

Squared²

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T M C I A R I L T N W A E T T F Y R E C I
O E G L E S O S E H O J R A S S D I I T E
D T N M T O C E D O H N I O R E R E S Y A
S I A I R D O D R H W Z S U L D C A C A O
I O G S M V N C O H E S N R L L T N E F E
E R E F D O C T S G R E A V I E O D H F O
H E P N S A A M M H E O R T A E S D S A W
M N N O A C R A R L I T T T D R T I K H P
U T A G W O A M O O H I N D D E O E W L S
E T N N A S A N R A N L T E A R M T P E O
O S R T G H S N N F A Y C R D S D S G T K
E T O T O C F C U I W S T T A D O S R E N
A G D A O A A O D E F R T E H I H E E W O
N P E E A I S A N K H L I T A N T O H E F
F L T N E O M R O L F R A O F B N I E H S
T O G R A T G F N I A V T E E F T U O I N
N Y A L M D L U T T A D F A O A N G I N I
A R X E H E E U C A R A O H E R R A D S H
W B S F R P N O N P E B O E E C S G C E T
T O S L D L E L T A L O W L A A N E T R R
D A O A Q A I T S I O N A L N E F X A Z A

Twelve 8 letter words relating to squares are found in the grid; they are shaded above. 6 are shapes or shape-related and 6 are actual Squares such as SULLIVAN Square in Somerville, MA. These two types are clued by the graphics below the grid. Each of these words, which are read in order but can go cw or ccw, surround a letter used in the extraction. The letters from the shape words, read top to bottom, left to right spell out **MANTLE** and the letters from the location words spell out **DRAGON**.

TRIANGLE	M	Place de la CONCORDE	Paris, France	D
CRESCENT	A	SULLIVAN Square	Somerville, MA	R
PENTAGON	N	Piazza SAN MARCO	Venice, Italy	A
CYLINDER	T	ST PETERS Square	Vatican City	G
HEXAGRAM	L	FRANKLIN Square	Philadelphia, PA	O
PARABOLA	E	FARRAGUT Square	Washington, D. C.	N