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Across

- 1** Infamous 20th century terror attack
- 7** Immigrant invasion (initials)
- 8** Circle of light around head due to holiness
- 9** Less extreme end of spectrum of aggravated sexual assault of a minor
- 10** Oscar Levant *or* Oslo lunch (initials)
- 11** Ernest Hemingway *or* Edith Head (initials)
- 12** Had dinner (or a snack)
- 14** Large group of criminals, drug dealers and rapists approaching US border from south
- 18** “Whoever has three things is beloved of God: the first is riddance of possessions, the second, of friends and the third is riddance of self” Celebrated German theologian and mystic (?1260-?1327)

Down

- 1** Tammy Wynette song (1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1)
- 2** Currency of Iran
- 3** Hardy desert tree of genus Acacia used by Moses to make Ark of the Covenant
- 4** Tasty soup made from dried, split pulses in Indian subcontinent
- 5** Australian supermodel
- 6** Biblical patriarch associated with seven laws given by G-d (prior to revelation on Sinai) binding upon gentiles to become righteous and enter into the world to come (played by Russell Crowe in gloomy blockbuster)
- 12** Golden cabinet built by Moses to house the tablets of the Law revealed on Sinai (also large boat built by 6 down prior to universal cataclysm of 2348 BCE)
- 13** Nice name for a cat (short for Neon Genesis Evangelion)
- 15** Aleister Crowley (initials)
- 16** Ayn Rand (initials)
- 17** Nuclear Tehran (initials)