Definition

**Dead** - A person, animal, or plant that is dead is no longer living.

* Never speak ill of the dead
* Dead men tell no tales

**Cold** - Something that is cold has a very low temperature or a lower temperature than is normal or acceptable.

* It's not necessary for most minor illnesses such as coughs, colds or sore throats.
* You think these people can be swayed by cold, hard sense about economics?

**Devote** - If you devote yourself, your time, or your energy to something, you spend all or most of your time or energy on it.

* Now I am no longer obliged to read the interminable pages devoted in the sports sections to football.
* I've devoted myself entirely to my work.

**Bestow** - To bestow something on someone means to give or present it to them.

* Encouraged by politicians, many adults indulge the infantile fantasy that the Government can bestow gifts on us while imposing costs on no one.
* When an honour is bestowed, it isn't just for me.

**Rival** - Your rival is a person, business, or organization who you are competing or fighting against in the same area or for the same things.

* The ferocious competition for medals, records and honour has already sparked spats between tense competitors and rival nations.
* Instead, he has had to work his way through a field of rivals.

**Irk** - If something irks you, it irritates or annoys you.

* Is he not a little irked at the success and the seemingly perpetual limelight that the young pretender is enjoying?
* He was particularly irked with the fourth race when he had gone backwards through the fleet.