNDER THE 1982 CITIZENSHIP LAW, THEY ARE ONE OF THE LARGEST STATELESS POPULATIONS IN THE WORLD.

6. POET REFERENCED IN A PREVIOUS BOOK WE READ, LIVED IN THE SAME APARTMENT BUILDING (LONG BEFORE) AS AUTHOR

8. LAURA BUSH CLAIMED THAT THE RESPONSE TO _____ WAS "ONLY THE MOST RECENT EXAMPLE OF THE JUNTA'S FAILURE TO MEET ITS PEOPLE'S BASIC NEEDS"

9. HE WAS EDUCATED AT HARVARD AND CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY AND LATER TAUGHT HISTORY FOR SEVERAL YEARS AS A FELLOW OF TRINITY COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE. HE HAS ALSO SERVED ON THREE UNITED NATIONS PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS, IN CAMBODIA AND THE FORMER YUGOSLAVIA, AS WELL AS WITH THE UNITED NATIONS SECRETARIAT IN NEW YORK.

10. THE KACHIN REGION INCLUDES SPECTACULARLY RICH MINES OF:

WORD BANK

NAYPYITAW

JADE

THANTMYINTU

ROHINGYA

PABLONERUDA

THAILAND

GEORGE BUSH

NARGIS

NATIONAL LEAGUE FOR DEMOCRACY

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