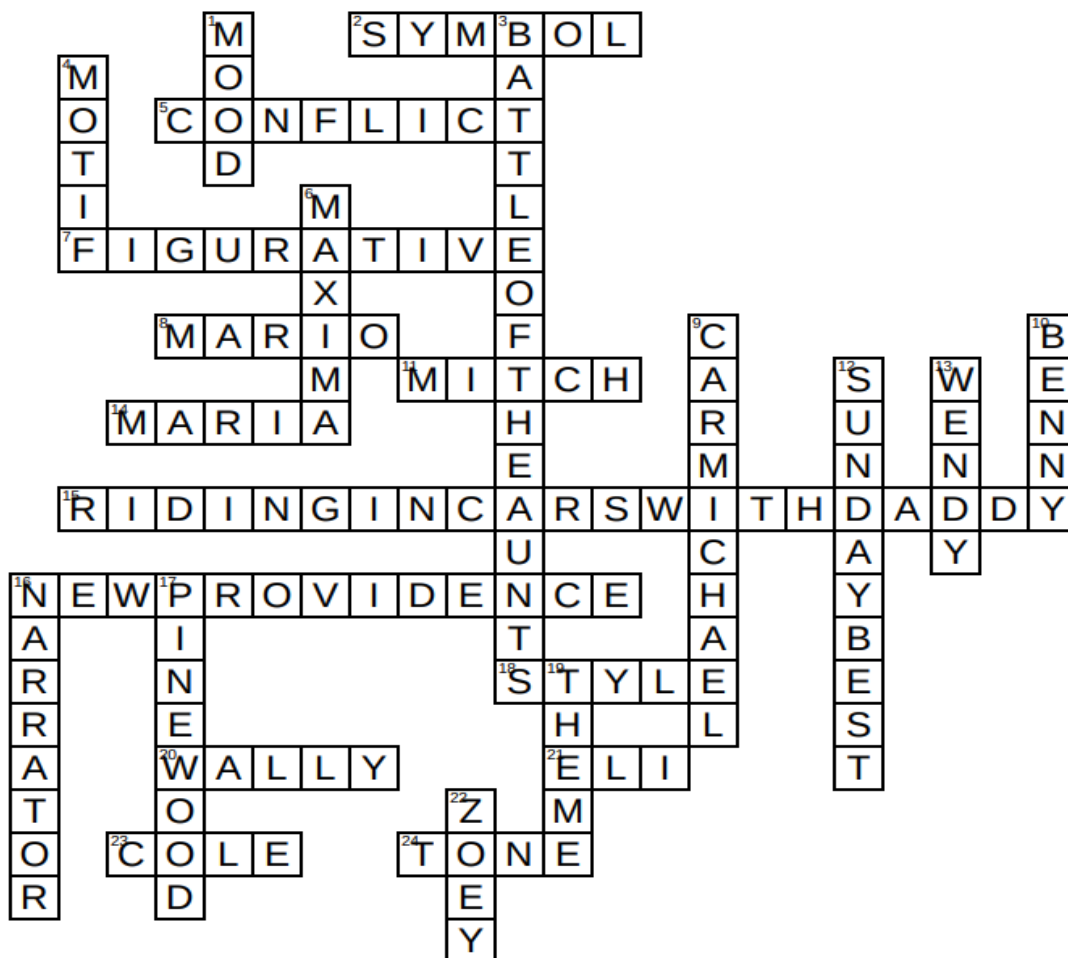


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ACROSS

2. An object that stands for something else: **symbol**
5. Problems that arise in a story: **conflict**
7. Non-literal language: **figurative**
8. Maria's namesake: **Mario**
11. Maria's nephew: **Mitch**
14. The narrator of *Carnival of Love*: **Maria**
15. Story where Maria experiences her father's grace: **Riding in Cars with Daddy**
16. This island is the main setting of the story: **New Providence**
18. The distinct way in which an author writes: **style**
20. Martha's only brother: **Wally**
21. The eldest of the Helix nine: **Eli**
23. Character known as a "brother's keeper": **Cole**
24. Author's attitude toward story subject: **tone**

DOWN

1. The atmosphere created by the narrative: **mood**
3. Story that conveys the theme of gossip: **Battle of the Aunts**
4. A recurring object or idea: **motif**
6. A story symbol that represents loyalty: **Maxima**
9. Location of the Helixes' original family homestead: **Carmichael**
10. Character known for making people laugh: **Benny**
12. Story where Maria expresses her religious faith: **Sunday Best**
13. Maria's niece: **Wendy**
16. The character telling the events of the story: **narrator**
17. Location of apartment known as a "concrete box": **Pinewood**
19. Main idea resonating in a story: **theme**
22. The youngest of the Helix nine: **Zoie**