

1. **Anointed:** Nominate (someone) as successor for a position
1. **Conspicuous:** Standing out so as to be clearly visible
2. **Contorted:** Bend out of its normal shape
3. **Deacon:** An ordained minister of an order ranking below that of a priest
4. **Genial:** Friendly and cheerful
5. **Harlot:** Prostitute
6. **Imminent:** About to happen
7. **Morbid:** Characterized by an abnormal interest in disturbing and unpleasant subjects
8. **Perverse:** (of a person or their actions) showing a deliberate and obstinate desire to behave in a way that is unacceptable
9. **Placard:** Sign for public display
10. **Precarious:** Not securely held or in position
11. **Prophetic:** Accurately predicting what will happen in the future
12. **Sanctified:** Set apart or declare holy
13. **Tabernacle:** Meeting place for worship used by some Protestants or Mormons
14. **Timbre:** Character of a musical sound as distinct from its pitch and intensity
15. **Wrath:** Extreme anger
16. **Archaic:** Very Old
17. **Blasphemous:** Sacrilegious against God or sacred things
18. **Blatant:** (of bad behavior) done openly
19. **Depraved:** Morally corrupt
20. **Grimace:** An ugly, twisted expression on a person's face
21. **Hapless:** (especially of a person) unfortunate
22. **Ignoble:** Not honorable in character
23. **Irreverent:** Showing a lack of respect for people that are generally taken seriously
24. **Obscure:** Not discovered or known about
25. **Parapet:** Low protective wall along the edge of a roof
26. **Perdition:** State of eternal punishment and damnation into which a sinful and unpenitent person passes after death
27. **Perpetual:** Never ending or changing
28. **Preamble:** Preliminary statement
29. **Retaliate:** Make an attack in return for a similar attack
30. **Tidings:** News; information
31. **Intentness:** Mental state free of jesting or trifling
32. **Invincible:** Too powerful to overcome
33. **Malevolent:** Showing a wish to do evil to others
34. **Malice:** Intention to do evil
35. **Placidity:** Pleasantly calm or peaceful
36. **Vestibule:** Antechamber next to the outer door of a building
37. **Vindictive:** Having a strong unreasoning desire for revenge
38. **Disposition:** Person's inherent qualities of mind and character
39. **Exasperate:** Irritate intensely
40. **Manifestation:** Event, action or object that clearly shows something
41. **Rebuke:** Express sharp disapproval of (someone) because of their behavior
42. **Sassy:** Lively, bold and full of spirit
43. **Abdicate:** (of a monarch) renounce one's throne
44. **Anguish:** severe mental or physical pain or suffering
45. **Bestial:** of or like an animal
46. **Concubine:** (In polygamous societies) a woman who lives with a man but has lower status than his wife
47. **Conjugal:** of or relating to marriage
48. **Croon:** Hum or sing in a soft, low voice

49. **Demure:** (of a woman or her behavior) reserved, modest and shy
50. **Endure:** Suffer (something painful or difficult) patiently
51. **Falter:** Start to lose strength or momentum
52. **Indignant:** Showing anger or annoyance at what is perceived as unfair treatment
53. **Innumerable:** Too many to be counted (often used hyperbolically)
54. **Reproach:** Address (someone) in such a way as to express disapproval
55. **Speculation:** Forming of a theory or conjecture without firm evidence
56. **Vehement:** Showing strong feeling: forceful, passionate or intense
57. **Vigil:** Period of keeping awake during the time usually spent asleep
58. **Wary:** Feeling caution about possible dangers
59. **Ecstasy:** An overwhelming feeling of great happiness
60. **Incessant:** (of something regarded as unpleasant) continuing without pause or interruption
61. **Mangy:** In a poor condition
62. **Penitence:** Showing sorrow and regret for having done wrong
63. **Petulant:** (of a person or their manner) bad tempered
64. **Abominable:** Causing moral revulsion: Loathsome
65. **Bequeathed:** Leave (a personal estate) to a person by a will
66. **Boisterous:** Noisy, energetic and cheerful: Rowdy
67. **Chastity:** State or practice of refraining from extramarital or all sexual intercourse
68. **Conciliatory:** Intended or likely to pacify
69. **Despoiler:** Steal valuable possessions
70. **Exhort:** Strongly encourage (someone) to do something
71. **Infernal:** Of, relating to, or characteristic of hell
72. **Iniquity:** Immoral behavior
73. **Jovial:** Cheerful and friendly
74. **Lascivious:** (of a person, manner or gesture) feeling an often offensive sexual desire
75. **Levity:** Humor especially the treatment of a serious matter in a manner lacking due respect
76. **Lewd:** Crude and offensive in a sexual way
77. **Lopped:** Cut off (a branch, limb) from the main body of a tree
78. **Obliterate:** Destroy utterly
79. **Redeem:** Compensate for the faults of (something)
80. **Transfixed:** Cause (someone) to become motionless with horror, wonder or astonishment
81. **Winding Sheet:** Sheet in which a corpse is wrapped for burial
82. **Ague:** Malaria or some other illness involving fever and shivering
83. **Sanctity:** State or quality of being holy, sacred or saintly
84. **Ardent:** Enthusiastic
85. **Behoove:** It is a duty for someone to do something
86. **Debris:** Scattered fragments
87. **Disdainful:** Showing contempt or lack of respect
88. **Frivolous:** Not having any serious purpose or value
89. **Gaunt:** (of a person) lean and haggard
90. **Impasse:** Situation in which no progress is possible
91. **Impetuosity:** Uncountable
92. **Inevitable:** Certain to happen
93. **Intercessor:** Person who intervenes on behalf of another, usually with religion/praying
94. **Lamentable:** (of circumstances) deplorably bad
95. **Momentous:** (of a decision) of great importance
96. **Oblivion:** State of being unaware of what is happening
97. **Sullen:** Bad tempered
98. **Transfigured:** Transform into something more beautiful

99. **Tumult:** Loud, confused noise
100. **Venom:** Poisonous substance
101. **Aloof:** Not friendly or forthcoming
102. **Borne:** Carried or transported by
103. **Corroborate:** Confirm (a statement, theory or finding)
104. **Diminution:** Reduction in the size, extent or importance of something
105. **Exaltation:** Feeling of triumphant elation
106. **Impenetrable:** Impossible to pass through
107. **Incandescence:** Uncountable
108. **Indifferent:** Having no particular interest
109. **Skepticism:** Doubt as to the truth of something
110. **Sustenance:** Food and drink regarded as a source of strength
111. **Spurious:** Not being what it purports to be
112. **Precarious:** Not securely held or in position
113. **Diffidence:** Modesty or shyness resulting from a lack of self confidence
114. **(157) City of Destruction:** New York City
115. **Fret:** Be constantly worried
116. **Gramophone:** Record player
117. **Incoherent:** Unclear
118. **Ludicrous:** So foolish, unreasonable
119. **Persist:** Continue firmly in an opinion or a course of action
120. **Premeditation:** Action of planning something (especially a crime)
121. **Revelation:** Surprising and previously unknown fact
122. **Revelry:** Lively and noisy festivities
123. **Tentative:** Not certain or fixed
124. **Threshing Floor:** Hard, level surface on which grain is threshed with a flail
125. **Abysmal:** Extremely bad
126. **Benevolent:** Well meaning and kindly
127. **Carcass:** Dead body of an animal
128. **Comice:** Large yellow dessert pear
129. **Defile:** Sully or spoil