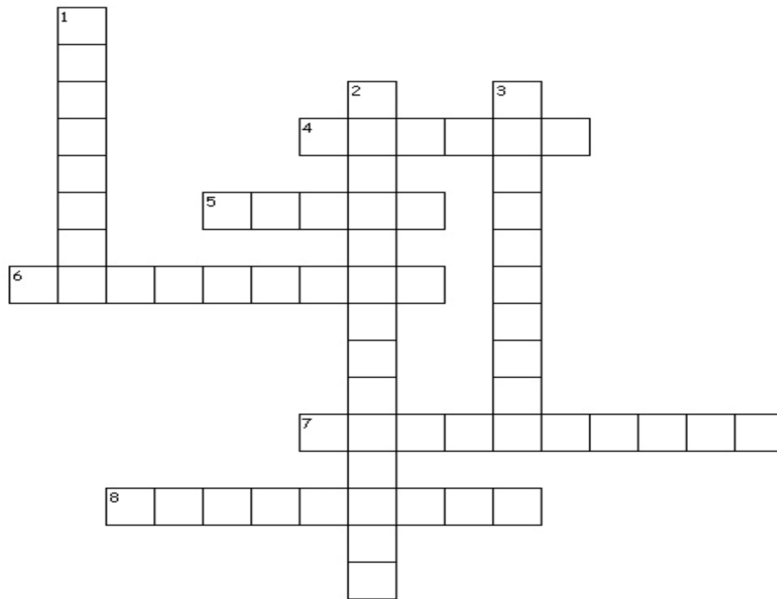


## Christmas Crossword Puzzle

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### Across

4. Christmas trees are of \_\_\_\_\_ origin.
5. Christmas honors the birth of \_\_\_\_\_.
6. It is celebrated on January 7 on the \_\_\_\_\_ calendar.
7. Children believe that \_\_\_\_\_ brings presents while they sleep.
8. Some people hang \_\_\_\_\_ on their chimneys which are later filled with treats.

### Down

1. Christmas is celebrated on \_\_\_\_\_ 25 in the United States.
2. Many religious leaders have complained about the \_\_\_\_\_ of the holiday.
3. Many historians believe that, not knowing the date of Jesus' birth, early Christian leaders timed Christmas to replace the pagan Roman holiday of \_\_\_\_\_.