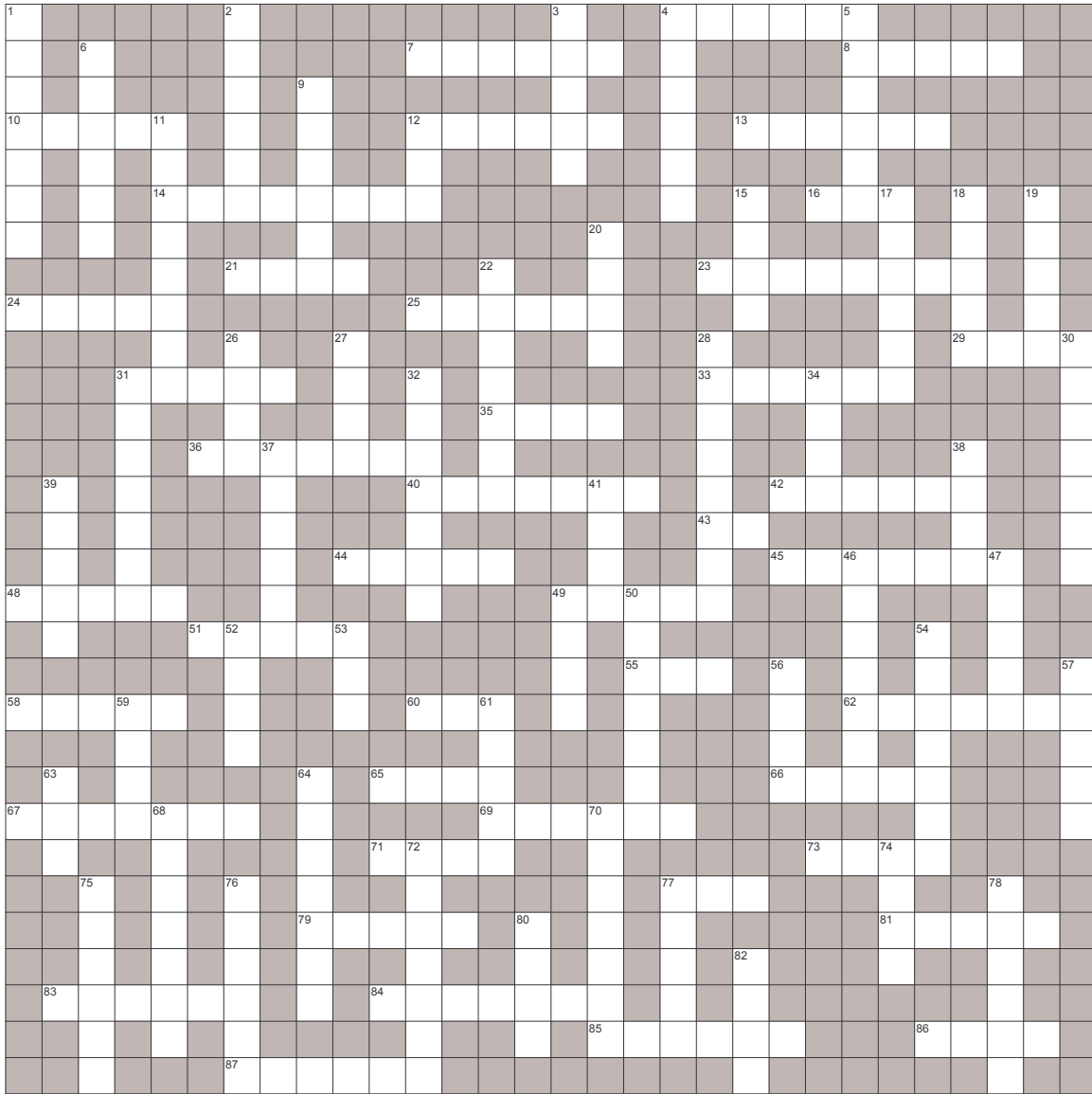


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4. prejudiced about women of Hithlum (6)
7. the Thrawn Folk in their own tongue (6)
8. maia close to the Númenoreans (5)
10. S. 'battle' (5)
12. last Vala to enter Arda (6)
13. dream-flower or Vala (6)
14. led the Nandor into Ossiriand (8)
16. old and merry fellow (3)
21. Dorwinion's best export (4)
23. container of unsullied light (8)
24. Rohan King and almost children's book fave (5)
25. _the_ Easterling (6)
29. Terra (4)
31. straight and winding (5)
33. not Ormal (6)
35. coastal maia (4)
36. seamstress and mother of fire (7)
40. offered Rings for free (7)
42. S. black arts (6)
43. the Universe (2)
44. a werebear (5)
45. slew the black serpent (7)
48. Cirdan's gift to Gandalf (5)
49. Gollum 6, Black Gate 2 (5)
51. northern Italian hero (5)
55. the One and only (3)
58. one of the Wise (5)
60. female dwarf (3)
62. well-girted region (7)
65. ever-young (4)
66. an Elven order (5)
67. man of skill (7)
69. hell in Middle-earth (6)
71. the nazg (4)
73. river with much fought-over fords (4)
77. squatted in Amon Rûdh (3)
79. Valie of recorded history (5)
81. Pukel-men models (5)
83. committed suicide in the dear's leap (6)
84. better stay at home, old man (7)
85. formidable female leader of later woodland folk (6)
86. preferably served by dogs (4)
87. the Anduin of Beleriand (6)

DOWN

1. had bark for skin (7)
2. hobbit Troll-bane (6)
3. produced the first light after the death of the Two Trees (5)
4. made a nice comfy fire out of Nimloth (6)
5. Manwe's title (6)
6. realm of the Witch-King (6)
9. red-bearded father in law of Feanor (6)
11. bird-tamer (8)
12. royal prefix (3)
15. a servant of the Valar (4)
17. Edhelwen or lady of Lossarnach (6)
18. ring of sapphire (5)
19. home of the Variags (5)
20. hilly north-western region of Rohan (4)
22. dwells in Wellinghall (7)
26. number of the istari (4)
27. Mordor's inland sea (4)
28. battle of lamentation (8)
30. wise woman loved Aegnor (7)
31. a name of reverence, no doubt (7)
32. Old English equivalent of Trahald (7)
34. came seldom to the councils of the Valar (4)
37. a land followed by Mark (6)
38. Tom's jacket (4)
39. a hobbit-hole (5)
41. the philological Vala after Omar (4)
46. between the Blue and Misty Mountains (7)
47. Galadriel's ring (5)
49. third mortal to enter Gondolin (4)
50. land of the jewel-smiths (7)
52. north of Angband, north-west of Mordor (4)
53. Sindarin valley (3)
54. Ai, Laurie Lantar Lasse... (7)
56. Gollum's other precious (4)
57. orcish fire (5)
59. one of the Singers (4)
61. low philological jest (5)
63. it shall entuluva (3)
64. Rivendell schnapps (7)
68. ranger, or elf with fat hand (7)
70. Feanor's curse (7)
72. oldest without the fatherless (7)
74. forsook the Forsaken Elves (4)
75. forcefully wed to Numenorean king (6)
76. golden waterfalls (6)
77. dwarven Maker (5)
78. had a huge girdle (6)
80. land of Bliss (4)
82. healing Valie (4)