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“I Guess This Is Goodbye”

Difficulty level: ●●●○○

ACROSS

- 1 Roast beef au ____
- 4 “Leave this instant!”
- 9 “So clever but ever so sad / Love, she said, was a ____” (“Follies” lyric)
- 12 Skillful, sardonically
- 13 Casino client
- 15 “And ____, like vinyl, on the streets / Cold as silver, white as sheets” (“Evening Primrose” lyric)
- 16 Compass direction or language suffix
- 17 “Hannibal” detective Pazzi
- 18 Org. that presented 3-Down with a medal in 1996
- 19 Fried dough treats at Little Italy street fairs
- 21 Idiomatically comparable to a bat, seeing-wise
- 23 Nickname that drops -dore
- 24 Orange stuff on old metal
- 25 “Birds in the sky / Birds in the ____ / In the leaves” (“Into the Woods” lyric)
- 28 Historically important period of time
- 30 “So you’ll sit in the sun / You’ll come back with a ____” (“Merrily We Roll Along” lyric)
- 32 Peruvian singer Sumac
- 33 “In time, mais oui, we ____” (“Anyone Can Whistle” lyric)
- 34 Hoppy kind of beer
- 37 “How delectable! / ____ undetectable!” (“Sweeney Todd” lyric)
- 39 “Company” character who sings “Being Alive”
- 41 Having length but not width or depth
- 42 Sweater material
- 43 Word before a changed name
- 44 Farming-related prefix before biology or industrial

- 45 1% of a cool mil
- 46 “Please don’t cough / It ____ to throw the actors off” (“The Frogs” lyric)
- 48 Hwys.
- 49 Touches lightly, as with the tip of a paintbrush
- 51 Little snack
- 53 “Sorta” suffix
- 55 “Do not let it grieve you / No one leaves ____” (“Into the Woods” lyric)
- 59 Record label in the middle of a remix?
- 62 “I feel you, Johanna / And one day I’ll ____ you” (“Sweeney Todd” lyric)
- 64 “They ____ the rice and then / The day begins again” (“Pacific Overtures” lyric)
- 65 System of moral values
- 67 German camera company
- 68 Boxer who changed his name from Clay
- 69 Disney character with a restaurant in New Orleans
- 70 “____ Otter’s Jug-Band Christmas” (1977 Muppet holiday special)
- 71 Russian agreements
- 72 Begin to become apparent

DOWN

- 1 “____, lady! / Give the guy some room! / The bumper cars are that way / Please, lady! / Don’t forget that guns can go boom” (“Assassins” lyric)
- 2 “Gee, Officer Krupke, we’re very ____” (“West Side Story” lyric)
- 3 This puzzle’s dedicatee (1930–2021)
- 4 Apt name for someone who measures 8 or 9 on the Beaufort scale

- 5 Prefix with present or potent
- 6 Charlotte Hornets’ org.
- 7 Clay pot used in Spanish cuisine
- 8 What Amy does at the end of “Getting Married Today,” despite a lot of protesting
- 9 Activity done by coloring in areas of red, orange, yellow, green, blue, violet, and white (in “Sunday in the Park With George,” or in this puzzle grid)
- 10 Without ____ to one’s name (penniless)
- 11 “A trickle of sweat / The back of the head / He always does this / Now the foot is ____” (“Sunday in the Park With George” lyric)
- 13 Like Squeaky Fromme’s psychedelic beads in “Assassins,” according to Sara Jane Moore
- 14 Cocktail named after a Scottish folk hero
- 20 Disturber of a princess’s sleep
- 22 Jean-____ Godard (film director born the same year as 3-Down)
- 26 Building with a diplomatic staff: Abbr.
- 27 Tributary of the Rhône that has a circumflex as well
- 28 Implant
- 29 “Danced in my scanties / Three bucks a night was the ____ / But I’m here” (“Follies” lyric)
- 30 Ideated, Tweety-style
- 31 ____ vera
- 35 Father, in France
- 36 Hubbubs
- 38 Gymnast Korbut
- 40 “Follies” character who sings “The Road You Didn’t Take”
- 41 Pair in a skiff
- 46 General on Chinese takeout menus
- 47 ____-cone (frozen treat)
- 50 A sharp alternative
- 52 Playwright Clifford
- 53 Castaway’s place
- 54 Thorny part of a rose
- 56 “I ____ to live / In other people’s lives” (“Passion” lyric)
- 57 Big celebration
- 58 Name on many elevators and escalators
- 60 Fun-size
- 61 “Lovely is the one thing ____ do” (“A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum” lyric)
- 63 “I may trump your ____” “Please do! / I may clutter up the place” “Me, too!” (“Follies” lyric)
- 66 “Got my striped ____ / Got my hopes high” (“Gypsy” lyric)

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