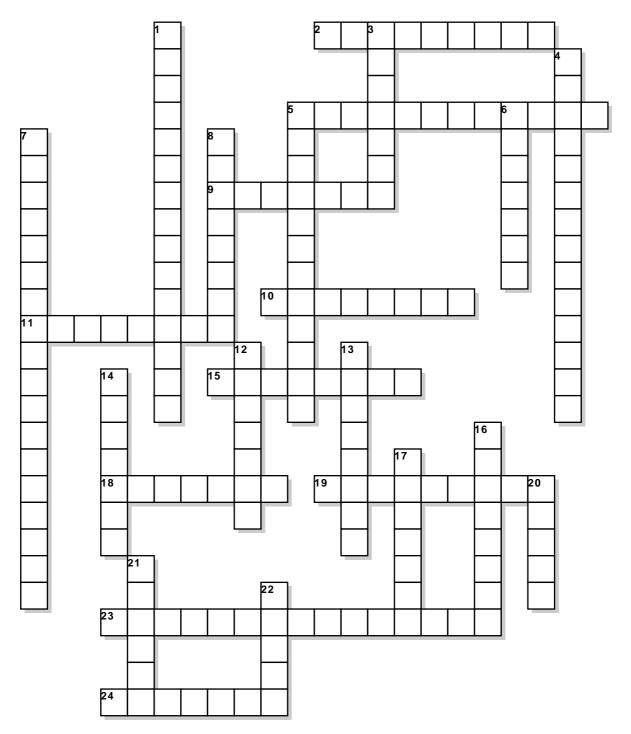
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# **Merchant of Venice Crossword Puzzle**



#### **Across**

- 2 Portia's servant, whom she dispatches to get the appropriate materials from Doctor Bellario.
- 5 Presiding officer at the trial.
- 9 A Venetian gentleman and messenger. Salerio returns with Bassanio and Gratiano for Antonio's trial.
- 10 Hires Launcelot, after he quits his job with Shylock.
- 11 Servant to Portia.
- 15 Servant to Bassanio.
- 18 Rich Jew. Father to Jessica. Money usurer. He hates the Christians.
- 19 Works for Shylock and later goes to work for Bassanio.
- 23 Dark skinned suitor of Portia.He chooses the gold casket.
- 24 Friend to Antonio and Bassanio.

#### Down

- 1 Suitor to Portia. Chooses the silver casket
- 3 In love with Jessica.
- 4 A wealthy Paduan lawyer and Portia's cousin. He gives Portia's servant the letters of introduction needed for Portia to make her appearance in court.
- 5 He wanted to win the contest to mary Portia, but left before it began.
- 6 Marries Gratiano.
- 7 He wrote The Merchant of Venice.
- 8 In love with Portia. He takes out a loan from Shylock, to which Antonio is bound.
- 12 Daughter of Shylock.
- 13 In love with Nerissa.
- 14 Portia's lady in waiting.
- 16 A Venetian gentleman, and friend to Antonio, Bassanio, and Lorenzo. He is often almost indistinguishable from his companion Solanio.
- 17 The Merchant of Venice.
- 20 A wealthy Jew in Venice and one of Shylock's friends.
- 21 Rich heiress. Her father died, and must follow his will to find a suitor.
- 22 Father of Launcelot.

### **Possible Answers:**

Antonio, Balthazar, Bassiano, Bassiano, Doctor Bellario, Duke of Saxony, Duke of Venice, Gobbo, Gratiano, Jessica, Launcelot, Leonardo, Lorenzo, Nerissa, Nerissa, Portia, Prince of Arragon, Prince of Morocco, Salanio, Salarino, Salerio, Shylock, Stephano, Tubal, William Shakespeare