

**Tough as Nails Themeless #39**

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**ACROSS**

1. Tater Tot makeup
6. Certain 160-acre plot
15. Bond based on attraction?
16. Philosopher who inspired Ayn Rand
17. Murderer of Scarpia
18. Podcaster's addressees
19. Where witches stash their rides?
21. Apt rhyme of "nip"
22. Stand by?
23. Hands (out)
24. Drag queen \_\_\_ Goode
25. Interpreted
27. Succession that ended with Mohammed Reza Pahlavi
28. "The Spanish Tragedy" playwright Thomas
29. Cerdo Ibérico products
30. Venerated femme
31. \_\_\_ canai (carb-y Southeast Asian treat)
32. Fish that becomes its Spanish translation if you put the last letter first
33. Cover in mud, old-style
36. Easy targets
37. \_\_\_ es Salaam, Tanzania
40. City on Jordan's tiny coastline
41. Succeed with spiel
43. Doesn't quite fit, perhaps
44. Be unable to decide
45. What comes before following?
46. Coin once worth 1/1000 of a yen
47. Bio that lays it on thick
49. Daily quantity of milk to drink in the GOMAD diet
51. What a cat says?
52. Element that burns purple in a flame
53. Notre-Dame structure that will be rebuilt to its 19th-century look
54. Where air is thinnest
55. Had an evening repast

**DOWN**

1. Use a recliner
2. Nola nosh, formally

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| 3. Like an argument that's not worthy to be entertained                  | 27. "You're going to die tomorrow, Lord Bolton" speaker                   |
| 4. Plants with two embryonic leaves                                      | 30. Fast and bendy race of sorts  |
| 5. "Urgent message for the vehicle owner," usually                       | 31. Pokes fun at  |
| 6. Cheese often served grilled   | 32. '80s hit with a nearly three-octave range                             |
| 7. Ripken and Robinson, famously   | 33. Line on a famed utility belt  |
| 8. Felt bad without  | 34. Semiannual turning point  |
| 9. These (Sp.)   | 35. Supervillain who's been played by Ian McKellen and Michael Fassbender |
| 10. "Ignore this change"   | 36. Messiah in Manchester?  |
| 11. World-class total at a powerlifting meet                             | 37. Title for an old French heir  |
| 12. Wind that blows over the Aegean Sea                                  | 38. "Everyone's accounted for!"   |
| 13. 1989 Janet Jackson song whose title might drive pedantic people nuts | 39. Fixed a spelling error, perhaps                                       |
| 14. Have no use for  | 41. Old-timey baseball player Sal   |
| 20. No. that's often less than 1%  | 42. Garlicky preparation  |
| 24. Karmann ___ (old-schol VW)   | 44. Volleyballer Kerri ___ Jennings                                       |
| 26. Birch of "Ghost World"   | 47. Looped fastener   |
|  | 48. Brown neighbor, for short   |
|  | 50. Bean product?   |