

THEMELESS MONDAY #396 By Brendan Emmett Quigley (www.brendanemmettquigley.com)

ACROSS

1. Time on the job
6. Reporters often meet them
15. It's read on Saturday
16. Genre most-likely to feature a nonironic ukulele
17. Pull from the kitchen
18. Like rush hour traffic
19. Negative agreement
21. Maker of the Ektra
22. Burmese dogs
23. Rush hour traffic staple
25. "True to the Game" author Woods
26. Ore. neighbor
27. City on Lake Michigan
29. Short highway?
30. "Just asking!"
32. Towering tree
34. Word describing metropolitan areas
35. Talks politics
39. Bling on a car
40. Volcano in the Andes
41. Stubborn type
44. When a second dog's watch ends on a boat
46. Bass holder
47. Landing sound
49. Not quite yes, not quite no
50. Large Hadron Collider org.
51. Went long
53. Caveman's outfit
55. Eventually
57. Sitcom about a standup
58. Stopping system
59. Richest man on the Titanic

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60. Bury
61. Intermediate, in law

DOWN

1. Customs job
2. Caped fighter
3. Blacksmith's products
4. A-listers
5. Khao moo daeng cuisine
6. Shame
7. Begin
8. Tricks out
9. Table spread centerpiece
10. Whistleblower's information
11. "Barring that..."
12. One always heading down?
13. "Hooked on Swing" bandleader Larry
14. Chicago suburb whose name means "marsh"
20. Tense tournament round
24. Cookie making need
27. Hollywood Holmes
28. "The First Phone Call From Heaven" author
31. Anvil spot
33. Electoral ____
35. Most bananas
36. Thai or Chinese, often
37. Workout strain
38. Check letters
40. Auto-trim metals
41. Of a heart part
42. First name of the "Queen of Country Pop"
43. Varied
45. Proceed in the manner of
48. "A pain too lonely to know that faith is his twin brother," according to Kahlil Gibran
50. Almost there
52. His stepbrother Britannicus probably murdered him
54. Dollar, casually
56. Camel's makeup