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In [1]: with open('Gettysburg.txt') as f:
        add_words = f.read()
        wordfreq = {}
        for word in add_words.replace(',', ' ').split():
            wordfreq[word] = wordfreq.setdefault(word, 0) + 1
        from operator import itemgetter
        print(sorted(wordfreq.items(), key=itemgetter(1), reverse=True))

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[('that', 13), ('the', 9), ('to', 8), ('we', 8), ('a', 7), ('here', 7), ('--', 7), ('and', 6), ('nation', 5), ('can', 5), ('of', 5), ('have', 5), ('for', 5), ('not', 5), ('in', 4), ('dedicated', 4), ('this', 3), ('are', 3), ('great', 3), ('so', 3), ('who', 3), ('It', 3), ('is', 3), ('dead', 3), ('they', 3), ('us', 3), ('shall', 3), ('people', 3), ('our', 2), ('on', 2), ('new', 2), ('conceived', 2), ('men', 2), ('or', 2), ('long', 2), ('We', 2), ('dedicate', 2), ('gave', 2), ('The', 2), ('living', 2), ('it', 2), ('far', 2), ('what', 2), ('rather', 2), ('be', 2), ('which', 2), ('from', 2), ('these', 2), ('devotion', 2), ('Four', 1), ('score', 1), ('seven', 1), ('years', 1), ('ago', 1), ('fathers', 1), ('brought', 1), ('forth', 1), ('continent', 1), ('Liberty', 1), ('proposition', 1), ('all', 1), ('created', 1), ('equal.', 1), ('Now', 1), ('engaged', 1), ('civil', 1), ('war', 1), ('testing', 1), ('whether', 1), ('any', 1), ('endure.', 1), ('met', 1), ('battle-field', 1), ('war.', 1), ('come', 1), ('portion', 1), ('field', 1), ('as', 1), ('final', 1), ('resting', 1), ('place', 1), ('those', 1), ('their', 1), ('lives', 1), ('might', 1), ('live.', 1), ('altogether', 1), ('fitting', 1), ('proper', 1), ('should', 1), ('do', 1), ('this.', 1), ('But', 1), ('larger', 1), ('sense', 1), ('consecrate', 1), ('hallow', 1), ('ground.', 1), ('brave', 1), ('struggled', 1), ('consecrated', 1), ('above', 1), ('poor', 1), ('power', 1), ('add', 1), ('detract.', 1), ('world', 1), ('will', 1), ('little', 1), ('note', 1), ('nor', 1), ('remember', 1), ('say', 1), ('but', 1), ('never', 1), ('forget', 1), ('did', 1), ('here.', 1), ('unfinished', 1), ('work', 1), ('fought', 1), ('thus', 1), ('nobly', 1), ('advanced.', 1), ('task', 1), ('remaining', 1), ('before', 1), ('honored', 1), ('take', 1), ('increased', 1), ('cause', 1), ('last', 1), ('full', 1), ('measure', 1), ('highly', 1), ('resolve', 1), ('died', 1), ('vain', 1), ('under', 1), ('God', 1), ('birth', 1), ('freedom', 1), ('government', 1), ('by', 1), ('perish', 1), ('earth.', 1), ('Abraham', 1), ('Lincoln', 1), ('November', 1), ('19', 1), ('1863', 1)]

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