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# Find the Quotation

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Estimated play time: Approximately 15 minutes

Number of players: Unlimited

Supplies needed: Scoring board/pad; noisemakers

May be suitable for visually impaired players, with some assistance from the host.

## Overview:

Given a grid of seemingly unconnected words, players must follow the instructions to first cross out a number of them, and then rearrange the remaining words to reveal a quotation from President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

## Instructions:

1. Print out the grid and give a copy to each player.
2. Read the instructions out loud, one at a time, giving your players plenty of time to find and cross out the words.
3. When you have finished reading the instructions, tell your players that they now have to rearrange the words that are left over into a saying or proverb.
4. The first person to get the quote in the correct word order wins the game.

*Note: This game can be challenging. To help your players, you might want to tell them how many words get crossed out for each instruction; and if they have trouble unscrambling the quotation, you could give them the first two or three words as a hint.*

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Instructions: First, cross out all the correct answers to the questions below. Then, rearrange the remaining words (those that have not been crossed out) to reveal a quotation.

I	UTOPIA	ENEMIES	PRINGLES	JUDGE
MANDELA	AROUND	TWIX	BUN	TRAMP
ASK	RATTLE	BESIDE	MADE	MARS
PRETZELS	THE	TO	BOB	TETLEY
UNDER	CASTRO	TAZO	SPANIEL	BY
YOU	COLLIE	HAVE	ACROSS	CRUNCH
SPIGOT	ME	GANDHI	I	ABOVE

1. Cross out all words that contain the name of an animal within them. (For example, SCATTER contains CAT.)
2. Cross out all names of world leaders (past or present, good or bad).
3. Cross out all prepositions with more than three letters.
4. Cross out all types of hairstyles.
5. Cross out all words with more than three syllables.
6. Cross out all salty snacks.
7. Cross out all breeds of dogs.
8. Cross out all brands of tea.
9. Cross out all candy bars.

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## ANSWERS

1. TRAMP (RAM), RATTLE (RAT), SPIGOT (PIG) (3)
2. MANDELA, CASTRO, GANDHI (3)
3. AROUND, BESIDE, UNDER, ACROSS, ABOVE (5)
4. BUN, BOB (2)
5. UTOPIA (1)
6. PRINGLES, PRETZELS (2)
7. SPANIEL, COLLIE (2)
8. TETLEY, TAZO (2)
9. TWIX, MARS, CRUNCH (3)

## QUOTATION

I ask you to judge me by the enemies I have made.

*Franklin Delano Roosevelt*