

Puzzle 274 – Freestyle 239

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Across

- 1 Bare everything
 10 Abbr. on every country's Wikipedia page
 14 "Run! Run away!"
 15 French city whose cathedral was the tallest building in the world for four years
 16 Web development tool
 17 Whippersnappers
 18 They showed appreciation for Pele
 19 One may be retained: Abbr.
 20 With 29-Down, nation in which both Christian and Muslim observances are official public holidays
 21 Lizard, maybe
 22 Mountain range in which pronghorns are often seen
 24 "Open" follower on some signs
 25 Puts out, maybe
 28 Swiper's companion of children's TV
 29 Reason to shave one's head, maybe
 30 Venezuela formally declared in April 2017 its intention to leave it: Abbr.
 32 Flowers that are staples of butterfly gardens
 34 Having lots of vintage appeal
 37 Query from someone unsure of their orientation
 38 One sending off flares
 39 "When it's on your mind, it's on ____" (slogan)
 40 Spanish word in a popular toffee candy name
 42 Matter in mires
 45 Artesian well?
 46 Red-spotted toad's habitat
 48 Application starter
 50 Character who said, "Van Gogh would've sold more than one painting if he'd put tigers in them"
 52 One with a brass nameplate, perhaps: Abbr.
 53 Title similar to "señora"
 54 Second-hand indicator?
 55 What "Excuse me, please" can mean
 57 Drive obliquely, as a nail
 58 Choices for canvases

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- 59 Turned down
 60 Arm warmer
- ## Down
- 1 Chairman of the board?
 2 Head of the household?
 3 "La ____ de la fortuna" (Spanish version of "Wheel of Fortune")
 4 Gets a bit upset
 5 Unit of humility?
 6 Key very near the "middle"
 7 Was a toastmaster, say
 8 Was left unanswered, in a way
 9 IOC country code for an Olympic speed skating powerhouse
 10 Worked too much, say
 11 250-mL wine carafe
 12 Not free-form
 13 Moving cars, say
 15 Home deliveries?
 20 Causes confusion in
 23 Main ingredient in some ice cream cones
 26 Stop permitting alcohol

- 27 Request for an autograph, maybe, briefly
 29 See 20-Across
 31 Starts
 33 Common bust standard
 34 "I've got no sympathy for your story"
 35 It may be 95% in the grocery store
 36 They've got plans to take care of you
 37 Output of some engines
 41 Signature pattern for the late, great golfer Payne Stewart
 43 Explosive mixture in many World War I and II munitions
 44 Musical quality that enables listeners to tell different musical instruments apart
 46 Actress whose mother is Diane Ladd
 47 Snap
 49 State in Shakespearean times
 51 Draw with deception
 53 Drop out of journalism school?
 55 Billing units: Abbr.
 56 Extension for "usa"