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Vocab List #7

- 1) Atheist - a person who denies or disbelieves the existence of a supreme being or beings.
- 2) Dotard - a person, especially an old person, exhibiting a decline in mental faculties; a weak-minded or foolish old person.
- 3) Percipient - perceiving or capable of perceiving.
- 4) Staunch - firm or steadfast in principle, adherence, loyalty, etc., as a person:
- 5) Atrophy - degeneration, decline, or decrease, as from disuse:
- 6) Furtive - taken, done, used, etc., surreptitiously or by stealth; secret:
- 7) Insurgent - a person who rises in forcible opposition to lawful authority, especially a person who engages in armed resistance to a government or to the execution of its laws; rebel.
- 8) Drivel - saliva flowing from the mouth, or mucus from the nose; slaver.
- 9) Futile - incapable of producing any result; ineffective; useless; not successful:
- 10) Interminable - incapable of being terminated; unending:
- 11) Augment - to make larger; enlarge in size, number, strength, or extent; increase:
- 12) Mitigate - to lessen in force or intensity, as wrath, grief, harshness, or pain; moderate.
- 13) Stifle - to quell, crush, or end by force:
- 14) Auspicious - promising success; propitious; opportune; favorable:
- 15) Dubious - doubtful; marked by or occasioning doubt:
- 16) Garble - to confuse unintentionally or ignorantly; jumble:
- 17) Intransigent - refusing to agree or compromise; uncompromising; inflexible.
- 18) Intrepid - resolutely fearless; dauntless:

19) Balk - to stop, as at an obstacle, and refuse to proceed or to do something specified (usually followed by *at*):

20) Garner - to gather or deposit in or as if in a granary or other storage place.