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1. Sequester

ಬಂಧಿಸು, ಪ್ರತ್ಯೇಕವಾಗಿರಿಸು, Kannada

ಬೇರೆಬೇರೆಯಾಗಿರಿಸು

Hindi : अलग करना

Meaning: to set or keep apart from others

Synonyms: isolate, separate, remove Antonyms: integrate, join, connect

Sentence:

Everything he owned was **sequestered**.

- He was **sequestered** in his room.
- The jury was sequestered until a verdict was reached.
- She sequestered herself from other children, preferring the solitude of prayer.
- A large area of the park has been sequestrated from people who should have the enjoyment of it.
- He said all coal plants should be closed until they find a way to **sequester** the carbon dioxide they emit.
- The wetlands ringing a beaver pond **sequester** carbon and clean the water, filtering out pollutants like nitrogen and phosphorus.
- The dormitory at Casa Santa Marta, where the cardinals are **sequestered**, is purposefully more modern than the Sistine Chapel and the other Vatican rooms.

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2. Replete

Kannada : ತುಂಬು, ಪೂರ್ತಿತುಂಬಿದ, ಹೇರಳವಾದ

Hindi : परिपूर्ण

Meaning: possessing or covered with great numbers or amounts of something

specified

Synonyms: filled, packed, abundant

Antonyms: devoid, empty, blank

Sentence:

- The Harbor was **replete** with boats.
- The 12 inch came **replete** with a four track CD that screamed 'SHARE ME'.
- I went out into the sun-drenched streets again, replete and relaxed.
- The book is **replete** with historical references.
- Sensational popular fiction, replete with adultery and sudden death.

3. Memento

Kannada: ಸ್ಮರಣಿಕೆ, ಸ್ಮಾರಕ, ಜ್ಞಾಪಕ ವಸ್ತು

Hindi: स्मृति चिन्ह

Meaning: something that serves to keep alive the memory of a person or event Synonyms: reminder, memorial, souvenir Antonyms : Forgetfulness, Oblivion, Neglect, Loss, Amnesia

Sentence:

They gave him a watch as a **memento** of his time with the company.

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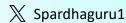


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4. Debacle

Kannada : ಸೋಲು, ನೂಕುನುಗ್ಗಲು, ರಭಸ ಪ್ರವಾಹ, ಕೊಚ್ಚು ಪ್ರವಾಹ, ಗೊಂದಲ

Hindi : असफलता

Meaning: a sudden and ignominious

failure; a fiasco.

Synonyms: fiasco, failure, downfall

Antonyms: success, victory

Sentence:

The economic debacle that became known as the Great Depression.

The only man to reach double figures in the second-innings debacle.

The carefully planned operation turned into a complete debacle.

5. Knickknack

Kannada : ಮಿರುಗುವ ಥಳುಕಿನ ಒಡವೆ, ಚಿಕ್ಕ ಉಡುಗೊರೆ, ಅಲಂಕಾರಿಕ ವಸು , ಸಣ್ಣ ಸೌಂದರ್ಯ ವಸು

Hindi : सजावटी

Meaning: a small object displayed for its

attractiveness or interest

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Synonyms: ornamental, collectable

Antonyms: doodah, thingamajig, bags of, big part of, broad assortment, considerable quantity, diamond, good deal of Sentence:

- The shelves were with covered ornaments and useless knick-knacks.
- She decorated the shelf with colorful knickknacks she collected from her travels.

6. Wane

Hindi : पतन

Meaning: to grow less in scope or intensity

especially gradually

Synonyms: diminish, decrease, decline

Antonyms: rise, grow, increase

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- Their political power is on the wane.
- I cut the log into slabs without removing the outside wane.
- Her interest in science fiction began to wane.

7. Conciliatory

Kannada ಸಮಾಧಾನಕರ, ಉಪಶಮನ

ರಾಜಿಮಾಡಿಸುವ, ಮಾಡುವ,

ಸಮಾದಾನಗೊಳಿಸುವ

Hindi : शांति

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Meaning: intended or likely to placate or

pacify.

Synonyms: propitiatory, placatory, appeasing

Antonyms: antagonizing, abrasive. aggravating

Sentence:

- Everyone was in a **conciliatory** mood at the start of the meeting.
- I've had a **conciliatory** letter from the council offering to pay for the damage.
- O'Brien, on the other hand, is mildmannered and conciliatory in his approach.
- This conciliatory gesture brought Sun some help from Russia who sent Michael Borodin to Canton.
- The government made a conciliatory gesture in order to advance the peace talks.

8. Torrid

Kannada: ಸುದುಬಿಸಿಲಿನ, ಭಾವೋದ್ಯಕದ

Hindi : गरम

having Meaning: notably high a

temperature

Synonyms: searing, boiling, hot Antonyms: cold, icy, glacial

Sentence:

It was a **torrid** summer day.

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- I was indulging in the torrid heat of a thermal bath.
- It was another **torrid** day on the world's stock exchanges.
- Most come with torrid messages of love expressed in poetry.
- They had a **torrid** time trying to equalize the score.

9. Stoicism

ಸಹನಶೀಲತೆ. Kannada ಸ್ಥಿತಪ್ರಜ್ಞತೆ

ಉದಾಸೀನತೆ

Hindi : धैर्य

Meaning: the quality or behavior of a person who accepts what happens without complaining or showing emotion

Synonyms: patience, forbearance, calmness TIVate LIMITed

Antonyms impatience, irritableness, snappiness, brusqueness, fretfulness, disquietude, edginess, testiness, uneasiness

Sentence:

- She endured his criticism with her usual stoicism.
- That most shoulder this burden with little complaint says much for their courage and stoicism.
- Clearly, endurance here means much more than tight-lipped stoicism.

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- Past generations had much worse to deal with, but showed stoicism, forbearance and fortitude.
- We're experts at turning a noble fiasco into a story about fortitude and stoicism.

10. Artifice

Kannada: ಕೃತಕತೆ, ತಂತ್ರಗಾರಿಕೆ, ಚಾಲಾಕು

Hindi : चालाकी

Meaning: clever or cunning devices or expedients, especially as used to trick or deceive others.

Synonyms: trickery, deviousness, deceit

Antonyms: sincerity, honesty

Sentence:

- His remorse is just an artifice to gain Spardhaguru India Private Limited
- He alone supplied the deft necessary touch of self-conscious theatrical artifice.
- Parker exposes the vanity, artifice and delusion that stand behind these apparently candid books.
- An industry dominated by artifice.
- Dogme is dedicated to ridding cinema of artifice and superficiality.

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