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All Words

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Session 1: Word List

pave

v. to cover something with a hard, flat material such as stones, bricks, or concrete, to make it suitable for travel or use

synonym : surface, coat, cover

(1) **pave** a new path, (2) **pave** a smoother road

They **paved** the courtyard with bricks, giving it a more polished appearance.

reward

n. a thing given in acknowledgment of service, hard work, achievement, etc.

synonym : compensation, gratuity, bonus

(1) the **reward** for good works, (2) shopping **rewards** cards

Night fishing has a lot of **rewards**.

lord

n. a person who has general authority, control, or power over others; a man of noble rank or high office

synonym : master, noble, peer

(1) a young **lord**, (2) **lord** of castle

The feudal **lord** had ruled the land for many years.

victory

n. success in a game, competition, election, or battle, or the knowledge that you have won

synonym : win, triumph, success

(1) **victory** in the law court, (2) **victory** over terrorism

We are optimistic about our final **victory**.

glory

n. great honor or success won by notable achievements

synonym: acclaim, credit, recognition

(1) greatest **glory**, (2) former **glory**

It is preferable to die in **glory** than to live in dishonor.

Session 2: Spelling

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| 1. l__d of castle | <i>n.</i> a person who has general authority, control, or power over others; a man of noble rank or high office |
| 2. the re___d for good works | <i>n.</i> a thing given in acknowledgment of service, hard work, achievement, etc. |
| 3. vi_____y in the law court | <i>n.</i> success in a game, competition, election, or battle, or the knowledge that you have won |
| 4. greatest gl__y | <i>n.</i> great honor or success won by notable achievements |
| 5. p__e a smoother road | <i>v.</i> to cover something with a hard, flat material such as stones, bricks, or concrete, to make it suitable for travel or use |
| 6. a young l__d | <i>n.</i> a person who has general authority, control, or power over others; a man of noble rank or high office |
| 7. p__e a new path | <i>v.</i> to cover something with a hard, flat material such as stones, bricks, or concrete, to make it suitable for travel or use |
| 8. former gl__y | <i>n.</i> great honor or success won by notable achievements |
| 9. shopping re___ds cards | <i>n.</i> a thing given in acknowledgment of service, hard work, achievement, etc. |
| 10. vi_____y over terrorism | <i>n.</i> success in a game, competition, election, or battle, or the knowledge that you have won |

ANSWERS: 1. lord, 2. reward, 3. victory, 4. glory, 5. pave, 6. lord, 7. pave, 8. glory, 9. reward, 10. victory

ANSWERS:

Session 3: Fill in the Blanks

1. Night fishing has a lot of _____.
n. a thing given in acknowledgment of service, hard work, achievement, etc.
2. The feudal _____ had ruled the land for many years.
n. a person who has general authority, control, or power over others; a man of noble rank or high office
3. It is preferable to die in _____ than to live in dishonor.
n. great honor or success won by notable achievements
4. They _____ the courtyard with bricks, giving it a more polished appearance.
v. to cover something with a hard, flat material such as stones, bricks, or concrete, to make it suitable for travel or use
5. We are optimistic about our final _____.
n. success in a game, competition, election, or battle, or the knowledge that you have won

ANSWERS: 1. rewards, 2. lord, 3. glory, 4. paved, 5. victory