

apparition [əˈpærɪʃən] n. ghost; spirit
calumnious [kəˈlumnɪəs] adj. slanderous
canon [kənən] n. church law
countenance [ˈkaʊntənəns] n. face; expression
discourse [dɪˈkɔːrs] n. conversation
imminent [ɪˈmɪnənt] adj. ready to happen; inevitable
perilous [pəˈrɪləs] adj. dangerous
portentous [pɔːr tenʃəs] adj. threatening
prodigal [prɒdɪˈɡəl] adj. wasteful; extravagant
sullied [sʊlɪd] adj. tarnished
commission [kəˈmɪʃən] n. order
firmament [ˈfɜːməmənt] n. sky
malefaction [məˈleɪʃən] n. evil deed; crime
pestilent [ˈpestələnt] adj. destructive; deadly
promontory [prɒˈmɒntəri] n. high land jutting into the sea
sovereign [ˈsovrən] adj. supreme in power
tedious [ˈtiːdiəs] adj. dull and lifeless
paradox [ˈpærədɒks] n. something that seems absurd or against reason, but may nonetheless be true
perceive [pəˈsiːv] v. notice; see
pious [ˈpiːəs] adj. devout
resolution [ˌrezəˈlʊʃən] n. firmness; resolve
visage [ˈvɪzɪdʒ] n. face or facial expression
abatement [əˈbætəmənt] n. decline; end
convocation [kɒnˈvəʊkəʃən] n. gathering
cunning [ˈkʌnɪŋ] adj. skill in deception
impetuous [ɪmˈpeʃʊəs] adj. hasty; impulsive
profound [prəˈfaʊnd] adj. having intellectual depth; intensely felt
rendezvous [ˌrɑːnˈdeɪvʊz] n. meeting; encounter
churlish [ˈtʃɜːlɪʃ] *adj.* ill-mannered
conjure [kənˈdʒʊər] v. call up
equivocation [ˌiːkwɪvəˈkeɪʃən] n. a statement with two possible interpretations
potent [ˈpɒtənt] *adj.* strong; effective
treachery [ˈtriːtʃəri] n. act of disloyalty
resentment [rɪˈzentmənt] n. displeasure;