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| |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | **abet**   (uhbEHt) *verb*    To aid, promote, or encourage the commission of an offense. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | **carrion**   (kEHreeuhn) *noun*     **1.**  Dead or rotting animal flesh that is eaten as food by animals like vultures and Komodo dragons.  **2.**  remains of animals that have already died |  |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | **casement**        a window that is hinged (usually on one side) |  |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | **catastrophe**   (kuhtastruhfee)     a large scale disaster, misfortune or failure |  |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | **cipher**   (siifur) *noun,verb*     **1.**  Convert ordinary language into code.    **2.**  Make a mathematical calculation or computation. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | **despot**   (dEHspuht) *noun*    A person who wields power oppressively; a tyrant. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | **diabolical**   (diiuhbolihkuhl) *adjective*    devilish or evil plan to do damage or cause harm to others |  |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | **doleful**   (dohlfuhl)     filled with or expressing grief; mournful. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | **filial**   (fihleeuhl) *adjective*     **1.**  devotion to a parent by a child  **2.**  Of or relating to a son or daughter. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | |  | **pertinacious**    *adjective*    Holding firmly, even stubbornly, to a belief. | |