

apparition [əpərɪʃn] n. ghost; spirit

calumnious [kələmniəs] adj. slanderous

canon [kænən] n. church law

countenance [kounənəns] n. face; expression

discourse [dɪskoərs] n. conversation

imminent [ɪmɪnənt] adj. ready to happen; inevitable

perilous [pərɪləs] adj. dangerous

portentous [pɔrtɛntəs] adj. threatening

prodigal [prədɪgl] adj. wasteful; extravagant

sullied [sulēd] adj. tarnished

commission [kəmɪʃn] n. order

firmament [fɜrməmənt] n. sky

malefaction [mæləfækshn] n. evil deed; crime

pestilent [pɛstlənt] adj. destructive; deadly

promontory [prəməntorē] n. high land jutting into the sea

sovereign [səvrən] adj. supreme in power

tedious [teðiəs] adj. dull and lifeless

paradox [pərədoks] n. something that seems absurd or against reason, but may nonetheless be true

perceive [pərvɪs] v. notice; see

pious [piəs] adj. devout

resolution [rezəloʊshn] n. firmness; resolve

visage [vɪzɪdʒ] n. face or facial expression

abatement [əbətmənt] n. decline; end

convocation [kɒnvəkʃn] n. gathering

cunning [kʌnɪng] adj. skill in deception

impetuous [ɪmpetjuəs] adj. hasty, impulsive

profound [prəfaund] adj. having intellectual depth; intensely felt

rendezvous [rəndəzvʊs] n. meeting; encounter

churlish [tʃɜrlɪʃ] adj. ill-mannered

conjure [kənjʊər] v. call up

equivocation [ɪkwɪvəkəshn] n. a statement with two possible interpretations

potent [pətənt] adj. strong; effective

treachery [trɪchəri] n. act of disloyalty  
resentment

umbrage [əmbrɪdʒ] n. displeasure;

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