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- 1** Young farm animal
- 5** Palindromic staple in Indian cuisine
- 9** Gumption
- 14** Classic cartoon character originally named Spot
- 15** Palindromic honorific
- 16** It helps you show your point of view
- 17** Sites of many revolutions
- 19** Flower whose name comes from the Greek for "star"
- 20** Sample
- 21** Dark-colored drink
- 22** Lighten (up)
- 23** Child-oriented nonprofit grp.
- 25** Confirmations
- 27** Physicist who invented the electric battery
- 28** Drab
- 30** Further considers
- 32** Add-ons to some

- 48** Whiffs
- 49** Sounds at a poetry slam
- 50** "about when will u b here?"
- 51** Add up to
- 52** Direction en España
- 53** Bon ____, indie band with a platinum debut album of 2008
- 55** Long-running animated TV role that hasn't had a speaking appearance since 2017
- 58** Back in style
- 60** Subject of some medical research ... or a description of this puzzle's theme?
- 62** Ponder, with "over"
- 63** Recipient of some donation requests, informally
- 64** Stick with it
- 65** Supply
- 66** Salt-N-____ ("Let's Talk About Sex")

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- 8** Breakfast times, in brief
- 9** Grp. of club owners?
- 10** Boil over
- 11** Speech that ends sentences with rising tones
- 12** Peaks
- 13** "Squid Game"
- 37** Name found in "ingredient"
- 39** "Is that so?"
- 40** Shake up
- 41** They're good to know
- 43** Qualify
- 45** Program extra
- 46** Body image?
- 47** Waved the white