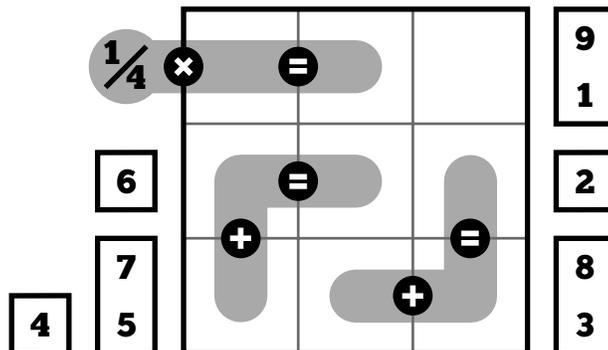
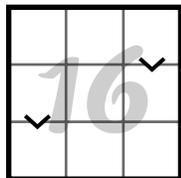


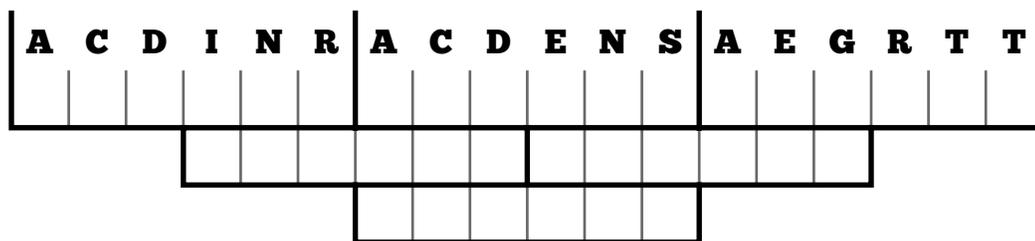
Advent Pieces

In today's puzzle piece for the sudoku calendar, greater-than and less-than signs have been placed on the borders between cells.

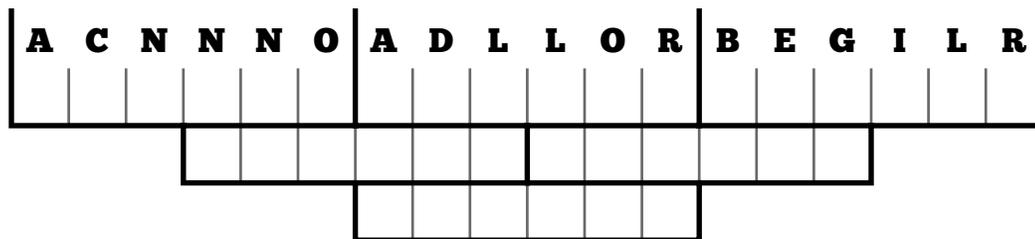


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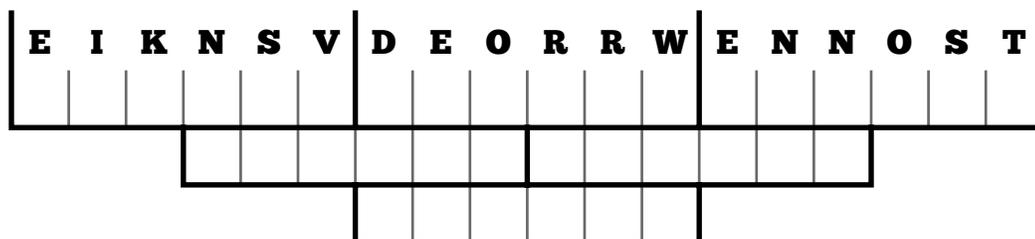
Today's bonus puzzles are word funnels. For each funnel, rearrange the six letters above each space to form a six-letter word. Each subsequent row will use letters from the words above them to form the next set, until a single word is left that fits the clue provided.



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